

**Minnesota State Colleges and Universities**  
**Alliss Educational Foundation Grant**  
***Certification Form***

(This form must be filled out and taken with you when you register in order to receive the grant.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

Term: \_\_\_\_\_

**Eligibility Certification**

(To be eligible for the Alliss Grant, all points below must be checked.)

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a legal Minnesota resident.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have been out of high school for at least seven years.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am either enrolling in a college for the first time, or have not enrolled for college credit for at least seven years.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have not earned a bachelor's or higher degree.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will enroll in a community college course that is a transferable course that would be accepted as an integral academic part of an A.A., A.S., or A.A.S. degree program, or a preliminary or developmental-level course if it is required to start a degree program. (I understand that certificate and diploma programs are ineligible as are on-the-job and customized training courses.)

\_\_\_\_\_ I have not received financial aid at the time the Alliss Educational Grant is submitted for these same credits.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Questions should be directed to the community college admissions office.*

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NOTE: The college is asking you to provide information which includes private and/or confidential information under state and federal law. The college is asking for this information in order to process your application.

You are not legally required to provide the information the college is requesting; however the college may not be able to effectively process your application if you do not provide sufficient information. With some exceptions, unless you consent to further release of private information, access to this information will be limited to school officials, including faculty who have legitimate educational interests in the information. Under certain circumstances, federal and state laws authorize release of private information without your consent:

- To other schools in which you seek or intend to enroll, or are enrolled, if you are first notified of the release;
- To federal, state or local officials for the purposes of program compliance, audit or evaluation;
- As appropriate in connection with your application for, or receipt of, financial aid;
- To your parents, if your parents claim you as a dependent student for tax purposes;
- If the information is sought with a subpoena, court order, or otherwise permitted by other state or federal law; and
- To an institution engaged in educational research or accrediting agency.

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