



**Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose  
(To Be Signed at Coker College in front of an Office of Student Financial Planning Counselor)**

The student must appear in person at Coker College to verify his or her identity by presenting 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 collect the student’s ID.

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(To Be Signed in the Presence of a Notary)**

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

- (a) A copy of the ***valid and non-expired*** 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, which is provided below, 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.

**Statement of Educational Purpose**

I certify that I \_\_\_\_\_ am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose and  
(Print Student’s Name)

that the Federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending Coker College for 2016-2017.

\_\_\_\_\_ Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID # \_\_\_\_\_

**Notary’s Certificate of Acknowledgement**

State of \_\_\_\_\_ City/County of \_\_\_\_\_ on

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

(Student’s name) \_\_\_\_\_, and proved to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification

(Government issued photo ID) \_\_\_\_\_ to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal (Notary signature) \_\_\_\_\_ and my commission expires on (Date)

\_\_\_\_\_. Stamp your notary seal in the area of the Notary’s Certificate of Acknowledgement.

**Office of Student Financial Planning Counselor Complete**

ID Type:	ID#	Expiration Date:
OSFP Counselor:	Signature:	Date: