



2017-2018 Independent Student Verification Worksheet for Federal Student Aid Programs at Monmouth College

The information you provide on this form will be used to verify financial aid records (including information provided on the FAFSA application), create emergency contact records, and build alumni records on the campus of Monmouth College, Monmouth, Illinois. The law states that we have a right and a responsibility to request, collect and verify this information before awarding federal aid.

Level #4 addendum

Student's Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ M.I.: _____ SS#: _____ - _____ - _____

Proof of High School Completion Status

Prior to awarding any federal Title IV funding, the federal Department of Education is requiring we obtain one of the following documents indicating you have completed high school prior to beginning college in the 2017-2018 academic year:

- A copy of your 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 your final official high school transcript reflecting the date on which the diploma was awarded.
- A copy of your General Education Development (GED) certificate or GED transcript.
- An academic transcript which indicates you have successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.
- If your state law requires a homeschooled student obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), please provide a copy of such credential.
- If your state law does not require a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), please provide a transcript or the equivalent, signed by the parent or guardian, listing the secondary school courses the student completed and documenting the successful completion of the secondary school education in a homeschool setting.

Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

(To Be Signed at Monmouth College)

The student must appear in person at Monmouth 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 which is annotated with the date it was received and the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the student's ID.

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

Statement of Education Purpose

I certify that I, _____, am the individual signing this Statement of Education Purpose and the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending Monmouth College for 2017-2018.

Student's Signature

Student's ID Number

Date

Monmouth College Official (printed name)

Official's Signature

Date