



MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY™
STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

This Form with Required Supporting Documents can be submitted via:

- sfa.msstate.edu/dawg-documents
- Post Office Box 6035
Mississippi State, MS 39762-6035

**SPECIAL NON-DEGREE CERTIFICATION FORM
2025-2026**

Student's Name _____

MSU ID (9-digit) _____

This form is for eligible Special Non Degree students to satisfy the federal financial aid non-degree enrollment eligibility requirement. **Special Non Degree (SND) students should complete the Student Information, the Enrollment Schedule, and sign the Student Statement before taking this form to your Academic Advisor for a signature.** SND students must submit the completed form to the Department of Student Financial Aid before federal financial aid will be processed. **This form will need to be completed each semester in which aid is requested.** Visit <https://www.sfa.msstate.edu/types-of-aid/general-student-eligibility-requirements/non-degree-students/> for additional information.

Student Information:			
Student Name:	Last:	First:	M.I.:
Student Phone Number:			
Enrollment Period:	Semester: _____	Year: _____	
Intended Degree Program:			

Enrollment Schedule:			
Symbol:	Number:	Section:	Course Description:

Student Certification Statement:

I understand that to be eligible for federal financial aid as a Special Non Degree, I must have **received a high school diploma** or **received a GED**. Please check the appropriate box below:

- I graduated from high school with a **high school diploma** (MUST attach a copy to this form)
- I received a **GED** (MUST attach a copy to this form)

- I understand that I must be enrolled in a minimum of six (6) credit hours of courses that are required to enter a degree program.
- I understand that as a non-degree student, I am **only eligible** for the **Federal Direct Stafford Loan** and/or **the Federal Direct PLUS Loan** and only for **twelve (12) consecutive months**.
- I understand that I cannot apply for financial aid as a non-degree student if my intentions are to be enrolled in a certificate program (this **excludes the Teach Mississippi Institute (TMI) Program**).

Student Signature: _____	Date: _____
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Academic Advisor Certification Statement:

I certify that for the above named student a **minimum of six credit hours of the courses listed above are required for entry into the above listed Intended Degree Program**. I also certify this student is **NOT** enrolled as a **non-degree student with the intentions of receiving a certificate** from MSU (Excluding the teacher certification).

Signature of Academic Advisor Official: _____	Date: _____
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