

2017-2018 High School Completion, Identity, and Statement of Educational Purpose

Form must be completed in person at the Enrollment Center.

Your 2017-2018 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) has been selected for review in a process called verification. The law states that before awarding federal student aid, Oakton may ask you to confirm your high school completion status and identity—and to sign a Statement of Educational Purpose.

To verify that your FAFSA information is correct, **complete this form in the presence of a College official and submit appropriate documentation and a government-issued ID (see below) to Oakton's Enrollment Center.** If the form differs from your FAFSA, information may need to be corrected. This can delay processing. For questions about verification, contact the Enrollment Center as soon as possible so that financial aid will not be delayed.

A. Student Information

Last Name First Name M.I. Social Security Number

B. High School Completion Status

Provide **one** of the following documents confirming that you have completed high school.

Note: If you have not yet completed high school, but will do so before attending Oakton, wait to return this form until you have graduated.

Check one:

- A copy of a final, official high school transcript showing the graduation date.
- A copy of a General Educational Development (GED) certificate, GED transcript, or state-authorized high school certificate.
- An academic transcript indicating successful completion of at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.

Home-schooled student:

- A transcript or the equivalent, signed by a parent or guardian, listing secondary school courses finished and documenting the successful completion of a secondary school education in a home-school setting.

If unable to obtain the documentation listed above, contact Oakton's Enrollment Center at 847.635.1700.

C. Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

To verify your identity, you must appear in person at Oakton and provide a valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport. An annotated copy of your photo ID will be kept on file.

Student Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I, _____, am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose
Student Name (please print)

and that the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending Oakton Community College for 2017-2018.

Student Signature

Student ID Number

Date