

**IDENTITY & STATEMENT of
EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE**

2023-2024

STUDENT'S NAME: _____

OXY ID: _____

(NEW STUDENTS LEAVE BLANK)

Occidental College
Office of Financial Aid
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Instructions:

Your 2023-2024 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called Verification. Federal regulations require the Office of Financial Aid to verify specific information you provided on your 2023-2024 FAFSA prior to awarding/distributing financial aid. Therefore, you are required to submit this form and any supporting documents to the Office of Financial Aid for processing.

All students must complete either Section I or Section II below.

Section I is to be completed if you are able to appear in person at the Office of Financial Aid to verify your identity.

Section II is to be completed if you are unable to appear in person at the Office of Financial Aid to verify your identity. Once notarized, the notary must mail this form to the Occidental Office of Financial Aid with a wet signature.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at finaid@oxy.edu or call 323-259-2548.

Section I (If You Can Appear In Person)

You can appear in person at the Office of Financial Aid to verify your identity by presenting an unexpired 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 your photo ID that is annotated by the institution with the date it was received and reviewed, and the name of the official at the institution authorized to receive and review your ID.

In addition, you must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ 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 Occidental College for 2023-2024.

Student's signature

Date

Student ID

Financial Aid Officer's signature

Date

Section II (If You CANNOT Appear In Person)

If the student is unable to appear in person at the Occidental Office of Financial Aid to verify his or her identity, the student must provide BOTH:

- (a) A copy of the unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, or that is presented to a notary, such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
- (b) The original Statement of Educational Purpose provided below, which must be notarized. If the notary statement appears on a separate page than the Statement of Educational Purpose, there must be a clear indication that the Statement of Educational Purpose was the document notarized. Once notarized, the notary must mail this form to the Occidental Office of Financial Aid with a wet signature.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ 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 Occidental College for 2023-2024.

Student's signature

Date

Student ID

State of _____ City/County: _____

On ____/____/____ before me, _____, personally appeared

Notary's Name

_____ and proved to me because of satisfactorily evidence of identification

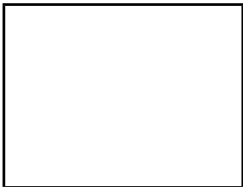
Printed Name of Signer

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

Type of unexpired Government-Issued photo ID
Provided

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL

My commission expires on: ____/____/____



Notary's signature

Date