

## Identity/Statement of Educational Purpose (To Be Signed with Notary)

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

- 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
- The original notarized Statement of Education Purpose provided below.

### Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I \_\_\_\_\_ am the individual signing this  
(Print Student's Name)

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 **Bismarck State College** for 2024-2025.

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

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Student's ID Number \_\_\_\_\_

### 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)

**Forms Must Be Mailed:**  
Bismarck State College  
Financial Aid  
P.O. Box 5587  
Bismarck, ND 58506-5587  
**\*\*Attach a copy of Government-Issued ID**