High School Completion Status Verification

Please provide one of the following documents confirming that you have completed high school. If you have not yet completed high school, but will complete high school before you begin Murray State College, only return this form after you have completed high school.

Check one:

_____ Attached is a copy of my high school diploma.

_____ Attached is a copy of my final official high school transcript, showing the date that my high school diploma was awarded.

_____ Attached is a copy of my General Educational Development (GED) certificate or GED transcript.

_____ Attached is an academic transcript indicating that I successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor’s degree.

_____ I was homeschooled and my State law requires a student to obtain a secondary school completion credential. Attached is a copy of that credential.

_____ I was homeschooled and my State law does not require a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential. Attached is a transcript or the equivalent, signed by my parent or guardian, that lists the secondary school courses I completed and documents the successful completion of a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.

If you are not able to obtain any of the documentation listed above, please contact the Murray State College Financial Aid Office at (580) 371-2371, Ext. 143.

Signature Section:

I certify that all information reported to qualify for federal student aid is complete and correct. I understand that if I purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, I may be fined, sentenced to jail or both.

______________________________________________
Student Name (Please print)

______________________________________________
Student Signature

______________________________________________
Date

______________________________________________
Parent Signature (Dependent Applicants Only)

______________________________________________
Date
Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

A. ____________________________ has appeared in person at Murray State College to verify his/her identity. The student has presented a valid government-issued photo identification (ID) which is attached.

Murray State College Official ____________________________ Date __________

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 Murray State College for 2014-2015.

______________________________________   SSN   ____________________________
Student’s signature   Date

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

   a. A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, such as but not limited to a driver’s license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
   b. The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose.

Notary’s Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of ____________________________
City/County of ____________________________
On ____________________________, before me, ____________________________,
(Date) (Notary’s name)
personally appeared, ____________________________, and provided to me
(Printed name of signer)
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)

Return to: Murray State College, Financial Aid Office, One Murray Campus, Tishomingo OK 73460