



Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

This document is only to be completed if requested by the Office of Financial Aid. You are required to complete this form in the presence of an Office of Financial Aid Representative with the required photo ID.

The student must appear in person at **Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute** to verify his or her identity by presenting valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver’s license (please send in a copy of front and back), 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 the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the student’s ID.

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the following:

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing
(Print Student’s Name)
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
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute for 2023-2024.

Student’s Signature

Date

Rensselaer ID Number (RIN)