



A Graduate School of Education, Health & Psychology

**2026-2027 Verification of Identity for Verification Tracking Groups V4 and V5**

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TCID:** \_\_\_\_\_

Your 2026-2027 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) has been selected for Verification of Identity by the U.S. Department of Education. Students assigned to Verification Tracking Groups V4 or V5 are required to verify their identity. There are several ways an institution may verify a student's identity. Complete this section if the student is selected for V4 or V5 identity verification for the 2026-2027 award year.

Note: To complete V4 or V5 identity verification, a student must present an unexpired, valid, government-issued photo identification such as a U.S. passport, a driver's license, or other state-issued ID.

Check the box that applies below:

- The student appeared in person and presented acceptable identification to an institutionally authorized individual.
- The student was verified by a service provider that is compliant with National Institute of Standards and Technology Identity Assurance Level 2 (NIST IAL2). The institution received acceptable documentation directly from the service provider confirming the date of the verification and that the student's identity was verified under the NIST IAL2 standard.
- The student was unable to appear in-person and provided the institution with a copy of the acceptable identification presented to a notary and a signed notary statement (see the next page).
- The student was unable to appear in-person and appeared on a video call with institutional personnel and presented the acceptable identification to an institutionally authorized individual.
- The student is a confined or incarcerated individual and was verified by an authorized official at the correctional facility where the individual is confined or incarcerated.

**Certification and Signature**

Each person signing below certifies that all of the verification documents submitted with this certification are complete and correct.

**WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Student's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's ID Number

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse's Signature (Optional)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement**

*Notary's certification may vary by State*

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

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

On \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) (Notary's name)

personally appeared, \_\_\_\_\_, and proved to me because of  
(Printed name of signer)

satisfactory evidence of identification \_\_\_\_\_ to be the above-  
(Type of unexpired government-issued photo ID provided)

named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

**WITNESS my hand and official seal**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary signature)

My commission expires on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)