



# 2024-25 Verification Worksheet

## Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

V4, V5

Your 2024-25 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, Elmhurst University may ask you to confirm the information you, your spouse (if married) and your parents reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information, Elmhurst University will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. Attach any required documents, and submit this form and the documents to the Office of Student Financial Services at Elmhurst University. If you have questions about verification, please call 630-617-3015 as soon as possible so that your financial aid will not be delayed.

This completed form MUST be received by the Office of Student Financial Services within three weeks of receiving this notice. Failure to provide the requested information within three weeks may cause a delay in the completion of your financial aid award and a reduction or loss of specific financial aid awards. The Office of Student Financial Services cannot guarantee a timely turn-around for any information received after July 1.

### STUDENT'S INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
First Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
M.I.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's eNumber

### VERIFICATION OF IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

The student **must appear in person** at Student Financial Services at Elmhurst University to verify their identity by presenting an unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport. The institution will maintain a copy of the student's photo ID that is annotated by the institution with the date it was received and reviewed, and the name of the official at the institution authorized to receive and review the student's ID.

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional SFS official, the Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

### STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

**I CERTIFY THAT I** (print name) \_\_\_\_\_  
**AM THE INDIVIDUAL SIGNING THIS STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE AND THAT THE FEDERAL STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE I MAY RECEIVE WILL ONLY BE USED FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AND TO PAY THE COST OF ATTENDING ELMHURST UNIVERSITY FOR THE 2024-25 ACADEMIC YEAR.**

### CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

The person signing this worksheet certifies that all reported information is complete and accurate to the best of their knowledge.

**WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet for the purpose of accessing federal student aid, Elmhurst University will report your actions to the Inspector General of the US Dept. of Education.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
SFS Staff Printed Name and Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*If you are unable to appear in person at Elmhurst University, please refer to the back side of this form for an alternative method of identity verification.*

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

eNumber: \_\_\_\_\_

If the student is unable to appear in person at Elmhurst University to verify their identity, the student must sent the following **by mail** to the institution:

- a) A copy of the unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, or that is presented to a notary, such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
- b) The original Statement of Educational Purpose provided below, which must be notarized. If the notary statement appears on a separate page than the Statement of Educational Purpose, there must be a clear indication that the Statement of Educational Purpose was the document notarized.

### STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

**I CERTIFY THAT I** (print name) \_\_\_\_\_  
**AM THE INDIVIDUAL SIGNING THIS STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE AND THAT THE FEDERAL STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE I MAY RECEIVE WILL ONLY BE USED FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AND TO PAY THE COST OF ATTENDING ELMHURST UNIVERSITY FOR 2024-25.**

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### NOTARY'S CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of: \_\_\_\_\_

County of: \_\_\_\_\_

On \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Notary's Name

personally appeared, \_\_\_\_\_, and provided to  
Printed Name of Signer

me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of government-issued ID provided

to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

**WITNESS my hand and official seal:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES ON \_\_\_\_\_

Seal: