

F-1 Student Financial Statement – Associate Degree

Instructions: As a student, it is your responsibility to demonstrate that you will have sufficient financial support available to cover all educational and living expenses while you are studying at NOVA. Completing an associate degree may take up to 3 years.

If you have a sponsor who will be funding your studies, you must provide bank statements to show estimated costs below for at least the first year. If you are self funding your studies, you will need to show money for all three years in your bank statement.

All bank statements must either be in English or be a certified English translation that clearly shows the account owner’s name, statement date, balance and type of currency. NOVA reserves the right to request clarification or additional information related to bank statements.

Please make a copy of all financial documents before sending them to NOVA. You will need copies of these documents when you apply for your F-1 visa.

Estimated Cost for One Academic Year (2 semesters/nine months)	
Tuition* (12 credits per semester)	\$9,318
Living Expenses (housing, food, transportation)**	\$16,600
Books and supplies	\$1,800
Total estimated expenses	\$27,718

* To maintain F1 status a student must take at least 12 credits in the fall and spring semesters. Students are strongly encouraged and may take up to 18 credits each semester.

** Estimated living costs are for the nine month academic year. Students who intend to remain in the US for summer should plan for additional costs.

Housing: NOVA does not offer housing. You will be responsible for making your own living arrangements. Living expenses are estimated.

Dependent Expenses: If you will be accompanied by dependents (spouse and/or child) you must add \$6,898 per year of support for a spouse and \$3,450 for each child.

Section 1: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT: If you are self-funding, you must show money in the bank for 3 years or explain how you will obtain these funds, given that you cannot be employed in the U.S. (Please print your name clearly as it is listed on your passport.)

_____ Last name (family name)

_____ First name (given name)

_____ Middle name

Source of Funds	Amount
Student	US \$ _____
Sponsor(s)	US \$ _____
Other	US \$ _____
Total*	US \$ _____

*The total financial support indicated must meet or exceed the estimated costs.

I certify that the information I have provided is a correct statement of my financial support. I understand that if these funds are not available, NOVA is under no obligation to support me and it is likely that I will be unable to continue my education in the United States. I understand that, as an F-1 student, I must enroll in full-time studies, and I am not permitted to work off-campus without written approval from the Department of Homeland Security.

Student’s signature _____ Date _____

SPONSOR'S AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPORT

A sponsor may be a parent, family member, or another person who will provide financial support. It is not necessary that a financial sponsor live in the U.S. If there is more than one sponsor, please make a copy of this document for each sponsor to complete. One financial sponsor may provide complete or partial support for the student, but the student's total financial support must equal or exceed the total estimated costs (see page 1).

To the financial sponsor : In addition to signing this document, you must provide a **bank statement** that includes your name, the name of your bank, the statement date, amount of the available funds and type of currency. The bank statement must be in English or be a certified English translation and clearly show the information required. **The statement must be dated no more than six months before the semester start date the applicant is applying to study at NOVA.**

This evidence is required to complete an official US government form on which the school official is confirming that financial support is available. Therefore, Northern Virginia Community College reserves the right to request additional information or clarification.

Section 2: TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT'S FINANCIAL SPONSOR

I guarantee that I will be responsible for providing financial support for:

Student's last name (family name)

Student's first name (given name)

Student's middle name

PROMISE OF FUNDS FOR 3 YEARS, MONEY must be shown in THE BANK FOR THE FIRST YEAR

A student must show they have a promise of financial support for up to 3 years of study. Please indicate the total time you are prepared to support the student. If you are agreeing to provide support for more than one year, you are only required to show current bank statements in support of the first year.

Amount for 1st year:

Amount for 2nd year:

Amount for 3rd year:

US \$ _____

US \$ _____

US \$ _____

I understand that the document I am signing will be used by the student for the purpose of obtaining F-1 status or an F-1 visa from the U.S. government or for the purpose of updating the student's SEVIS record. If I am unable to provide the financial support I have promised, I understand that NOVA is not obligated to support the above named student. I understand that without my financial support, it is likely that the student will be unable to continue his/her education in the United States

I understand that F-1 students are not permitted to work off-campus or provide any services in exchange for financial support. I will not suggest or require this student to provide any services while in the United States.

Sponsor's Name (please print): _____

Email address (please print clearly): _____

Telephone (with country/area code): _____

Relationship to the student: _____

Sponsor's signature: _____ Date: _____