



# Private Education Loan Applicant Self-Certification

this form or the required information only for students admitted or enrolled at the school. Throughout this Applicant Self-Certification, *you* and *your* refer to the applicant who is applying for the loan. The applicant and the student may be the same person.

Instructions: Before signing, carefully read the entire form, including the definitions and other information on the following page. Submit the signed form to your lender.

## SECTION 1: NOTICES TO APPLICANT

- Free or lower-cost Title IV federal, state, or school student financial aid may be available in place of, or in addition to, a private education loan. To apply for Title IV federal grants, loans and work-study, submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) available at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov), or by calling 1-800-4-FED-AID, or from the school's financial aid office.
- A private education loan may reduce eligibility for free or lower-cost federal, state, or school student financial aid.
- You are STRONGLY encouraged to pursue the availability of free or lower-cost financial aid with the school's financial aid office.
- The financial information required to complete this form can be obtained from the school's financial aid office. If the lender has provided this information, you should contact your school's financial aid office to verify this information and to discuss your financing options.

## SECTION 2: COST OF ATTENDANCE AND ESTIMATED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

If information is not already entered below, obtain the needed information from the school's financial aid office and enter it on the appropriate line. Sign and date where indicated. See Section 5 for definitions of financial aid terms.

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| A. Student's cost of attendance for the period of enrollment covered by the loan   | \$ _____   |
| B. Estimated financial assistance for the period of enrollment covered by the loan | \$ _____   |
| C. Difference between amounts A and B  | \$ _____, Zip Code _____<br>Area Code / Telephone Number H z _____ |

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