INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL FORM

Understanding the International Financial Form

This form is for non-U.S. passport holders only. U.S. legal permanent residents should file the FAFSA.

Academic scholarships are based on academic information not included on these forms. All students will be evaluated for academic scholarships regardless of their financial need.

In order to issue a Form I-20 for students to obtain their visas, Messiah College must receive this form and appropriate documentation as explained on the form below.

Instructions: This form should be completed and returned with all supporting documentation to:

Messiah College
International Admissions
One College Avenue Suite 3005
Mechanicsburg PA 17055 U.S.A.

If you need an F-1 visa (or if you are in the United States and will continue your F-1 immigration status), you are required to certify that you will have adequate financial support for your program of study at Messiah College. ***Complete support for your first year must be guaranteed, and support for subsequent years must be estimated.*** *Neither the Form I-20 required for the issuance of a visa nor the SEVIS Transfer Release Form can be mailed to you until you have satisfactorily completed this form and have returned it to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions with the appropriate documentation. If you do not need to meet or maintain F-1 status, you do not need to submit this form. Information on this form must be legible, accurate and in English.*

Date you are submitting this financial form: _____

Section I: Student Information

1. Personal contact information:

NAME OF APPLICANT: FAMILY/SURNAME (LAST) GIVEN (FIRST) MIDDLE

PERMANENT ADDRESS: STREET/P.O. BOX/RURAL ROUTE CITY

STATE/PROVINCE/REGION ZIP/ZONE/POSTAL CODE COUNTRY

MAILING ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE): STREET/P.O. BOX/RURAL ROUTE CITY

STATE/PROVINCE/REGION ZIP/ZONE/POSTAL CODE COUNTRY

DATE OF BIRTH: MONTH/DAY/YEAR PLACE OF BIRTH (COUNTRY)

Your marital status: ☐ Not married ☐ Married

If married, how many people are financially dependent on you? ____

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

_____ _____

_____ _____

3. How do you plan to meet the expenses for your subsequent years at Messiah College?

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4. What is your parents' current marital status?

☐ Married ☐ Separated/Divorced ☐ Father living/Mother deceased ☐ Mother living/Father deceased

Other *(explain)*: _____

5. Parent/Guardian contact information:

FATHER/GUARDIAN'S NAME	AGE	MOTHER/GUARDIAN'S NAME	AGE
OCCUPATION/TITLE		OCCUPATION/TITLE	
EMPLOYER	NUMBER OF YEARS WITH EMPLOYER	EMPLOYER	NUMBER OF YEARS WITH EMPLOYER

Section II: Household Information

1. Household dependents:

Fill in the information about the people that you and your parent(s) will support between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016. Include: yourself, your parents and dependent children of your parents.

Include other people **only** if they lived in your home and received more than half their support from you or your parents at the time you completed this application and will continue to get support between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016.

Name	Age	Relationship to You	Will attend school/ college in 2015-16		Name of school/college this person will attend in 2015-16	Year in school 2015-16	Amount paid per year USD
			Yes	No			
Example: Jane Smith	15	Sister	X		International High School	10th grade	$20,000

Number of dependent children in college/university:

Year 15/16 ____ Year 16/17 ____ Year 17/18 ____ Year 18/19 ____

2. Financial information:

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.$* _____

Section III: Expected Source of Funds

1. Messiah College Costs for 2015-16

The total estimated expense for the 2015-16 academic year is U.S. $45,901. Costs typically increase 2-3% per year.

Tuition	$31,410
Fees	830
Room	5,100
Food	4,530
Health Insurance	1,341
Books & Personal Expenses	2,690
Total	**U.S. $45,901**

Indicate below, in U.S. dollars, the financial sources and amounts available to cover these expenses and provide the appropriate supporting documentation. **Enter the expected amount of money that you and your sponsors will be able to afford to pay towards your education costs per year.** The name on the supporting document(s) should match the name of the person(s) listed as a source of funds. All documents should include a date. Do not leave blanks; enter "0" if none.

Personal savings ..... U.S.$_____ /year

Provide a certified bank letter in English showing sufficient account balance and/or past three months of bank statements.

Family ..... U.S.$_____ /year

Complete the affidavit of support at the end of this document. It must be accompanied by a certified bank letter in English showing sufficient account balance and/or past three months of bank statements.

Foundations, government, bank or other agency ..... U.S.$_____ /year

Provide official award letter in English specifying the U.S. dollar amount you will receive and how the funds will be paid.

Other sponsors ..... U.S.$_____ /year

Complete the affidavit of support at the end of this document for each sponsor. It must be accompanied by a certified bank letter in English showing sufficient account balance and/or past three months of bank statements.

Section IV: Certification and Authorization

I declare that the information on this form is true, correct and complete. Messiah College has my permission to verify the information reported by obtaining documentation as needed.

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STUDENT SIGNATURE **DATE:** MONTH/DAY/YEAR

Section V: Affidavit of Support:

This section should be completed by each sponsor.

In consideration for the admission of _____ who is my _____ ,
STUDENT'S NAME RELATIONSHIP

as a student at Messiah College for the academic year beginning _____ , I certify that I am able,
DATE

willing and do promise to provide him/her with the minimum amount of U.S.$ _____ , payable in U.S. dollars, for his/her tuition, fees and living expenses during said academic year at Messiah College. Evidence of my financial resources in the form of a certified bank letter in English and/or past three months of bank statements accompanies this affidavit of support.

_____ _____
NAME OF SPONSOR SIGNATURE OF SPONSOR

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EMAIL ADDRESS OF SPONSOR

This form must be accompanied by a certified bank letter in English and/or past three months of bank statements from your sponsor. Without the items mentioned, your application will not be considered complete, and you will not receive the immigration Form I-20 or the SEVIS Transfer Release Form.

You are advised to keep copies of all financial documents submitted to Messiah College. Similar information will be required by the United States Consular Office when you apply for your visa, and in some cases, by the Department of Homeland Security.

Please send this completed form and accompanying information to intladmiss@messiah.edu.