

## High School Completion Status

Your FAFSA was selected for a review process called “verification”. The Department of Education randomly selects the FAFSA’s chosen for verification and not Trine University. Because Trine University administers federal financial aid programs we are required to request, collect, and verify information submitted through the FAFSA and adjust or cancel aid accordingly. It is the student’s responsibility to comply in a timely manner with all requests for documentation. Trine does not take responsibility for changes made to financial aid when paperwork is submitted late. For an accurate bill it is best to submit the requested paperwork as soon as you are able. Every time you submit a FAFSA you have a chance of being selected for verification.

**Provide one of the following documents to Trine University that provides proof the student completed high school or its equivalent:**

- A copy of the student’s high school diploma.
- A copy of the student’s final official high school transcript that shows the date when the diploma was awarded.
- A copy of the student’s General Educational Development (GED) certificate, GED transcript, or other State-authorized examination certificate recognized as the equivalent of a high school diploma.
- An academic transcript that indicates the student successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor’s degree.
- If state law requires a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential.
- If state law does not require a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a transcript or the equivalent, signed by the student's parent or guardian, that lists the secondary school courses the student completed and documents the successful completion of a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.
- A copy of the student’s Military Discharge Record (such as a DD 214)

If the student is unable to obtain the documentation listed above, he or she must contact the Office of Financial Aid.

**Please Return To:**

**Trine University**  
Financial Aid Office  
1 University Ave  
Angola, IN 46703

**Main Campus**  
800-347-4878  
260-665-4511 fax

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877-294-4878  
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