

DECLARATION OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT FORM

(For F-1 Student Visa Applicants)

If you plan to attend Broome Community College on an F-1 Student Visa, you must secure a *Certificate of Eligibility for Non-immigrant (F-1) Student Status-SEVIS Form I-20* issued by our College. The SEVIS I-20 is a document required by Department of Homeland Security to prove your immigration status. It is needed to apply for an F-1 Student Visa. Before Broome Community College can issue you an I-20, you must be admitted to a program of study and demonstrate your ability to meet all educational and living expenses for the entire period of intended study at the College. You are required to document funds available to cover at least the first year of expenses at the College and indicate how you will cover expenses for subsequent years of study. This documentation will be required at your visa interview at the US Embassy in your country, at the Port of Entry (Canadian students), or when applying for change of status.

Instructions: Complete the all sections on the reverse side of this form. Obtain all necessary signatures and return the form **with the appropriate financial documentation** to the International Student Admissions Office.

Source of Funds or Financial Support Available to You:	Documentation and verification you must submit to the International Student Admissions Office:
Personal Savings, Family or Other Financial Sponsor	Signatures of both applicant and sponsor on the reverse side of this form OR Letter from sponsor stating name of applicant, relationship to applicant, conditions of sponsorship <u>AND</u> a separate original bank statement of account or letter from bank on bank letterhead acknowledging that the minimum required amount is available from account. Sponsorship may be from more than one source but a letter from each sponsor is required. In the case of local housing sponsorship, a letter stating in details the conditions of sponsorship, address, ability to offer housing, and duration of sponsorship are required in the sponsor's letter.
Scholarship	Official scholarship letter addressed to Broome Community College from the institution awarding the scholarship. The award letter should contain the name of the applicant, amount of funds available for each year of study, the duration of the award (including beginning and end dates) and the major field of study for which the scholarship is awarded.
Government or Employer Sponsor	Official letter addressed to Broome Community College indicating the amount of support and containing the same information as for "scholarship" described above.
Loan	Official letter from credit institution showing loan approval and amount of loan.

If your country restricts the exchange of U.S. currency, please indicate the maximum amount permitted for a student: and any other exchange concerns: _____.

If you plan to bring family dependents with you, state the name(s) of each dependent on a separate sheet of paper and indicate the dependent's relationship to you, country of birth and citizenship. Additional financial support must be demonstrated for dependents.

Broome Community College reserves the right to require additional financial documentation and/or pre-payment from applicants whose countries impose currency exchange restrictions or other obstacles to the transfer of currency.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Mr./Ms. _____, _____
(Last Name/Family Name) (First Name/Given Name)

Permanent Address in Home Country: _____
(Street Address)

(City) (State/Province) (Country) (Zip/Postal Code)

Intended program of study (curriculum) at Broome Community College: _____

Number of years you plan to study at Broome Community College: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Country of Birth: _____
Month Day Year

Male Female Country of Citizenship: _____

This information is required for the College to Issue a Certificate of Eligibility for Non-Immigrant (F-1) Student Status – Form I-20.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION FOR 1ST YEAR OF STUDIES

Source of Funds or Financial Support Available to You:	Amount in U.S. Dollars	Documentation and Verification you must submit to the International Admissions Office
Your Personal Savings	\$ _____	1. Bank Statement
Family or Other Financial Sponsor <i>Name of Sponsor:</i> _____	\$ _____	1. Bank Statement 2. Letter of Support from each sponsor
Scholarship/Loan <i>Awarded by:</i> _____	\$ _____	1. Official Award Letter or Loan Approval Letter <i>(see instructions on reverse side)</i>
Government/Employer <i>Name of Sponsor:</i> _____	\$ _____	1. Official Sponsorship Letter <i>(see instructions on reverse side)</i>

Please explain how you plan to meet expenses for subsequent years of study at Broome Community College:

VERIFICATION – COMPLETE BOTH SECTIONS

Sponsors: This is to certify that I agree to provide the funds indicated above to the applicant for the purposes of full-time study at Broome Community College and I am submitting bank statements demonstrating the availability of these funds. I understand that Broome Community College can not provide financial aid to the applicant and I will provide these funds for the duration of the student's course of study. I understand that if this commitment is not met, the student may be subject to dismissal by Broome Community College for non-payment.

Sponsor's Name: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

Sponsor's Address: _____

Sponsor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applicant: I certify that the information given on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that any false or misleading information will result in my denial of admission or cancellation of registration following enrollment. I will notify and keep Broome Community College informed of any change in my financial circumstances.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____