

F-1 INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

Certificate of Financial Responsibility

Student ID#:

Please read this form carefully before completing. Then email with supporting documentation to lnternationalAdmit@nic.edu

The United States Immigration and Naturalization Service requires an international student to show evidence of sufficient funds to meet the costs to study in the US. The funds noted below must equal or exceed your estimated expenses to attend North Idaho College for 1 academic year. You should be prepared to have similar funds for subsequent years of study. (Note: Financial Aid and Scholarships are not provided to International students). International students may need to take 15 credits/semester to complete their program in 2 years. See www.NIC.edu/tuition (Non-resident column) for tuition costs.

Cost of Attendance for 1 Academic year:						
Tuition/fees (up to 30 credits/year)	\$11,100					
Residence Hall (\$2300/semester at 2 semesters)	4,600					
Meal plan (\$2150/semester at 2 semesters)	4,300					
Books	600					
Personal/travel/health insurance/food/misc	6,000					
Total for 1 academic year	<u>\$26,600</u> *					
* add \$8000 for each F-2 dependent						

A. SOURCE OF FUNDS: Check the box(es) of your source(s) of funds.	US DOLLARS						
1. Student's own funds - Sign in Box C below. See page 2, Box E, for required documents.							
2. Parents' or Family funds—Sign in Box B below. See page 2, Box E, for required documents.							
3. Sponsor or friend—Sign in Box B below. See page 2, Box E, for required documents.							
4. NIC Athletic Department: Athletes must have a signed LOI (Letter of Intent) on file at NIC:							
Coach signature: Date:							
Athletic Director signature: Date:							
TOTAL (in US Dollars) must be EQUAL TO or GREATER than \$26,600							
B. Family Member/Sponsor/Friend Certification (only complete if #2 or #3 above is checked:							
This is to certify that I have agreed to provide the amount of funds stated above to the student for the purpose of full-time study at North Idaho College (NIC). This commitment will continue for the duration of the student's course of study. I understand that is not the responsibility of NIC to provide financial assistance to the student. The evidence of my resources is attached per page 2, Box E.							
Name of Relative/Sponsor/Friend (printed): Relationship to S	tudent:						
Complete Address:							
Signature of Relative/Sponsor/Friend (hand signed):	_ Date:						
C. Student certification: Student must read and sign regardless of funding source.							
I certify that the above information provided is a correct statement of my arrangements for financing my studies, and I understand that ultimately, I am responsible for any debts incurred while attending North Idaho College. I understand the costs listed above are estimates and subject to change without notice. Falsification of my financial status in order to obtain an I-20 is a violation of United States law and may subject me to revocation of my visa. I understand that NIC may verify the authenticity with the issuing institution of any documentation I provide.							
Student name (printed): Date:							
Student signature (must be hand signed):							

D. DEPENDENTS: Will you be bringing dependents to the US?								
You must complete this section if you intend to bring dependents with you. You must be prepared to provide proof to the consular official of sufficient funds for each accompanying dependent. Add \$8,000 USD (including mandatory health insurance) for each dependent to your total Financial Responsibility on page 1, Box A:								
Name as written in passport (Last name, First name)	Birthdate (MM/DD/YY)	Country of Birth	Country of Citizenship	Gender (Male or Female)	Relationship To Student			

E. FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS:

Attach a supporting financial document with the following requirements for each funding source from page 1:

- Dated less than 3 months old
- Must be in English
- Currency is identified
- Be in account holder's name noted in Box B or C
- Bear the printed name <u>and</u> signature of the banking official
- Have an official banking stamp or seal
- Be on letterhead from the banking agency

ACCEPTABLE financial documentation (liquid assets):

- 1. Bank Statements
- 2. Cash Deposits
- 3. Savings account statements
- 4. Education loans that have been approved & disbursed
- 5. Certificates of deposit (CD) with no withdrawal restrictions or that are due prior to the term starting
- 6. Scholarship letters
- 7. Government funding support letters

I have read and understand the above statements:

Student signature (hand signed):

8. Government financial guarantee letters (student must get official financial guarantee for I-20 issuance).

UNACCEPTABLE financial documentation, not limited to:

- 1. Employment or salary letters
- 2. Property assessments
- 3. Stock and investment portfolio reports
- 4. Pension or retirement plans
- 5. Tax statements
- 6. Credit card line of credit
- 7. Bank statements lacking currency amounts
- 8. Paystubs

F. IMPORTANT REMINDERS: Student must read and sign.

- 1. Students in F-1 status are only permitted by United States law to work under certain limited circumstances. Do not count on obtaining a campus job to offset costs. Any anticipation of obtaining an on-campus job cannot be used as a source of funds.
- 2. Employment opportunities at North Idaho College are very limited.
- 3. Accompanying spouses and children with an F-2 visa are prohibited from working under any circumstances while in the US.
- 4. The student is responsible for all costs. In the event that a sponsor is delinquent with financial support, the student is held responsible. Registration may be blocked and housing contracts, transcripts, diplomas, and I-20s may not be issued for individuals who owe money to North Idaho College.
- 5. Should your financial situation change, your program changes incurring additional costs, or some other change affects your financial situation, you will be required to complete a new Certificate of Financial Responsibility form and provide updated financial documents in order to continue to the next semester.
- 6. To get a visa and/or enter the US, the student may need to present all financial documentation to the US Embassy/Consulate when asked when you apply for your visa and upon entry into the US.

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