

International Student Financial Documentation

International students must secure financial support to meet their educational and living expenses each academic year. The total amount of expenses is based on average costs for tuition, fees, books and supplies, insurance, and room and board.

When Financial Documentation is Required

You must provide updated financial documentation for a new I-20 or DS-2019, if requested by the Office of International Services (OIS), for the following reasons:

<i>Academic Changes/Requests</i>	<i>Other Changes/Requests</i>
Change of Education Level	Updated Finances
Add Concurrent Major/Degree	Dependent I-20
Extension of Stay	F-1 Reinstatement
Post-Completion Academic Training	New Initial I-20 to regain status

Amount to Show

F-1 students must verify financial documentation for **one academic year** (three academic terms and one vacation term), or the duration of your program, whichever is less. J-1 students must show funding for the entire period of their program or extension. The tables on the other side of this form show specific financial information for the current academic year.

Financial documentation will remain valid for one year from the date it is submitted and can be used for other requests during that time. For new students, this includes the financial documentation submitted with the admission application. If you submitted financial documentation during the last year, but it does not cover the full amount you must show now, you must submit additional documentation that shows your ability to cover the difference.

Acceptable Forms of Financial Documentation

You may submit financial documentation from a single or multiple sources of funding for yourself, your family, or any third-party sponsor. Documentation should be written in English or include an English translation. Funding should be shown in U.S. dollars. You may include a printout of the conversion from foreign currency to U.S. dollars using OANDA.com. Copies or electronic documents are acceptable.

<i>Acceptable</i>	<i>Not Acceptable</i>
Personal bank or savings account statement	Retirement fund accounts
Family member's bank or savings account statement*	Stock certificates
Assistantship award letter	Real estate holdings
Scholarship award letter	Letter of good financial standing from bank
Home country/employer sponsorship award letter	

Affidavit of Support

The Office of International Services (OIS) asks spouses, relatives, and other personal sponsors to complete the "OSU Affidavit of Support" form when funds held in their name are provided as financial documentation by an international student. The affidavit of support helps OIS employees confirm the legitimacy of financial documentation presented by the student.

The form can be picked up at the OIS office or downloaded from our *OIS Forms and Documents* [webpage](#).

Sponsored Students

If you are sponsored by your home government or cultural mission, or a foreign employer, you need to show updated financial documentation that covers your current major field of study or degree level and is valid for the period of the I-20 extension. You should secure the appropriate documentation from your sponsor before requesting a new I-20 or DS-2019. If your current financial guarantee does not cover the entire period, you may also need to show additional proof of funding.

OSU Degree Seeking Students 2016-2017 Financial Table

	Undergraduate	Graduate	MBA	Engineering Grad
Tuition and Fees	\$30,000	\$24,000	\$35,100	\$25,600
Room and Board	\$12,300	\$12,300	\$12,300	\$12,300
Books, Supplies and Ins.	\$6,400	\$6,400	\$6,400	\$6,400
	\$48,700	\$42,700	\$53,800	\$44,300

Other Graduate Differential Tuition

	MPH	PSM	PharmD	Vet. Medicine
Tuition and Fees	\$28,300	\$26,900	\$31,000	\$46,300
Room and Board	\$12,300	\$12,300	\$12,300	\$12,300
Books, Supplies and Ins.	\$6,400	\$6,400	\$6,400	\$6,400
	\$47,000	\$45,600	\$49,700	\$65,000

Undergraduate and Graduate Sponsored Students

Sponsored students must provide financial documentation letters showing valid and current proof of funding.

Undergraduate and Graduate J-1 Students

J-1 students must show funding for the entire period of their program or extension.

Additional Funds Must be Shown for Dependents

Total Amount	First Dependent: \$10,300 (\$2,575 per quarter)
	Each Additional Dependent: \$4,500 (\$1,125 per quarter)

INTO OSU Students (Academic English, General English, and Pathway) 2016-2017 Financial Table

Program Type	Tuition and Fees	Room and Board	Books, Supplies and Ins.	Total
Undergraduate Pathway	\$29900	\$12300	\$6400	\$48600
Graduate Pathway	\$29900	\$12300	\$6400	\$48600

	3-Month	6-Month	9-Month	Academic Year
Academic English	\$10405	\$20810	\$31215	\$35871
Study Abroad w/ English	\$14625	\$29250	\$43875	\$48531
General English	5 Week - \$4740	10 Week - \$9480	15 Week - \$13770	20 Week - \$18360
	25 Week - \$22325	30 Week - \$29465	Academic Year - \$37346	