



2008-09

International Student Financial Aid Application



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Instructions for Completing the 2008-09 International Student Financial Aid Application

The International Student Financial Aid Application is designed to gather information from international students who are applying for financial aid at colleges and universities in the United States. When completing the application, it is important to:

- answer all questions that apply to you and your family,
- convert all currency figures to U.S. dollars (\$) before entering them on the form,
- **return the form directly to the college that provided or requested it.** Do not send it to the College Board.

Some of the questions on the International Student Financial Aid Application are self-explanatory; the instructions that follow are only provided for questions that may need further explanation.

Section A—Student's Information

This section pertains to the student who is applying for aid.

Section B—Parents' Information

- Write in the number of people who live in your parents' household and are supported by their income.
- Complete all parts of this question. Include family members counted as your dependents in question 11 and/or counted as your parents' dependents in question 15.

Section C—Financial Information

- Most colleges require you to submit documentation to verify information on this form. Check with the college to determine its requirements.
- Give the official exchange rate at the time you complete the application.
- Please indicate your source of money for your transportation costs to the United States.
- Write in the amount of 2007 income before taxes or expenses from each of the sources listed.

Section D—Asset Information

Asset information pertains to the parents or to the student and the student's family if the student is married and lives independently of the parents.

Write in the value of assets and, where asked, any debt against the asset as of the time you complete this application.

Section E—Expenses

- Write in the annual amount your family spent on the items listed. If you do not know the specific amount, please estimate.

Section F—Expected Support for Educational Expenses

- Enter the expected amount of support from the sources listed for each year of college.

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Section A—Student's Information

1. Your name Mr. Miss, Ms., Mrs. _____
Family (Surname) Given (First) Middle

2. Your permanent address: _____

3. Your e-mail address: _____

4. Your mailing address: _____
(if different from above) _____

5. Your date of birth:
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6. Place of birth (country): _____

7. Country(ies) of citizenship: _____

8. Expected visa type: Academic or language training (F) Immigrant (PR)
 Nonacademic vocational (M) Diplomatic or official (A or G)
 Exchange visitor (J) Other (specify) _____

9. When do you expect to begin your studies at this college/university?
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Will you be: attending a college/university for the first time? transferring from another college/university? a returning student?

10. List below the names of the colleges and universities to which you are applying.

a.	d.
b.	e.
c.	f.

11. Your marital status: Not married Married If married, how many people are financially dependent on you?

Section B—Parents' Information

12. What is your parents' current marital status? (Mark only one box.)

- Married
 Separated/Divorced
 Mother living/Father deceased
 Father living/Mother deceased
 Other (explain) _____

13. Father's name: _____ 14. Mother's name: _____
 a. Age: _____ a. Age: _____
 b. Address: _____ b. Address: _____
 c. Occupation/Title: _____ c. Occupation/Title: _____
 d. Employer: _____ d. Employer: _____
 e. Number of years with employer e. Number of years with employer

15. How many people, including yourself, depend on the income of your parents for daily living expenses?

16. **Family Member Listing.** Provide information for **all** family members you included in question 11 or 15. **Do not give information about yourself.**

Full name of family member	Age	Educational information 2007-08							Educational information 2008-09		
		Relationship to you	Name of school or college	Year in school or college	Tuition and fees	Room and board	Scholarships and gift aid	Amount of parents' contribution	Name of school or college	Total cost	Amount of parents' contribution

Section C—Financial Information

17. Documentation must be provided to verify income and asset information requested on this form. Please check the type of documentation you will be sending.

- Tax forms
 Statement from employer
 Other (specify—for example, bank statement) _____

18. What is the present exchange rate of your country's currency to the U.S. dollar? (for example, 3,100 pesos = \$1) _____ = \$1

19. Does your government currently impose restrictions on the exchange and release of funds for study in the United States? Yes No

If yes, describe restrictions: _____

20. Do you have a source of emergency funds once you arrive in the United States? Yes No

If yes, name source: _____

Amount available in U.S.\$ _____

21. How will you pay for your transportation to the United States? _____

22. During 2007, how much of your household income (before taxes or expenses) came from the following sources (in U.S. dollars)?

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|-----------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------|---|----------|
| a. Father's work | \$ _____ | e. Family business | \$ _____ | i. Interest or dividends | \$ _____ |
| b. Mother's work | \$ _____ | f. Family real estate holdings | \$ _____ | j. Housing, food, and other living allowances | \$ _____ |
| c. Your work | \$ _____ | g. Pension/annuity/retirement | \$ _____ | k. Other (explain) | \$ _____ |
| d. Your spouse's work | \$ _____ | h. Other members of the household | \$ _____ | | |

23. Will there be a significant increase or decrease in your family's income next year? Yes No If yes, explain: _____

Section D—Asset Information

24. Does your family own its home? Yes No (If yes, complete 24a–24d below.)

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| a. What year was it purchased? _____ | c. How much does your family still owe on the purchase price? U.S.\$ _____ |
| b. What was the original purchase price? U.S.\$ _____ | d. What is the present market value? U.S.\$ _____ |

25. Does your family own a business? Yes No (If yes, complete 25a–25d below.)

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|----------------------------------|--|
| a. Date business commenced _____ | c. Your parents' share of business value U.S.\$ _____ |
| b. Type of business _____ | d. Your parents' share of business indebtedness U.S.\$ _____ |

Section D— Asset Information (continued)

26. Please list the value of the following family assets (if applicable):

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| a. Land and buildings (other than home or business) U.S.\$ _____ | d. Assets owned by student U.S.\$ _____ |
| Indebtedness on land and buildings U.S.\$ _____ | e. Money owed to family by others U.S.\$ _____ |
| b. Savings U.S.\$ _____ | f. Repayment (of 26e) expected this year U.S.\$ _____ |
| c. Investments (such as stocks and bonds) U.S.\$ _____ | g. Other (jewelry, artwork, antiques, etc.) U.S.\$ _____ |

27. Do you or your family have money, property, or assets in another country? Yes No (If yes, complete the grid below. Include amounts in **26** above.)

	U.S.\$ Value	In which country(ies)?	Asset owner
Money	U.S.\$ _____	_____	_____
Property	U.S.\$ _____	_____	_____
Assets	U.S.\$ _____	_____	_____

28. Do you or your family own an automobile(s)? Yes No (If yes, complete **28a** and **28b** below for each automobile.)

- a. Make (VW, Fiat, Ford, Toyota, etc.): _____ b. Year of manufacture: _____

Section E—Expenses

29. How much did your family spend on the following expenses during 2007? SPECIFIC AMOUNTS ARE NEEDED.

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| Rent or mortgage | U.S.\$ _____ | Amount allocated to savings/retirement | U.S.\$ _____ |
| Utilities | U.S.\$ _____ | Automobile maintenance | U.S.\$ _____ |
| Food | U.S.\$ _____ | Insurance (health and property) | U.S.\$ _____ |
| Clothing | U.S.\$ _____ | Entertainment | U.S.\$ _____ |
| Household necessities | U.S.\$ _____ | Vacations | U.S.\$ _____ |
| Medical expenses | U.S.\$ _____ | Servants | U.S.\$ _____ |
| Educational expenses | U.S.\$ _____ | Other | U.S.\$ _____ |
| Loan payments | U.S.\$ _____ | Please explain: _____ | |
| Taxes | U.S.\$ _____ | | |

30. How much money does your family owe to other people or to financial institutions? U.S.\$ _____

Reason for debt: _____ Amount paid on debt in 2007 U.S.\$ _____

31. Does your family employ other people? Yes No If yes, how many in the home? In the family business?

Section F—Expected Support for Educational Expenses

32. Enter the expected amount of annual support toward your educational costs from the sources listed below:

Sources	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Student's vacation earnings	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Student's assets	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Family's income	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Family's assets	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Relatives and friends	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Your government	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Agencies and foundations	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Private sponsor (explain in Section G)	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____
Other (explain in Section G)	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____	U.S.\$ _____

33. List agencies/foundations/government to which you are applying for financial aid. (If more than two, attach a list.)

Agency/Foundation/Government	Application Date	Award Notification Date	Expected Amount in U.S.\$

Section G—Explanation/Special Circumstances

Use this space to explain any unusual expenses, other debts, or special circumstances that the institution should consider when it is deciding how much financial aid, if any, you will receive. Use additional sheets of paper if necessary.

Section H—Certification and Authorization

We declare that the information on this form is true, correct, and complete. The college has our permission to verify the information reported by obtaining documentation as needed.

WARNING: Providing false information may jeopardize a student's visa status and furthermore may result in a college revoking its initial decision to enroll the student.

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____
 SPOUSE'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____
 FATHER'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____
 MOTHER'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____