2026-2027 Identity Verification Instructions

The U.S. Department of Education (USDE) has selected your 2026-2027 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for Identity Verification.

To complete the Identity Verification process, please bring your unexpired valid identification to the financial aid office for reviewed. A copy of you identification will be added to your financial aid record.

If you are unable to appear in person at the financial aid office, you must have your unexpired valid identification photocopied and notarized by a notary. The notary must notarize the photocopy of your identification. The notary may not notarize the validity of your identification on a separate sheet of paper.

The notary is then responsible for delivering the photocopy of your identification to the financial aid office. The notary must bring their own identification with them for review by our office.

If you need assistance with completing the Identity Verification process, please email the financial aid office at finaid@atlanticcape.edu.