



RETURN TO:
Financial Aid Office
8045 E. Chapman Ave., Rm. E-104
Orange, CA 92869-4512 (714) 628-4876

Last First Middle Initial
Student ID#: _____
Academic Year: _____

CITIZENSHIP/ELIGIBLE NON-CITIZEN VERIFICATION

Your citizenship status **was not** confirmed by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). Federal law requires a financial aid recipient of federal student aid to be either a United States citizen or an eligible non-citizen. In order to verify your status, please submit this completed form **and provide the original document(s) in person**. Our office will make the photocopy. Select the category below which best describes your current status.

1. I AM A UNITED STATES CITIZEN (Check the one that applies to you)

- Birth Certificate
- U.S. Passport (*Limited passports are not eligible*)
- Passport Card
- Naturalization Certification
- Form FS-240 (Consular Report of Birth Abroad), FS-545 (Certificate of birth issued by a Foreign Service post), Or DS-1350 (Certification of Report of Birth)
- A Certificate of Citizenship (N-560 or N-561) issued by USCIS
- Other _____

2. I AM A PERMANENT RESIDENT (Check the one that applies to you)

- Alien Registration Card I-551, I-151 or I-551C
- Passport stamped "Processed for I-551"
- Departure Report (Form I-94) stamped "Processed for I-551" or "Temporary Form I-551"
- Other _____

3. I AM AN ELIGIBLE NON-CITIZEN (Check the one that applies to you)

Attach your Departure Record (Form I-94 or I-94A) with a stamp indicating the following:

- "Refugee"
- "Asylum Granted"
- "Indefinite Parolee" and/or "Humanitarian Parolee"
- "Cuban-Haitian Entrant. Status Pending"
- Other _____

YOU ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE FEDERAL STUDENT FINANCIAL AID IF YOU ARE:

- An applicant for permanent resident status and not in a category listed above.
- A student with an F1, F2, J1, J2 or G series VISA.
- A student, living in the United States, with only a Form I-688 "Temporary Resident Card", or Form I-688A or I-688B for Employment Authorization only.
- Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) status
- A student with a U-Visa (*U-Visa holders may convert to lawful permanent resident status after they have physically been present in the United States for a continuous period of at least three years on their U-Visa and meet other eligibility criteria*)

Certifications and Signatures

The student whose information was reported on the FAFSA must sign and date. The person signing below certifies that all of the information reported is complete and correct.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.

Student Signature Date

Non-Discrimination Policy

The Rancho Santiago Community College District is committed to equal opportunity in educational programs, employment, and all access to institutional programs and activities. The District, and each individual who represents the District, shall provide access to its services, classes, and programs without regard to national origin, religion, age, gender, gender identity, gender expression, race or ethnicity, color, medical condition, genetic information, ancestry, sexual orientation, marital status, pregnancy, or military and veteran status, or because he or she is perceived to have one or more of the foregoing characteristics, or based on association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics. The Chancellor shall establish administrative procedures that ensure all members of the college community can present complaints regarding alleged violations of this policy and have their complaints heard in accordance with the Title 5 regulations and those of other agencies that administer state and federal laws regarding nondiscrimination. No District funds shall ever be used for membership, or for any participation involving financial payment or contribution on behalf of the District or any individual employed by or associated with it, to any private organization whose membership practices are discriminatory on the basis of national origin, religion, age, gender, gender identity, gender expression, race, color, medical condition, genetic information, ancestry, sexual orientation, marital status, physical or mental disability, pregnancy, or military and veteran status, or because he or she is perceived to have one or more of the foregoing characteristics, or because of his or her association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics. Inquiries regarding compliance and/or grievance procedures may be directed to: **Rancho Santiago Community College District** Title IX Officer and Section 504/ADA Coordinator John Didion 2323 N. Broadway Santa Ana, CA 92706 Phone: (714) 480-7489 [O:\FORMS & Letters\Word Forms\FORMS-Non-Year Specific\Citizenship Eligible Non-Citizen Verification.docx](#)