

This form must be completed by all international students who will attend Colgate University in F-1 (student) visa status. In order to apply for an F-1 visa*, you need to receive a “Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant (F-1) Student,” commonly known as an I-20, from the Office of International Student Services (OISS) at Colgate. (*Note to Canadian citizens: Canadian citizens do not need to apply for an F-1 visa at a U.S. Embassy since you can simply acquire F-1 status at a U.S. port of entry when you present your I-20.)

Instructions: Complete this form in its entirety and submit it to OISS via email or fill out the online form. The form must be submitted along with the following documents:

- Copy of the biographical page(s) of your passport.
- Financial Documentation as noted in Section II: Source and Amount of Funding, if required.

Deadline for Class of 2029: May 02. Please note that the sooner this form and required documentation is submitted, the sooner you can receive your I-20 and start the visa application process. It is strongly recommended to submit this form before the established deadline.

SECTION I: PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last/Family Name(s): _____ First Name(s): _____

Middle Name(s): _____ Date of Birth(mm/dd/yyyy): _____ Sex: _____

City &Country of Birth: _____ Country of Citizenship: _____

Preferred First Name: _____ Preferred Pronouns (she/her, he/his, ze/hir, etc.): _____

Phone number: _____ Preferred Email: _____

Intended Major: _____

Are you currently in the U.S.? _____ If yes, what is your visa status? _____

Did you recently attend high school in the U.S. in F-1 visa status? _____ (If yes, please contact OISS regarding the possibility of transferring your SEVIS record to Colgate.)

Permanent Address (Must be a non-U.S. address):

House number and street

Apt. # (if any)

City

State/Province

Country

Postal Code (if any)

Mailing Address (This is where we will send your I-20 via Fed-Ex/DHL):

House number and street

Apt. # (if any)

City

State/Province

Country

Postal Code (if any)

Phone number to be used for Fed-Ex/DHL

SECTION II: SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDING

Please complete the appropriate sections below and attach the required documentation. Documents must be dated within six (6) months of the date of initial enrollment at Colgate University. If the amount is not listed in U.S. Dollars, the currency should be clearly listed. Amounts must equal to, or exceed, the minimum amount of funds as listed in the “Estimated Undergraduate Expenses” table shown below. If bank statements are not in English, a translation must be provided. Funds must be liquid assets and available for support. (Continued on next page)

Estimated Undergraduate Expenses for the 2025-2026 Academic Year

Class Year	2029	2029 (Student Athletes with a Full Scholarship [†])
Tuition and Fees	\$73,206	\$73,206
Living Expenses	\$18,446	\$18,446
Books, Travel, and Personal	\$4,258	-
Total Expenses*	\$95,910*	91,652*

*The figures above are estimate, pending final approval.

*Please note that the cost of student health insurance is not included in the “total expenses” figure; was \$2088 in 2024-2025

†Student Athletes with a partial scholarship: Add \$800 for books, bringing the total expenses to \$92,452.

Source of Funding	Colgate Financial Aid	Personal Funds	Family/Relative Funds	Government or Sponsoring Agency
Documentation Required	None. (OISS already has this information on file.)	Bank statement OR Completion of Section IV: Bank Official Certification Statement	Completion of Section III: Sponsor’s Affidavit AND EITHER Bank statement OR Completion of Section IV: Bank Official Certification Statement	Official letter of support from the government or sponsoring agency
Amount of Funds	\$	\$	\$	\$

SECTION III: SPONSOR’S AFFIDAVIT

Sponsor’s Statement: This is to certify that I (we), the undersigned, have agreed to provide the funds indicated above to the applicant for the purpose of full-time study at Colgate University, and that I (we) are submitting financial documents indicating the availability of these funds.

Sponsor’s signature _____ Printed Name _____ Date (mm/dd/yyyy) _____ Relationship to Applicant _____

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SECTION IV: BANK OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Instructions for bank official: Please complete the statement below to validate the amount of funds listed in Section II of this form. An official, certified letter from the bank may be provided as an alternative, if desired.

Name of Account Owner (s): _____ **Type of Account(s)** _____

I certify that the above listed account holder(s) has funds on deposit of \$ _____ (in U.S. Dollars) to support the annual estimated amount of expenses required for study at Colgate University.

(OFFICIAL BANK SEAL HERE)	Name of Financial Institution: _____ Address: _____ <i>Number and Street</i> <hr/> <i>City</i> _____ <i>State/Province</i> _____ <i>Country</i> _____ <i>Postal Code</i> _____ <hr/> <i>Signature of Bank Officer</i> _____ <i>Name and Title</i> _____ <i>Date (mm/dd/yyyy)</i> _____
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SECTION V: STUDENT’S AFFIDAVIT

Student statement: My signature certifies that the information on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Student’s signature _____ Printed Name _____ Date (mm/dd/yyyy) _____