



Office of Student Financial Assistance

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2013–2014 Independent Verification Worksheet (V4)

A. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) – formerly known as Food Stamp Program

I certify that the individual(s) in my household named below received SNAP benefits in 2011 or 2012. If asked by the student’s school, I will provide documentation of the receipt of SNAP benefits during 2011 and/or 2012.

| Name of family member who received SNAP benefits in 2011 and/or 2012 | Relationship to student |
|---|-------------------------|
| <i>Jane Doe</i> | <i>Mother(example)</i> |
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B. Child Support Paid

The student or spouse, who is a member of the student’s household, paid child support in 2012. List below the name of the person who paid the child support, the name of the person to whom the child support was paid, the name(s) of the child(ren) for whom the child support was paid, and the total annual amount of child support that was paid in 2012 for each child. *If more space is needed, provide a separate page that includes the student’s name and ID number at the top.*

| Name of Person Who Paid Child Support | Name of Person to Whom Child Support was Paid | Name of Child for Whom Support Was Paid | Amount of Child Support Paid in 2012 |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|
| <i>Marty Jones</i> | <i>Chris Smith (example)</i> | <i>Terry Jones</i> | <i>\$6,000.00</i> |
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C. High School Completion Status

Provide one of the following documents that indicate the student’s high school completion status when the student will begin college in 2013–2014:

- 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.

STUDENT'S NAME: _____ SSN or LCC ID: _____

- A copy of the student's General Educational Development (GED) certificate or GED transcript.
- An academic transcript that indicates the student successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.
- If State law requires a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential.
- If 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.

Note: If the student is unable to obtain the documentation listed above, he or she must contact the OSFA.

D. Certification and Signatures

Each person signing this worksheet certifies that all of the information reported on it is complete and correct.
The student must sign and date.

Student's Signature

Date

WARNING:
If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.

STUDENT'S NAME: _____ SSN or LCC ID: _____

E. IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

The student must appear in person at the Financial Aid Office at Luna Community College to verify his or her identity by presenting a 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.

Note: In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of a member of the Financial Aid Office, the following:

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I, _____, am the individual signing this
Print Student's Name

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 Luna Community College for 2013-2014.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Student's LCC ID/SSN _____

If student is unable to appear in person, see reverse side for instructions.

STUDENT'S NAME: _____ SSN or LCC ID: _____

F. IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE – (To Be Signed With Notary)

If the student is unable to appear in person at the Financial Aid Office at Luna Community College to verify his or her identity, the student must provide:

- A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (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
- The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I, _____, am the individual signing this
Print Student's Name

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 Luna Community College for 2013-2014.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Student's LCC ID/SSN _____

Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of _____

City/County of _____

On _____, before me, _____,
Date Notary's name

personally appeared, _____, and provided to me
Printed name of signer

on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification _____
Type of government-issued photo ID provided
to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal
(seal)

Notary signature

My commission expires on:

Date

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