



Financial Aid Office Citizenship Form

Student's Legal Name _____

Student ID Number _____

The U.S. Department of Education requires that we verify your citizenship status. We must have the required documentation before we can continue processing your financial aid. Below are some example documents we can accept to verify your citizenship status. Some documents may require a second confirmation with the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). This confirmation can take up to 8 weeks for DHS to respond. Financial aid cannot be award/dispensed until the confirmation is received. Select one of the following:

	<u>STATUS</u>	<u>REQUIREMENTS</u>
	U.S. Citizen	Submit ONE of the following ORIGINAL documents in person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. birth certificate • Your U.S. passport or passport card
	U.S. Naturalized Citizen	Submit ONE of the following ORIGINAL documents in person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. passport or passport card • Certificate of Birth Aboard (FS-240, FS-545, or DS-1350) • Certificate of Citizenship (N560, N561) • Certificate of Naturalization (N550, N570)
	U.S. Permanent Resident	Submit ONE of the following ORIGINAL documents in person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Form I-551; or Resident Alien Card (form I-551) • Departure Record (form I-94A) or Arrival Departure Record (form I-94) with the endorsement: "Processed for I-551" • "Temporary I-551" or "Processed for I-551." • I-551 (also known as a "green card") is preferable to establish LPR status. The form will have an ARN annotated on it and is acceptable if the expiration date has not passed. • Temporary Evidence of Lawful Admission for Permanent Residence Valid Until Employment Authorized" or other documentation of permanent resident status.
	Refugee	Submit ONE of the following ORIGINAL documents in person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrive/Departure Record (1-94, 194A or 1-571 with proper endorsements/stamps showing admission under Section 207 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA). Refugee Travel Document (Form I-571) or the newer U.S. Travel Document annotated with "Refugee Travel Document Form I-571 (Rev. 9-2-03)."
	Victim of Human Trafficking -OR- Battered immigrant-qualified alien	Submit ONE of the following in person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of your eligibility letter from Health & Human Services (HHS) or a T-visa • Spouse, child or parent of victim may submit a copy of the victim's certification letter and a copy of their I-94 with a T1, T2, T3 or T COA code. (Proof of relation to victim must be included) • Copy of your 1-797, Notice of Action form from US Citizenship & Immigration Services (USCIS), with a valid expiration date verifying financial aid eligibility

Citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia and the republics of Palau and Marshall Islands

Citizens of Palau are eligible only for the Federal Pell Grant, Federal Supplemental Opportunity Grant or Federal Work-Study (FWS). Citizens of Micronesia and the Marshall Islands are only eligible for the Federal Pell Grant. None of these students are eligible for Federal Direct Student Loans.

Certifications and Signatures

Federal Warning: Any person who knowingly makes a false statement or misrepresentation on all forms submitted shall be subject to a fine up to \$20,000 or imprisonment or both under provisions of the U.S. Code.

I declare under penalty of perjury that all information reported on this form and all the information reported on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid which will be used to qualify for state and federal student aid is true, complete and accurate.

I certify that I have read and understand all items on this form and all information provided for my financial aid is true and correct.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____