Your 2025–2026 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you, and your parents, if a dependent student, reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information the financial aid administrator will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. You, and at least one parent if you are a dependent student, must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit the form and required documents to the Office of Financial Aid

## IDENTITY & STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE (To Be Signed at the Institution)

- 1. The student <u>must appear in person</u> at Western New England University to verify their identity by presenting an *unexpired* valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to:
  - driver's license
  - other state-issued ID
  - passport

2. In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the Statement of Educational Purp (t)5 (e)ioanse

## **CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURES**

Each person signing this worksheet certifies that all the information reported is complete and correct. If student is dependent, the parent whose information was reported on the FAFSA must sign and date.

Student's Signature

Parent's Signature (required if student is dependent)

*Spouse's Signature* (optional if student is independent)

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Date

Date

Date

## Return in person or by postal mail to:

Western New England University Office of Financial Aid 1215 Wilbraham Road Springfield MA 01119-2684

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