Office of Financial Aid



2024 - 2025 Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

(To Be Signed at the Institution)

The student must appear in person at **DeSales University** 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.

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 **DeSales University** 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 Education Purpose, there must be a clear indication that the Statement of Education Purpose was the document notarized.

Statement of Educational Purpose I certify that I am the individual signing this Statement of (Print Student's Name) Education Purpose and that the Federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for education purposes and to pay the of attending DeSales University for 2023 – 2024. (Student's Signature) (Date) (Student ID) Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement (may vary by State) State of ___ City/County of On_____ (Date), before me, ____ (Notary Name) (Printed name of signer), and proved to me on the basis of personally appeared, satisfactory evidence of identification ____ (Type of unexpired government-issued photo ID provided) to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument. WITNESS my hand and official seal _____ _____ (Notary signature) My commission expires on