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Financial Aid Office

2020-2021 Identity and Educational Purpose Verification Worksheet

As part of your application for federal financial aid you were selected by the Department of Education to complete an *Identity and Educational Purpose Statement*. This statement is used to verify your identity and certifies that you will use financial aid for educational purposes only. Please complete the certification process by selecting one of the options below:

Option 1: You must appear in person at *The Albright College Office of Financial Aid* to verify your identity by presenting a valid, government-issued photo identification (ID), such as a driver's license, other state issued ID, or US Passport. Please contact the office in advance for an appointment.

Option 2: If you are unable to appear in person, you must mail this document, notarized, with a copy of a valid, government-issued photo identification (ID), such as a driver's license, other state issued ID, or US Passport.

Option 1: Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ (print name) 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 Albright College for 2020-2021.

Student's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Office Use Only: Financial Aid Administrator _____

Option 2: Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgment

State of _____ City/County of _____
On _____, before me _____ (Notary's Name),
personally appeared, _____ (student's printed name), and provided to me
on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification _____ (type of government ID provided)
to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

Student's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

WITNESS my hand and official seal:

Notary's Signature: _____ **My Commission Expires On** _____