Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

Student Name        Student ID Number

The student is required by federal regulation to appear in person at SUNY New Paltz to verify his or her identity by presenting an **unexpired** valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as a driver’s license, non-driver’s identification card, other State-issued identification, or U.S. passport. You will need to bring your ID to the Financial Aid Office and complete the statement below before any financial aid can be awarded. Normal business hours are Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm during fall and spring semesters and 8:00am – 4:00pm during summer and winter break. You may want to verify office availability by calling (845) 257-3250.

Please do not sign the statement below before arriving in the Financial Aid Office (Wooster Hall 124).

**Statement of Educational Purpose**

I certify that I _______________________________ am the individual signing this Statement of Educational 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 SUNY New Paltz for 2018-2019.

________________________________________________  _______________________
Student’s Signature       Date

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Office use only:
Witnessed and reviewed by:

________________________________________________  _______________________
Signature of Certified Staff Person      Date

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Printed Name of Certified Staff Person     Title

ID Presented: __________________________________________          __________________________
Document number

Copy enclosed  Yes

Yes