

MOORPARK • OXNARD • VENTURA FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

ABILITY TO BENEFIT FORM

Student's Name

SSN/ID

The Financial Aid Office received information that you do not have a high school diploma or equivalent or we have conflicting information regarding your high school graduation status.

Please use this form to confirm your high school graduation status and return it to our office:

Effective for students who first enroll in a program of study on or after July 1, 2012, the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2012 (Public Law 112-74) eliminated the provisions under §484(d) (1), (2), and (4) of the HEA. Under those provisions, a student who did not have a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent could establish eligibility for Title IV student financial assistance by passing an independently administered examination approved by the U. S. Department of Education (an "approved Ability-To-Benefit (ATB) test") or by successfully completing six college degree units.

Please check the box of the statement that best fits your educational status.

High School Graduate:

- I have attached a copy of my high school diploma (includes a foreign high school diploma).

Graduation Year and Month ____/____

Name of High School _____

Address of High School _____
City State Zip Code

- I have attached a copy of my State High School Proficiency Examination.

- I have attached a copy of my General Education Development (GED) test results.

Non High School Graduate:

- I **do not** meet any of the three statements above.

Students who do not have a high school diploma or its equivalent and are beyond the age of compulsory education (18 in California) **are not eligible to receive financial aid.**

Please contact our office if you were enrolled in a program of study prior to July 1, 2012 and took and passed an approved Ability to Benefit Examination or successfully completed a minimum of 6 college degree-applicable units.

Note: The Financial Aid Office must confirm successful completion of this requirement.

The person signing this form certifies that all the information reported on it is complete and correct.

Student's Signature

Date

VENTURA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

