

Declaration and Certification of Finances Graduate

In order to be eligible for an F-1 student visa, applicants to Ohio Dominican University must show evidence that they have enough money to pay all of their school and living expenses for their duration of intended program of study. ODU will not issue an I-20 form without satisfactory evidence of financial support from the applicant or from the parent(s) or sponsor(s) of the applicant.

Instructions:

1. This form must be completed by the person who will be paying for the school and living expenses of the applicant to Ohio Dominican University. *Estimated expenses are on the other side of this form.
2. If more than one sponsor will be providing financial support for the applicant, a separate form must be completed by each sponsor.
3. In addition to this form, the applicant's sponsor(s) must provide evidence that the required amount of funds is available for, at the very least, the first year of study. Such evidence may be one or more of the following documents and must be less than six months old:
 - Bank statement of funds on deposit in the name of the sponsor;
 - Bank-issued letter that states the sponsor has the financial capability of sponsoring the applicant, specifying that the current balance meets or exceeds the estimated cost of attendance.

Return this form, completed and signed below, along with all necessary documentation mentioned above by:

E-mail:

international@ohiodominican.edu

OR courier to:

International Office
Ohio Dominican University
1216 Sunbury Road
Columbus, Ohio 43219 USA

Name of applicant _____

Name of sponsor _____

Address of sponsor _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ E-mail _____

Relationship of sponsor to applicant _____

Statement of Sponsor: "I hereby certify that I will be responsible for the school and living expenses of the applicant named above. I am fully aware of the costs of attending Ohio Dominican University, as explained on the reverse side of this form. I agree to pay the school fees at the beginning of each term."

Total amount of funds in US dollars I will provide per calendar year to support the above named applicant:

(USD) \$ _____

Signature of Sponsor _____ Date _____

Financing Your Education at Ohio Dominican University

It is very important to make careful plans to pay for your school and living expenses while you are a student. The information here is based on our experience with international students who, over the past thirty years, have selected Ohio Dominican for their education.

The following list of questions will help you understand that, although the tuition is the same for all students, the personal choices that students make effect the cost of studying and living in the United States. As you plan the next several years of your life as a student, please consider the following questions:

1. If I live in an apartment, will I live by myself or will I live with another student?
2. Do I want to own and drive an automobile? If so, how will I pay for the insurance required by Ohio law?
3. Am I prepared for the high cost of routine dental and eye care in the United States, which is not covered by health insurance?
4. Do I plan to return for summer vacation or will I continue to study and live in Columbus during the summer term?
5. Have I planned for the cost of long-distance phone calls to my family and friends?
6. Have I thought about the expenses involved in leisure activities, including some travel in the United States during holidays?

The cost for studying at Ohio Dominican University for the 2019/2020 academic year is estimated to be \$27,670 (US) for graduate students. Students planning to study during the summer will also incur additional expenses. In order for Ohio Dominican University to support a student's application for a visa, the applicant or the applicant's sponsor must give evidence (see reverse) of available funds in excess of the amounts below. Please note that the amounts listed below are subject to change once the new fees are announced for the next academic year.

Estimated Costs for the 2019/2020 Academic Year

Tuition (full-time enrollment, 2 semesters)	\$10,800
Fees (Activity Fee, Mandatory Health Insurance, International Student Fee)	\$1,650
Room & Board	\$11,220
Estimated Personal Expenses	\$4,000
2019/2020 Academic Year TOTAL	\$27,670

Additional Estimated Possible Charges

Summer Term: Tuition (3 credits) and other expenses	\$6,466
Dependent Living Expenses for spouse and/or each child 12 years or older	\$5,250
Dependent Living Expenses for each child under 12 years old	\$2,625
Health insurance for spouse (12 months)	\$1,886
Health Insurance for dependent child	\$1,219