

2022-2023 Independent Verification Worksheet

Your 2022-2023 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before processing Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information, the financial aid staff at South Piedmont Community College will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. **You must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit the form and other required documents to the Financial Aid Office at South Piedmont Community College.** We may ask for additional information. If you have questions about verification, contact the Financial Aid Office as soon as possible so that your financial aid will not be delayed.

Independent Student's Information

Student's Last Name	Student's First Name	M.I.	Student's ID Number
Student's Street Address (include apt. no.)			Student's Date of Birth
City	State	Zip Code	Student's Email Address
Student's Home Phone Number (include area code)			Student's Alternate or Cell Phone Number

Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

The student must appear in person at South Piedmont Community College to verify his or her 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 the student's 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 the student's ID.

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

Check the box that applies: In Person as the School In Front of a Notary

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing
(Print Student's Name)

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 South Piedmont Community College for 2022–2023.

(Student's Signature)	(Date)	(Student's ID Number)
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School's Official Certification

I have received and reviewed _____ government-issued ID _____
(Student Name) (Type of ID)

On _____
(Date Reviewed)

(School Official Signature) (Print Name) (Date)

(Only to be used if the student is unable to visit one of the three SPCC campuses to sign in front of one of the college officials)

**Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose
(To Be Signed in the Presence of a Notary)**

If the student is unable to appear in person at South Piedmont Community College to verify his or her identity, the student must provide to the institution:

- (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.

Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of _____

City/County of _____

On _____, before me, _____
(Date) (Notary's Name)

personally appeared, _____, and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of
(Printed name of signer)

identification _____ to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing
(type of government-issued photo ID provided)

Instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal (seal)

(Notary Signature)

My commission expires on _____
(Date)

Certifications and Signatures

Each person signing below certifies that all of the information reported is complete and correct.

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

Please note: Signature(s) must be handwritten (“wet” signatures). Electronic signatures, either typed or with a stylus, will not be accepted.

Student’s Signature

Date

Do not mail this worksheet to the U.S. Department of Education. Submit this worksheet to South Piedmont Community College Office of Financial Aid. You should make a copy of this worksheet for your records.

Please send all documents to: South Piedmont Community College Office of Financial Aid, 4205 Old Charlotte Highway, Monroe, NC 28110, or email them to finaid@spcc.edu. If you have any questions about completing this worksheet contact our office at 704-272-5300.