



2019-2020

IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE AND VERIFICATION OF HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION

The student must appear in person at Colorado State University-Pueblo to verify his or her identity by presenting unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport.

Also, the student is validating they have provided official documentation to Colorado State University-Pueblo verifying their high school completion (i.e. copy of high school diploma, GED test, HiSET, TASC, or other State-authorized examination, secondary school completion credential for homeschooled, etc).

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the following:

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 Colorado State University-Pueblo for the 2019-2020 academic year.

Student's Signature PID Date Signed
Signature of CSUP staff member Date Collected

NOTE: If the student is unable to appear in person, the student is required to provide Colorado State University-Pueblo with the following:
A copy of a valid government-issued photo identification (driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport); and this original notarized statement of educational purpose signed by the applicant. Copies, emails and/or fax (facsimile) of this form will not be accepted per federal regulations.

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

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

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

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

identification \_\_\_\_\_ to be the above-named person who signed the
(Type of government-issued photo ID)

foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal
(seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary Signature)

My commission expires on \_\_\_\_\_.

THIS FORM CANNOT BE FAXED OR EMAILED. Federal Regulations require the original document be mailed to:

Colorado State University-Pueblo
Student Financial Services
2200 Bonforte Blvd
Pueblo, CO 81005
Phone: (719)549-2753

## ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS FOR HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION

- A copy of the student's high school diploma.
- For students who completed secondary education in a foreign country, a copy of the "secondary school leaving certificate" or other similar document.
- A copy of the student's final official high school transcript that shows the date when the diploma was awarded.
- A state certificate or transcript received by a student after the student passed a State-authorized examination that the State recognizes as the equivalent of a high school diploma (GED test, HiSET, TASC, or other State-authorized examination).
- 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.
- For a student who was homeschooled in a state where state law requires the student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential.
- For a student who was homeschooled in a state where law does not require the student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (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 includes a statement that the student successfully completed a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.