# Initial Certification of Full-Time School Attendance

Reference			
Date (mm/dd/yyyy)			
Claim number <b>CSF</b>		(suffix)	
Name of deceased employe	e		
Name of child			
Date of death (mm/dd/yyyy)	On roll?	Yes	No

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		Non-recognized school Other <i>(specify)</i>		Benefits specialist		
	Inspector		Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)		

1.	Student's name	e (first, middle, last) 2	Student's date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	3. Student's Social Security Number
4.	Is the student n	narried? Yes ► If "Yes," show the date at right, s No form.)	ign item 7 of this part, and sary to complete the rest of the	Date of marriage (mm/dd/yyyy)
	Current Status		ow the date the student last attended a full-time basis.	Last attended school (mm/dd/yyyy)
	Future Plans	year, does the student intend to continue as a full-time student with less than a 5-month break between school years?	If "Yes," give the details in items 6a and If "No" or "Undecided," go to item 7. and mailing address (including ZIP co	
		date) the next school year or term begins after current enrollment <i>(month, day, year)</i> .		
	Payee Signs	7. I certify that all information given in this certification is I must immediately notify the Office of Personnel Man school attendance, reduces attendance to less than fu student benefits, including overpayments that may be appropriate school official to verify the student's school	agement (OPM) if the student transfers ill-time, marries, or dies. I further agree erroneously made after I notify OPM o	to another school, discontinues e to return all overpayments of f any terminating event. I authorize the
	Here	Signature of payee	Email address Daytime	e telephone number Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

## Part B - To be completed by an official of the educational institution for the school year

					(month, year	r) (month, year)
,					<ol> <li>Official ending date of the school year (mm/dd/yyyy)</li> </ol>	
	Yes No					
6. Show a. If co b. If h	the type of educational institution: h school de school chnical institute the total school hours per week: ollege or equivalent, show credit hours igh school or equivalent, show actual clock	hours	ther (specify)			ete name and mailing address ode) of the educational institution.
	a work-study program sponsored by the se					
	w hours at work		<b>→</b> _			
	te items 7 and 8 below if your institution	n is <b>not</b> a sta	ate college, s	state university,	or public high sch	hool.
	the complete name and address (including nization which accredits, licenses, or otherward otherward and a structure of the			8. If the educat	tional institution is lic	censed, show:
orga		100 1000g1120		a. Current li	cense number:	b. Expiration date of current license (mm/dd/yyyy)
	I certify that the information given in regard to reques above-named student is true and correct to the best					intentionally false statement, willful material fact, or use of a writing or
School Official Signs	Signature of principal, administrator, regist		Telephone n		document knowi fictitious, or fraud	ing the same to contain a false, Julent statement or entry, is a violation able by a fine of not more than \$10,000
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4.	Is the student n	narried? Yes ► If "Yes," show the date at right, s No form.)	ign item 7 of this part, and sary to complete the rest of the	Date of marriage (mm/dd/yyyy)
	Current Status		ow the date the student last attended a full-time basis.	Last attended school (mm/dd/yyyy)
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,					<ol> <li>Official ending date of the school year (mm/dd/yyyy)</li> </ol>	
	Yes No					
6. Show a. If co b. If h	the type of educational institution: h school de school chnical institute the total school hours per week: ollege or equivalent, show credit hours igh school or equivalent, show actual clock	hours	ther (specify)			ete name and mailing address ode) of the educational institution.
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4.	Is the student n	narried? Yes ► If "Yes," show the date at right, sign No form.)	nt, sign item 7 of this part, and cessary to complete the rest of the			
	Current Status		Last attended school (mm/dd/yyyy) the date the student last attended full-time basis.			
Future Plans		year, does the student intend to continue as a full-time student with less than a 5-month break between school years?	If "Yes," give the details in items 6a and 6b. If "No" or "Undecided," go to item 7. ne and mailing address (including ZIP code) of the educational institution the			
	Plans	date) the next school year or term begins after current enrollment <i>(month, day, year)</i> .				
Payee Signs	Signs	7. I certify that all information given in this certification is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that I must immediately notify the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) if the student transfers to another school, discontinues school attendance, reduces attendance to less than full-time, marries, or dies. I further agree to return all overpayments of student benefits, including overpayments that may be erroneously made after I notify OPM of any terminating event. I authorize the appropriate school official to verify the student's school attendance status to OPM in the manner requested by that agency.				
	Here	Signature of payee F	Email address Daytime telephone number Date (mm/dd/yyyy) ( )			

## Part B - To be completed by an official of the educational institution for the school year

					(month, year	r) (month, year)
full-tim	Is/was the student enrolled in and attending a full-time course of resident study or training (not correspondence) for the period requested?					<ol> <li>Official ending date of the school year (mm/dd/yyyy)</li> </ol>
	Yes No					
6. Show a. If co b. If h	the type of educational institution: h school de school chnical institute the total school hours per week: ollege or equivalent, show credit hours igh school or equivalent, show actual clock	hours —	ther (specify)			ete name and mailing address ode) of the educational institution.
c. If in a work-study program sponsored by the school,						
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orga		100 1000g1120		a. Current li	cense number:	b. Expiration date of current license (mm/dd/yyyy)
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Here	Title		Date (mm/dd/yyyy)			