



2020-2021

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

The student must appear in person at Samuel Merritt University 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 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.

**Identity and 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 Samuel Merritt University for 2020-2021.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Financial Aid Administrator

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Financial Aid Administrator Signature

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Date