

**21EP (Distance Student)**  
**Identity & Statement of Educational Purpose**  
**Verification Form**



Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID#: A \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:**

*If a student is unable to appear in person at Gulf Coast State College's Financial Aid Office to verify his or her identity then s/he must provide:*

- (a) A **copy** of the unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement in Section II on page 2, such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport;*
- (b) The **original** notarized "Statement of Educational Purpose" provided in Section I on page 1; **and***
- (c) The **original** "Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgment" provided in Section II on page 2;*

**Section I: Statement of Educational Purpose**

I certify that I, \_\_\_\_\_, am the individual signing this Statement of Educational  
(Print student's full name)

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 Gulf Coast State College for **2020-2021**.

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILED TO: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Section II: Certification**

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

On \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) (Notary's Name)

personally appeared, \_\_\_\_\_, and proved to  
(Printed name of signer)

me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type of government-issued photo ID provided)

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

**WITNESS my hand and official seal** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Seal) (Notary signature)

My commission expires on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

**PLEASE MAIL THE COPY OF THE PHOTO ID WITH THE ORIGINAL STATEMENT OF  
EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE AND THE NOTARY'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO THE FOLLOWING  
ADDRESS:**

Financial Aid  
Gulf Coast State College  
5230 West U.S. Hwy. 98  
Panama City, FL 32401