Your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for a process called verification. Federal regulations require we check the accuracy of the information provided on the 2018-2019 FAFSA. Final eligibility for aid cannot be determined until the requested documentation is received and reviewed.

- Three items that need to be verified: Completion of High School or its Equivalent, Identity Confirmation and Statement of Education Purpose* (must be completed in person at the College or via notary)

### Completion of High School or its Equivalent:
Provide one of the following documents that indicate the student’s high school completion status when the student will begin college in 2018-2019:

- A copy of the student’s high school diploma.
- A copy of the student’s final official high school transcript that shows the date when the diploma was awarded.
- A copy of the student’s General Educational Development (GED) certificate or GED transcript.
- An academic transcript that indicates the student successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor’s degree.
- A homeschooled student must provide a Home Education Affidavit

If the student is unable to obtain the documentation listed above, he or she must contact the financial aid office.

☐ Check here if you previously provided this documentation to Palm Beach State College.
Certification and Signatures

Each person signing this form certifies that all information reported is complete and correct. The student and one parent/spouse whose information was reported on FAFSA must sign and date.

**WARNING:** If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both. All information provided on this worksheet will be used if it differs from what was entered on the original FAFSA submitted.

**Note:** Additional information may be requested upon the review of this form. Please monitor your Pantherweb for any additional RED FLAGS. Click on "Document Details" for further explanation.

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Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose (To Be Signed at the Institution)

The student **must appear in person** at Palm Beach State College 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.

**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 Palm Beach State College for 2018-2019.

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If you are unable to appear in person, see notarized option on the following page.
**Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose** (To Be Signed with Notary)

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

- A copy of the unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, or that is presented to a notary, such as, but not limited to, a driver’s license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
- The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose provided below. The original Statement of Educational Purpose provided below, which must be notarized. If the notary statement appears on a separate page than the Statement of Educational Purpose, there must be a clear indication that the Statement of Educational Purpose was the document notarized.

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______________________  ________________________________  __________
Student’s Signature  Student’s ID Number  Date

**Notary’s Certificate of Acknowledgment**

State of___________________________________________________

City/County of ___________________________________________________

On _________________________, before me, ________________________
(Date) (Notary’s Name)

personally appeared _______________________, and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification _______________________________

(Type of government issues photo ID provided)

to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

My commission expires on

______________________  ________________________________
(Seal) (Notary Signature) (Date)