

# IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE FORM 2021-2022

**Financial Aid Office** 

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This form must be signed in the presence of a Financial Aid Counselor at Fort Lewis College or be signed in the presence of a notary.

### If you bring this form to the Financial Aid Office:

The student must appear in person to verify their identity by presenting an <u>unexpired valid government-issued photo</u> 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 with the date it was received and the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the ID.

### If you have it notarized:

The student can complete Section B in the presence of a notary and return it to the Financial Aid Office.

All documentation requested must be received and reviewed before your financial aid can be finalized and disbursed. If you have questions or need assistance please contact the Financial Aid Office.

### **SECTION A**

### **Statement of Educational Purpose**

I certify that I, (student 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 Fort Lewis College for 2021-2022.

Student's Signature:	 Date:	Student ID#:
FLC verifying official:	 Date:	

## SECTION B

If the student is unable to appear in person at the Fort Lewis College Financial Aid Office to verify their identity, the student must provide:

- (a) A copy of an <u>unexpired valid government-issued photo identification</u> (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
- (b) The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose provided below:

### **Statement of Educational Purpose**

I certify that I, (student 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 Fort Lewis College for 2021-2022.

Student's Signature:		Date:	
	Notary's Certific	cation of Acknowledgement	
State of	City/County of		
On	_ before me,	, personally	
(Date)	(Notary	(Notary's Name)	
Appeared,		and provided me on basis of satisfactory evidence of	
(Printed nam	e of signer)		
identification		to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.	
(type of governm	ent-issued photo ID provided	)	
WITNESS my hand and official	seal		
		Notary Signature	
My commission expires on			