



OFFICE OF STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

**2020-2021  
Verification of High School Completion Status**

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

UMES ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide one of the following documents to indicate your high school completion status when you begin attending college in 2020–2021 and check the appropriate box to indicate the document that you have submitted to the Office of Admissions:

- A copy of your high school diploma.
- If you've completed a secondary education in a foreign country, a copy of the "secondary school leaving certificate" or other similar document is required.
- A copy of your final official high school transcript that shows the date when the diploma was awarded.
- A State certificate or transcript received by you after passing a State-authorized examination that the State recognizes as the equivalent of a high school diploma (ex: GED test, HiSET, TASC, or other State-authorized examination).
- An academic transcript that indicates that you've successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.
- If you were homeschooled in a State where State law requires you to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential.
- If you were homeschooled in a State where State law does not require you to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a transcript, or the equivalent, signed by your parent or guardian, that lists the secondary school courses you've completed and includes a statement that you've successfully completed a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.

**If you are unable to obtain the documentation listed above, please contact the Office of Student Financial Aid for further assistance.**

*By signing this worksheet, you certify that all information reported on this worksheet is complete and accurate. If you purposefully give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sentenced to jail, or both.*

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Student's Signature

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Date

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Parent's Signature (if a dependent student)

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Date