

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

**You must meet one of the following criteria before receiving federal financial aid:**

- Have a high school diploma (in Oregon, “modified” is eligible but “extended” is not), or
- Eligible alternative: Complete high school via homeschool (and, until 18, annual registration with ESD), or
- Have a recognized equivalent:
  - General Education Development certificate (GED), or
  - State-recognized test and certificate of high school completion (not applicable in Oregon), or
  - Associate’s degree that is fully transferrable to a bachelor’s degree, or
  - Documentation of excelling in high school (not applicable in Oregon or for Certificate students), or
- Grandfathered-in eligibility: If, prior to July 1, 2012, you attended a Title IV eligible program\* and
  - met minimum scores on an approved Ability to Benefit (ATB) test, or
  - completed at least 6 program credits (If not at RCC, must be certified by your prior college.)

**Complete the appropriate statement, sign below, and submit (documentation may be requested).**

- I earned my qualifying high school diploma \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.  
month/year High School Name, City and State
- I WILL earn my qualifying high school diploma before I begin college in the 2022/2023 school year.
- I earned my GED \_\_\_\_\_ (month/year).
- I completed high school in a home-schooling setting \_\_\_\_\_ (month/year).
- I passed a state-recognized high school proficiency exam \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_.  
month/year state
- I excelled in high school (provide state documentation).
- I completed a two-year program that is acceptable for credit toward a bachelor’s degree (provide official transcripts).
- I am eligible to be grandfathered-in per the above rules.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Submit completed form to:

**Financial Aid Advising**

3345 Redwood Highway, Grants Pass, OR 97527

**General Phone:** 541.956.7501 **Fax:** 541.471.3585

**Email:** Refer to [www.roguecc.edu/RCCfinAid/contact.asp](http://www.roguecc.edu/RCCfinAid/contact.asp)  
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