

# Office of Financial Aid

## Custom Verification (V4) Independent Student 2022-2023

Verification of information filled out on FAFSA identified by Department of Education that may not match records.



### STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name:	Student ID:
Student Address:	Student Date of Birth:
City, State, Zip:	Student Email:
Student Phone:	Student Alternate Phone:

### HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION STATUS

Provide **one** of the following documents indicating the student's high school completion status. **Please check the appropriate box:**

- High School Diploma**
  - A copy of the student's high school diploma.
  - A copy of the student's final official high school transcript that shows the date when the diploma was awarded
- Recognized Equivalent of High School Diploma**
  - Certification of a passing score from a state authorized high school diploma equivalency exam.
  - A copy of the student's General Educational Development (GED) certificate or GED transcript.
- Homeschool**
  - If the State where the student was homeschooled requires by law that such students obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential.
  - If such State law does not require a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a transcript or the equivalent, signed by the student's parent or guardian, that lists the secondary school courses the student completed and documents the successful completion of a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.
- College Transcript**
  - An academic transcript that indicates an Associate's Degree or higher was earned.

### PROOF OF IDENTITY

- In Person:**

The student must appear in person at Grayson College to verify his or her 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 with the date it was received and the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the student's ID.
- Not in Person:**

If the student is unable to appear in person at Grayson College to verify their identity, the student **must provide to the institution 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.

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## STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

**In Person:**

The student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the statement of Educational purpose provided below:

### Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I, \_\_\_\_\_ 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 Grayson College for 2022-2023.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's ID Number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

**Not in Person:**

If the student is not able to appear in the presence of the institutional official, the original Statement of Educational Purpose, provided above, must be notarized.

### Notary Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of \_\_\_\_\_ City/County of \_\_\_\_\_

On \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_ personally appeared,  
(date) (Printed name of Notary)

\_\_\_\_\_, and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification  
(Printed name of Signer)

\_\_\_\_\_ to be the above-named person who signed the forgoing instrument.  
(Type of unexpired, government-issued ID provided)

**WITNESS my hand and official**

(Seal)

My commission expires on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) (Notary's Signature)

## CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

By signing this worksheet, I certify that all of the information reported is complete and accurate. I understand that if I purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet I could be fined, sentenced to jail or both. I also acknowledge that I have read and agree to comply with all verification policies as stated by the College. **Failure to submit information by posted deadlines may result in the application being filed as inactive** with no further consideration and no federal aid for the academic year. Student must sign:

<b>Student Printed Name:</b>	<b>Student Signature:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
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Send forms to: Grayson College Financial Aid Office • 6101 Grayson Drive, Denison, TX 75020-8299  
Email forms to: [financialaid@grayson.edu](mailto:financialaid@grayson.edu) • Fax forms to: 903.463.3908

Students are **REQUIRED** to use their GC canvas account or their GC email account for all electronic communication. GC faculty and staff will not reply to student communication that is sent through an email account other than their GC issued email account or canvas account in order to ensure the identity of the student when communicating electronically.