



**F-1 FINANCIAL STATEMENT
VERIFICATION OF SPONSOR INFORMATION**

**Deadlines: Fall Semester: June 1 and Spring Semester: October 1
We do not admit new International Students to our Summer Session**

To be admitted and receive an I-20, an International Student applicant must document their source of financial support. International Students may be self-sponsored or sponsored by parents, relatives, friends or organizations. F-1 students are generally not permitted to work in the United States and should not plan on supporting themselves through work.

Please submit the following documents from each individual who will be contributing funds or who will be hosting you in their home:

1. Affidavit of Support (I-134) to be completed by all financial sponsors.
2. Bank statements that reflect:
 - Total amount deposited for the past year.
 - Present balance.

Estimated minimum funds needed per calendar year for support: Tuition (12 credits), fees, books, supplies:	\$ 7,000.00
Living expenses (room, board, transportation, clothing, Entertainment, miscellaneous **):	<u>10,000.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$17,000.00

Germannanna Community College does not provide dormitory rooms or meal plans.

**If the student is living with the financial sponsor and is not required to pay for any living expenses, the financial sponsor will need to provide a bank statement showing only \$3,000.

If you are married and/or a parent and plan to bring your spouse and/or child(ren), you must increase your living expenses by \$5,000 for your spouse and \$2,500 for each child.

Students holding F-1 status are not eligible to work; therefore, all support must come from the sponsor and/or personal bank account. Estimate that your projected expenses and subsequent support should increase approximately 10% per year.

The tuition at Germanna Community College is \$257.05 per semester credit hour. Students with F-1 status must be enrolled in a minimum of 12 semester credit hours (15 hours per semester is an average course load for an F-1 student). Tuition rates are subject to change without notice.

Please contact Rita Dunston, Registrar, at (540) 891-3016, or by email at rdunston@germannna.edu if you or your sponsor has any questions.

For students applying from outside the United States, a completed I-20 with supporting financial documentation will be sent to you. Applicants will take this packet to the U. S. Embassy in their country to apply for the F-1 visa.