

2023-2024 Identity and Statement of Purpose



VCU

Financial Aid
Student Financial Services

A. Student Information

Last Name

First Name

Date of Birth

VCU V#

B. Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

Students must provide the following to VCU's Student Financial Management Center:

(a) A copy of an unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the statement below, such as but not limited to a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport (military IDs are not acceptable for this purpose);

AND

(b) The original Statement of Educational Purpose below, completed in person at VCU's Student Financial Management Center or completed in the presence of a Notary to include original Notary's seal.

Statement of Educational Purpose

(Statement must be completed in the presence of a Notary or in person at VCU's Student Financial Management Center)

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose
(Printed Student's Name)
and that the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending Virginia Commonwealth University for 2023-2024.

(Student's signature)

(Date)

Notary Certificate of Acknowledgement (if completed in the presence of a notary)

State of _____ City/County of _____

on _____, before me, _____
(date) (Notary's printed name)

personally appeared, _____, and proved to me
(Printed name of signer)

on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification _____
(Type of original government-issued photo ID provided)

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

(Notary Signature)

(Date on which my Commission expires)

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Authorized VCU Official Certificate of Acknowledgement (if completed in-person at VCU)

I, _____, confirm that the student appeared before me, provided me their _____
(printed name of VCU Official) (Type of original government-issued photo ID provided)
to photocopy and attach, and completed the above Statement of Educational Purpose in my presence.

(Signature of VCU Official)

(Date)

Return original document and copy of ID presented to the notary to:

VCU Student Financial Management Center

Harris Hall, 1015 Floyd Ave, Box 843026

Richmond, VA 23284-3026

This form can only be accepted in its original state and must be received through mail or dropped off in-person. Copies will not be accepted and this form should not be faxed or emailed.