

2016-2017
**Financial Aid Guidelines &
Regulations Acknowledgement**

As part of your financial aid file completion process at Finlandia, we require all students to read over the below items and sign/date the bottom as acknowledgement that you have been informed and understand the information that is presented before you.

Student Name: _____ Student ID: _____

- I am aware that all required documentation requested by the Office of Financial Aid must be completed before any aid will be applied towards my student bill at Finlandia University.
- I will not receive a Federal Pell Grant from more than one school for the same period of time
- I agree, if asked, to provide information that will verify the accuracy of my financial aid application. This information may include U.S. or state income tax information that I filed or am required to file.
- I understand that Finlandia University has the authority to request documentation required to verify the accuracy of my financial aid application.
- I understand that the U.S. Secretary of Education has the authority to verify information used to apply for federal student aid with the Internal Revenue Service and other federal agencies.
- I understand to remain eligible to receive financial aid I must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress toward the completion of my academic program, the requirements for which are published at <http://www.finlandia.edu/sap-satisfactory-academic-progress.html>.
- I understand that withdrawing, dropping, or not attending my classes may lead to the reduction or cancellation of financial aid and that it is my responsibility to consult with the Finlandia University Office of Financial Aid prior to changing my course load.
- I understand that the financial aid award that I receive is tentative, based on the information provided to the University. I also acknowledge that this award could be changed if any additional information is presented or if awarding/aid/budget amounts have been adjusted.
- I understand that if I am awarded funding from the State of Michigan, that it could be adjusted at any point due to state budget and/or funding decisions and/or reaching your award limit. It may also be adjusted due to additional information that is received by the Office of Financial Aid.
- I acknowledge that Federal Student Aid has limits to the amount of aid (federal grants and loans) that can be received by a student over their undergraduate career. Information on the government's grant and loan programs can be viewed here: <http://studentaid.ed.gov/types/grants-scholarships> and <http://studentaid.ed.gov/types/loans>.
- I understand that I can log on to the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) at any point to view the federal student loans that I have borrowed at www.nsls.ed.gov.
- If I sign any document related to the federal student aid programs electronically using a federal student aid (FSA) ID, I certify that I am the person identified by the FSA ID and I have not disclosed that ID to anyone else.
- I understand that purposely providing false or misleading information to obtain student financial aid is a federal offense punishable by fines, imprisonment, or both.

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____ **Student ID #:** _____