International Student Services

Graduate Certification of Financial Resources

Estimated Nine-Month Academic Year Expenses for International Graduate Students

Instructions for Parent(s) / Sponsor(s)

Please complete the following steps:

1. **Complete and sign the form.**
   Fill out all required sections of the **Graduate Certification of Financial Resources** and sign the form.

2. **Provide proof of financial resources.**
   Attach **one** of the following:
   - A current **bank statement** showing 3-6 months of transaction history, **OR**
   - A current **bank letter** including ALL of the following information:
     - Date the account was established
     - Current balance
     - Average balance for a minimum of six months
     - Currency type
     - Type of account (such as checking or savings)

   We may request additional proof of financial resources after reviewing your application documents.

   We may require **verification of your financial documentation with the issuing bank**. Verification of authenticity does not guarantee admission.

   To speed up the process the bank may directly send the bank statement to international@swosu.edu and mention the student's name in the email.

   Providing untruthful or fabricated bank statements constitutes immigration fraud and will lead to this University application being discontinued.

3. **Provide sponsor identification.**
   Attach a clear copy of the **photo/identification page** of a valid identification document, such as:
   - Passport
   - National ID card

Before submitting: Make sure the form is completed and signed and that all required supplemental documents are attached.

4. **Upload documents to the application portal.**

   - Upload this completed form on the application portal under the supplemental item named Graduate Financial Statement.
   - Upload financial documents and sponsor identification under Sponsor Bank Statement.

Student Name: _____

Estimated Cost of Attendance for 2 Semesters:

Estimated International Student COA – Two Semesters		
EXPENSE		**ESTIMATED COST**

Tuition and Fees	• Per Credit Hour:
	  ○ Tuition- $640.00
	  ○ Fees- $29.20
	• International Maintenance Fee: $200.00
	• Parking and Safety Fee: $50.00
		$12,295.60*

Living Expenses	• Semi-private Room and Board: $3,520.00 • 19 meals/week: $4,420.00 • Personal Expenses (ex: Clothing, Personal Needs, Medicine, etc.): $1,500.00	**$9,440.00**
Books and Supplies		**$1,400.00**
Mandatory Medical Insurance	• 2026FA: $436 • 2027SP: $411 • 2027SU: $258 (Summer Optional)	**$850.00**
	TOTAL (Fall and Spring Semesters)	**$23,985.60**
***Based upon the minimum of 9 credit hours per semester.**		

Sponsor Name: _____

Sponsor Address: _____

Relationship to Student: _____

- This is to certify:
  - I will assume full financial responsibility (approximately US $23,985.60 per year for 2 semesters) for the support of the above-named student for the entire duration of their studies at Southwestern Oklahoma State University.
  - I authorize Southwestern Oklahoma State University to contact the issuing bank of the bank statement and verify bank statement authenticity and availability of funds.
- I understand:
  - The cost of tuition may increase.
  - Submitting a fabricated bank statement constitutes immigration fraud and will lead to the application being discontinued.
  - Additional resources are required if a spouse or any children will accompany the applicant.
    - Request a Certificate of Financial Resources with dependents from international@swosu.edu

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Date **Financial Sponsor's Hand-Written Signature**