# 2025-2026 IDENTITY STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

Your 2025-2026 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for a process called "Verification" by the U.S. Department of Education. Please complete this worksheet and sign the form. **Complete the entire form. Incomplete worksheets will be returned to you. We cannot determine eligibility until all required documents are received and reviewed. Note: Section B of this worksheet must be completed in the presence of a Metro Tech Financial Aid Administrator.**

1. Complete all sections of this worksheet – you must sign the certification (Section B & C) on this worksheet. Submit the completed worksheet and any other required documents to the Financial Assistance office.

## A. STUDENT INFORMATION

| First Name | Last Name | Last 4 of SS# | Date of Birth |
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| Phone Number (include area code) | | Email Address | |
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## B. STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

**The student must appear in-person at Metro Tech 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.**

**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 Metro Tech for 2025-2026.**

_____ _____ _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE LAST 4 OF SS# DATE

***For Office Use only***

Date _____ Copy of Photo ID _____ Initials _____

***WARNING**: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, sentenced to jail or both.*

### C. CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURES – STUDENT MUST SIGN

I certify that all of the information reported on this worksheet is complete and correct. I understand that if I purposely give false or misleading information, I could be fined, jailed, or both.

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STUDENT SIGNATURE DATE