ADMISSION ACTIVITY REQUIREMENTS & PROCEDURES

Please read the following information carefully and send your completed application in the enclosed envelope to:
Temple University Undergraduate Admissions Office 103 Conwell Hall (041-09) Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19122 U.S.A.
Telephone: 001-1-215-204-4900 Fax: 001-1-215-204-4990 Email: international.admissions@temple.edu

Please use the checklist on the inside back cover.

APPLICATION FEE

The best way to apply is online via www.temple.edu/undergrad/applying. The fee is $55 for all applications. If you use this application, please include with your application a check or money order made payable to Temple University. Checks must be in U.S. and drawn on a U.S. Bank. No two party or post dated checks will be accepted.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR & APPLICATION DEADLINES

Application deadlines: Freshman: March 1 for fall semester, November 1 for spring semester; transfer students: June 1 for fall semester, November 1 for spring semester.

(New students can only begin their studies at Temple during a fall or spring semester.)

ELIGIBILITY

You are considered an international student if you hold or will need to obtain a non-immigrant visa, including a student visa (F-1), visitor visa (B-1) or exchange visitor visa (J-1). If you are a U.S. citizen, permanent U.S. resident, refugee or asylee, you are not considered an international student and should complete the regular admissions application, available online at www.temple.edu/undergrad/applying.

You are eligible to apply for undergraduate admission if you will have completed the equivalent of an American secondary school education (usually 12 years of formal education) and have the appropriate graduation diplomas or satisfactory leaving examination results.

You should apply as a freshman (first-year) applicant if you are still attending your secondary school (usually the first 12 years of schooling and equivalent to a U.S. high school) or if you have taken fewer than 15 credits (generally four to five courses or one-half year of study) at an institution of higher education after satisfactorily completing your secondary schooling.

You should apply as a transfer applicant if you have attempted or completed at least 15 credits (four to five courses or one-half year of study) at an institution of higher education (a college, institute or university) after your 12 years of secondary schooling. If you have a bachelor’s degree already, you may not apply for the same bachelor’s degree at Temple. Transfer students are evaluated on the basis of their completed college-level course work as well as their secondary school record. You must also submit all secondary school academic records. (See section on "Transfer Credit").

If you have applied within the last year, you are not required to submit a new application. Complete a Renewal Application form and enclose a $20 renewal fee.

ACADEMIC RECORDS REQUIRED

Your application must include all official and original academic records from each secondary school and college or university you have attended, as well as proof of graduation from secondary school and a copy of the results of any terminating or qualifying examinations taken or certificates obtained. All documents written in a foreign language must be accompanied by a notarized or certified English translation; both the foreign and the English language versions are required and must be signed by the appropriate school official and include the institution’s official seal.

Recommendations from a counselor, teacher, headmaster or other academic official who is familiar with all or some of your academic coursework are recommended, but not required. We also recommend that transfer students send syllabi giving complete course descriptions of post-secondary work. This will enable us to provide a full and accurate evaluation of your transfer credits.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

PROFICIENCY, TOEFL, ELPT (SAT II) & ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Because English is the language of instruction at Temple, you must be able to speak and write it clearly and understand idiomatic English. If your native language is not English, you must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL). Review both the paper and computer required scores on page 6, depending upon which version of the test you will have taken. You should indicate on the TOEFL registration form that you want your scores sent directly to Temple (code #2906). For more information about the TOEFL, contact: TOEFL; CN 6151; Princeton, New Jersey 08541-6151 U.S.A. or www.toefl.org.

We also accept the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) offered through Cambridge Examinations and IELTS International, or the Advanced Placement English Examination (APIEL) offered through the College Board. For more information, contact www.cambridge-efl.org.uk for IELTS or www.collegeboard.com regarding the APIEL examination. We recommend (but do not require) that non-native English speakers take the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT I: Reasoning Test) or American College Test (ACT).

If your native language is English and the language of instruction at your secondary school was English, you are encouraged to take the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT I: Reasoning Test) or American College Test (ACT) instead of the TOEFL. The SAT II Achievement Tests are not required but may be submitted.
If you meet academic requirements and have a TOEFL score of at least 550 (paper test) or 79 (internet) or 213 (computer test), a 6 or higher on the IELTS, or a 3 or higher on the APIEL, you will be considered for regular admission to the University. Like all other Temple students, you will still take an English writing placement exam when you arrive at the University before you begin your first semester of study. Based on the results, you may be required to take English writing courses to strengthen your English skills.

**APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY (FORM I-20 OR DS 2019)**

For International Students Outside the United States

In order to enter the United States to begin your program of study, you will need to obtain a form I-20 or DS 2019 from the University. This immigration paperwork is necessary for you to obtain a student visa from the United States embassy in your home country to study in the United States. As of September 1, 2004, all applicants for visas to enter the United States in F-1 or J-1 status must pay a SEVIS fee (currently US $200.00) prior to submitting the application for the visa. SEVIS fee payment information is available online at www.fmjfee.com.

The I-20 Certificate of Eligibility Form is the document used to obtain an F-1 student visa. The I-20 is always issued when the source of a student’s funding is personal. Funding may also be in the form of scholarships, fellowships, sponsoring agencies, the student’s family or any dependable source.

The DS 2019 Form is the document used to obtain an Exchange Visitor (J-1) student visa. The DS 2019 may only be issued when funding is NOT personal. Funding sources may be governmental agencies, educational sections of embassies, fellowships, scholarships and the like. The J-1 program may include a two-year home residency requirement, to which J-1 holders may be subject after completing their studies.

For Students Enrolling from Another U.S. English as a Second Language Program, High School, College or University.

To transfer from one school to another, you must first notify the school you are currently attending that you intend to transfer to Temple University. Upon notification, your current school will update your record in SEVIS as a “transfer out” and indicate that you intend to transfer to Temple University. The international student advisor at your current school will also indicate the release date of your SEVIS record. Your current school will retain control over your record in SEVIS until you complete the current term or reach the release date. At your request, the international student advisor of the current school may cancel the transfer request at any time prior to the release date. You should not request a transfer of your SEVIS record to Temple University unless you know that you have been admitted to Temple.

Once the release date is reached, Temple University will be granted full access to your record in SEVIS and then becomes responsible for your SEVIS record. Your current school conveys authority and responsibility over your record to Temple University and will no longer have full SEVIS access to your record. As such, a transfer request may not be cancelled by the current school after the release date has been reached.

You are then required to contact the International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) at Temple University within 15 days of the program start date listed on the SEVIS Form I-20 or DS 2019. Upon notification that you are enrolled in classes, the ISSS must update your SEVIS record to reflect your registration at Temple and your current address, thereby acknowledging that the student has completed the transfer process.

International high school students in J-1 status are not eligible to extend their J-1 program in the United States. Please contact the International Student and Scholar Services for further information at www.temple.edu/ISSS or (215) 204-7708.

**Required Financial Documentation (See Temple University Affidavit of Support in Application)**

International students and their families or financial sponsoring organizations must assume all responsibility for student expenses, which will be $34,361.00 for the 2012–2013 academic year. If dependents will accompany you to the U.S. and remain here while you are studying at Temple, you must document an additional $4,000 for your spouse and $2,500 for each child.

Please complete the “Affidavit of Support”, which is part of the application for “Certificate of Eligibility” application, and return it with your I-20/DS 2019 application. This form must show evidence that you will have sufficient funds to support your studies in the U.S. and that this support will be continuous for the duration of your studies at Temple. You must provide documentation of the entire amount, whether residing on or off campus.

Please understand that Temple awards very few partial scholarships to international students and that there will be no other financial aid available to you.

**Annual Required Costs**

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*Tuition varies by school/college.

If the “Affidavit of Support” that you file indicates that you have sufficient funds to pay for your first year at Temple, your I-20 or DS 2019 will be mailed to you by the Office of International Services.

In order to obtain a student visa, it will be necessary to present BOTH the admission letter and the Form I-20 or DS 2019 to the United States embassy or consulate in your home country. Thus, you should file your academic and financial information at the same time. The ISSS will accept legible faxed copies of financial documentation. All funds documented must be in the form of liquid assets. Certificate of deposits, money market accounts, or anything that is not readily accessible will not be accepted. Your financial sponsor must demonstrate that you have sufficient funds to pay for tuition and all living expenses at Temple and your transition to university life in the U.S.
Temple offers merit-based scholarships to international freshmen and transfer students ranging from $2,500 to full-tuition. Consideration for freshmen is based on a strong, competitive GPA and SAT or ACT. For countries where the SAT is not administered, a national college entrance exam and strong TOEFL or IELTS score will be considered. For transfer students from recognized American or Foreign Universities, scholarships are offered to those with a competitive GPA. All international students admitted to Temple University will be considered for scholarships. There is no need for students to make a separate application. Scholarship recipients will be notified of their award at the time of their acceptance.

**ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS**

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**BILL PAYMENT**

Payment of tuition, fees, room and board (if you live in university housing), and health insurance is due at the beginning of each semester. Temple offers various payment plans that enable students to spread the payments over the course of the semester. You should also be aware of your government’s policy about sending money to the U.S., particularly if you are sponsored by government funds. You should bring at least $2,000 for initial expenses, preferably in the form of traveler’s checks. You should also have a check made payable to Temple University for your first semester’s tuition, unless your tuition is being paid by some other organization or arrangement.

You may also pay via wire transfer. Please contact the department of cash operations for instructions at (215) 204-7269, or via fax at (215) 204-5418.

**MANDATORY HEALTH INSURANCE**

Temple requires that all international students in non-immigrant status carry health insurance that meets the minimum standards as determined by the U.S. Information Agency:

- a maximum deductible of $500 per accident or illness
- payment of at least 75 percent of covered expenses
- medical benefits of at least $50,000 per accident or illness
- repatriation benefits of $7,500 or more
- medical evacuation benefits of $10,000 or more

This insurance will cover the cost of medical expenses while you are a student at Temple. You must maintain this insurance for the duration of your Temple studies. You will automatically receive and be billed for a Temple health insurance policy when you register for courses prior to beginning your studies. The cost of this policy for the 2012-2013 academic year is approximately $1,748. Coverage is also available for spouses and dependent children at additional cost.

After enrolling, students who already have an equivalent health insurance policy may submit a waiver request indicating comparable health insurance coverage as determined by Temple. Students receive a complete health insurance packet, including a waiver form, during International Student Orientation.

**SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE ADMISSIONS APPLICATION**

**Personal Information**

**Q. 1, 3:** Include your name and address as it appears on your passport. If you do not have a middle name please indicate “none” in question #1.

**Temple Admissions Information**

**Q. 17:** The College of Health Professions (health information management, nursing) only admits transfer students for the fall semester.

**Q. 18:** See section on Eligibility (p. 5) to determine if you are a freshman or transfer applicant.
STANDARDIZED TEST INFORMATION

Q. 23, 24: When making the decision to accept or deny admission to applicants, we consider the TOEFL, IELTS, APIEL, and/or SAT/ACT results. Please refer to the section on English Language Proficiency/ TOEFL for more information. We recommend—but do not require—the SAT or ACT for non-native English speakers. We are also pleased to receive SAT II scores if students have taken any of these tests.

SECONDARY SCHOOL & COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Q. 25–28: This is the most important part of your application for admission and receives the greatest consideration by the admissions committee. Please refer to the sections on eligibility and academic records required. We cannot make an admissions decision until we receive the original or official, certified copies of all pertinent academic credentials and records. Photocopies of documents are not acceptable.

Documents should be in the original language with certified English translations provided. A key to the marking system or grading scale is also highly recommended. If you are currently enrolled in an institution, you should request that official transcripts be sent to us as soon as the term is completed.

THE APPLICATION DECISION PROCESS

If we receive an incomplete application from you (missing some required elements), we will send you an email indicating what is missing. When all required documents have been received and your application is complete, we will make an admissions decision and send you a decision letter as soon as possible, usually within four weeks. We begin sending decisions by global priority mail for the fall semester in January, and for the spring semester in November. All decisions are made by professional admissions staff members and reviewed by the associate director, who consider secondary school and, if applicable, college grades, TOEFL results, other test scores, your written essay, letters of recommendation and other relevant documentation.

TRACK YOUR APPLICATION STATUS

Soon after you apply, you will receive an AccessNet username and password that will enable you to track the status of your application. You will learn whether your application is complete or in process, what documents or materials are missing, and whether or not an admissions decision has been made and mailed to you.

When you receive your AccessNet username and password, you will activate your Accessnet account and assign yourself a permanent password. Then, go to the tuportal web site at tuportal.temple.edu and log in with your Accessnet username and password. Click on “Undergraduate Applicants” to follow your application through the process. If you lose your AccessNet username or need to reset your password, please visit tuhelp.temple.edu/applicants.

If you have questions about any other aspect of admissions, please call (215) 204-4900 or toll free (888) 340-2222, for e-mail us at international.admissions@temple.edu.

WHEN YOU ARE ACCEPTED

When you are accepted and offered admission to Temple, you will receive a transfer credit evaluation (if you have transferable credits) and an Enrollment Deposit form. If you wish to enroll, you must return this form with a $200 tuition deposit, and, if you wish to live on campus, a $250 residence hall deposit. If you are accepted before April 15 for the fall semester, your confirmation form and deposit will be due by May 1.

If you are accepted thereafter for the fall or at any time for the spring semester, the due date will be stated in your acceptance letter. The $200 tuition deposit is non-refundable but can be used for deferred admission for one year. The housing deposit confirms your request for university housing, which is assigned based on when students submit the housing deposit. Since the demand for Temple-sponsored housing exceeds the amount of housing available, it is important to adhere to deadline dates and complete the housing request process early. The Housing Office will send additional information upon receipt of the $250 deposit.

All undergraduate international students are required to attend two orientation programs. The new student orientation program is mandatory for all domestic and international students and includes academic advising, placement testing, course registration and the chance to meet faculty, staff and other students and to become acquainted with the campus. All international students also attend the International Student and Scholar Services orientation program in August (or January for spring semester enrollees) which covers important topics such as adjusting to American culture and U.S. higher education, personal safety, U.S. healthcare and insurance, U.S. immigration laws, and the opportunity to identify, clarify and share adjustment experiences. Attending both orientations will be vital to your personal and academic success at Temple and your transition to university life in the U.S.
CHECKLIST FOR COMPLETING THE APPLICATION

Enclosed Will Send

Freshman Applicants Must Include:

☐ ☐ The completed admissions application form
☐ ☐ The $55 application fee, payable in U.S. dollars to Temple University; put full name on check
☐ ☐ Official TOEFL, IELTS, or APIEL results, required if English is not your native language; SAT/ACT recommended, not required
☐ ☐ Official transcripts or records of your last four years of secondary schooling with a certified English translation, if necessary; include proof of graduation when available
☐ ☐ Letter of recommendation (recommended, but not required)
☐ ☐ Official copies of results of any qualifying or national examinations that you have taken with a certified English translation, if necessary
☐ ☐ Required personal statement (part of admissions application)
☐ ☐ Completed Certification of eligibility application with supporting financial documents

Transfer applicants must include:

☐ ☐ All documents requested of freshman as listed above
☐ ☐ Official transcripts and records from all post-secondary schools attended; we recommend you include an official catalog or syllabus from each school, containing course descriptions and degree requirements

Temple University is committed to a policy of equal opportunity for all in every aspect of its operations. The University has pledged not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, marital status, or disability.

Campus Safety

It is Temple University’s policy to provide to all students, upon request, a copy of the University’s policies and procedures regarding campus security and safety, as well as crime rates and statistics for the most recent three-year period. For more information write to Campus Safety Services, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA 19122, or call (215) 204-7960.

General Policy Statement on Smoking

Temple University is committed to providing a smoke-free environment for everyone at Temple. All University facilities are designated as non-smoking.

Temple University Policy on Sexual Harassment and Sexual Assault

Temple University is committed to providing a learning and working environment that emphasizes the dignity and worth of every member of its community, free from discriminatory conduct. For more information, write to Office of Affirmative Action, 109 University Services Building, (215) 204-7335.

Information in this booklet is descriptive of the University at the time of publication and is subject to change.

The international application for admission can now be completed online. Visit admissions.temple.edu/international.
SCHOOLS/COLLEGES

BUSINESS, FOX SCHOOL OF
—
Accounting*
Actuarial Science
Business Management*
Economics
Entrepreneurship
Finance
Human Resource Management
International Business
Legal Studies*
Management Information Systems
Marketing*
Real Estate
Risk Management and Insurance
Undeclared
*Also available as an online program for transfer students only, freshmnan are not eligible.

CENTER FOR THE ARTS
ART, TYLER SCHOOL OF
—
Additional requirements for admission may be needed for select majors. Please visit www.temple.edu/tyler for more information.
Architecture (BS)
Architectural Preservation
Art Education (BS)
Art History
BFA with Teaching Certification
Ceramics and Glass Facilities Management
Fibers and Materials Studies
Graphic and Interactive Design
Metals/Jewelry/CAD-CAM
Painting and Drawing
Photography
Printmaking
Sculpture
Visual Studies

MUSIC & DANCE, BOYER COLLEGE OF
—
Main Campus only. For Music: Audition and Music Theory Test required for all programs; call 215-204-6810. For Dance: Audition required; call 215-204-0533.
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance
Bachelor of Music
Jazz Studies/Composition
Jazz Studies Performance (Instrumental, Keyboard or Vocal)

DIVISION OF THEATER, FILM & MEDIA ARTS
—
Film and Media Arts
Theater

EDUCATION, COLLEGE OF
—
Adult and Organizational Development
Career and Technical Education
Early Childhood Education (PreK-4)
Middle Grades Education (4–8)
Secondary Education (7–12)
English
Mathematics
Science
Social Studies
World Languages

ENGINEERING, COLLEGE OF
—
Civil Engineering
Construction Management Technology
Electrical Engineering (computer)
Engineering (general)
Engineering Technology
Mechanical Engineering
Undeclared

ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN, SCHOOL OF
—
(only available at the Ambler campus)
Community and Regional Planning
Horticulture (4-year program)
Horticulture (2-year program)
Landscape Architecture (4-year program)
You may choose the Ambler campus without indicating School of Environmental Design as an academic choice.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS AND SOCIAL WORK, COLLEGE OF
—
Athletic Training
Health Information Management (fall transfers only)
Kinesiology
Linguistics
Nursing (fall only)
Pre-Health Information Management
Public Health
Speech, Language and Hearing Science
Therapeutic Recreation
Undeclared

LIBERAL ARTS, COLLEGE OF
—
American Studies
Anthropology
Asian Studies
Classics
Criminal Justice
Economics
English
Environmental Studies
French
Geography/Urban Studies
German
History
Italian
Jewish Studies
Latin American Studies
Mathematical Economics
Neuroscience: Cellular and Molecular Physics*
Pre-pharmacy Track
Undeclared
*Can be combined with Temple's innovative TUTEACH program.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, COLLEGE OF
—
Applied Mathematics
Biochemistry
Biology*
Biophysics
Chemistry*
Computer Science
Environmental Science
Geology
Information Science and Technology
Mathematics*
Mathematical Economics
Mathematics and Computer Science*
Natural Sciences
Neuroscience: Cellular and Molecular Physics*
Pre-pharmacy Track
Undeclared

SOCIAL WORK, SCHOOL OF
—
Social Work

TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT, SCHOOL OF
—
Sport and Recreation Management
Tourism and Hospitality Management

UNIVERSITY STUDIES*
—
Undeclared
*Note: Not available for students who will transfer 60+ credits.
International Undergraduate Admissions Application
Office of International Undergraduate Admissions, Philadelphia, PA 19122-6096

The best way to apply is online at admissions.temple.edu/international. The online application fee is $55. Your application will be processed faster if you apply online. The application fee is payable to Temple University.

1. Personal Information
   *Refer to specific instructions for completing the application

1. *Legal Name: ____________________________
   last (family) first (given) middle (if none, indicate none)

2. Social Security # (if you have one): ____________________________

3. *Mailing Address (for receipt of decision letter and other mailings throughout application process; no post office boxes):
   street ____________________________
   apartment name and number (if applicable) ____________________________
   city ____________________________ province or state ____________________________ postal or zip code ____________________________
   country ____________________________ email address (if you have one) ____________________________

4. Telephone: ____________________________

5. Fax: ____________________________

6. Date of Birth: ____________________________
   month __________ day __________ year __________

7. Sex: □ Male □ Female

8. City of Birth: ____________________________

9. Country of Birth: ____________________________

10. Country of Citizenship: ____________________________
   10a Native Language: ____________________________

11. Is English your primary language?: □ Yes □ No

12. Are you a resident alien or permanent resident of the United States?: No

13. Do you hold a current non-immigrant visa?: □ Yes □ No
   If yes, which one: ____________________________

14. Will you need to obtain a student visa to come to Temple?: □ Yes □ No
   If yes, which one: F-1 Student J-1 Student/Exchange Visitor

15. U.S. telephone number and contact person (if available): ____________________________

16. Your Family:
   Mother’s (or Guardian) Name: ____________________________
   last __________ first __________
   Home Address (if different from yours): ____________________________
   city/state or province/ zip code ____________________________

   Father’s (or Guardian) Name: ____________________________
   last __________ first __________
   Home Address (if different from yours): ____________________________
   city/state or province/ zip code ____________________________

   My □ father □ mother is a graduate of Temple University: ____________________________
   city/state or province/ zip code ____________________________

   Parent or Guardian’s Email Address: ____________________________
2. Temple University Admissions Information

17 *Which semester and year are you applying for? Spring (January) Fall (September) Year: ____________________________

18 *Are you applying as a freshman or transfer? ☐ Freshman ☐ Transfer (15 or more college credits completed)

19 Have you previously applied for admission to Temple University? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, semester and year: ____________________________

20 *Campus Choice (select one): Main Ambler Health Science (H.I.M. transfers only)

21 *Do you intend to live in a residence hall on Temple’s campus? ☐ Yes ☐ No

22 *What is your intended major?

22a Temple School/College: ____________________________________________________________

22b Major: ____________________________________________________________

3. Academic Information

23 *Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) is required of all applicants whose native language is not English.

Date Taken: ____________________________

24 *The Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT), American College Test (ACT) or International English Language Testing System (IELTS) may also be taken in lieu of TOEFL test.

SAT: Date Taken (or will take): _______ (month/year) _______ (month/year)

ACT: Date Taken (or will take): _______ (month/year) _______ (month/year)

Other English Proficiency test: Date Taken (or will take): ____________________________

25 *List all secondary schools attended, beginning with the most recent one:

A. Name of School: ____________________________

Address:___________________________________________

number and street city province/state/country postal code

Dates of attendance: ____________________________ Diploma received: ____________________________

B. Name of School: ____________________________

Address:___________________________________________

number and street city province/state/country postal code

Dates of attendance: ____________________________ Diploma received: ____________________________
26 *List all colleges and universities attended, beginning with the most recent one:

A. Name of School: ________________________________________________________________

   Address: ________________________________________________________________

      number and street  city  province/state/country  postal code

   Dates of attendance: _____________________  Diploma received: ___________________

B. Name of School: ________________________________________________________________

   Address: ________________________________________________________________

      number and street  city  province/state/country  postal code

   Dates of attendance: _____________________  Diploma received: ___________________

27 *List all university-level courses you are currently taking:

Name of College: ________________________________________________________________

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Completion Date: ________________________________

4. Academic Honors and Extracurricular Activities

28 *Briefly describe any academic honors, awards, extracurricular activities, work, public service experience, or achievements in secondary school or college:

______________________________________________________________________________

______________________________________________________________________________

______________________________________________________________________________

29 Indicate interest in receiving more information on: □ Band  □ Chorus
5. Essay

30 Please print or type an essay of 250 to 400 words that tells us more about you. Some suggestions include personal experiences or circumstances that have been important to your personal or academic development; issues that you feel strongly about; personal, educational and career goals; or any other information that you would like the Admissions Committee to know as we review your application.

I understand that any misrepresentation of facts on this application or withholding of information may be cause for refusal of admission, dismissal or other disciplinary action if subsequently discovered. I further understand that I have a continuing duty to promptly notify Temple of any subsequent information of facts that would change, add to, or otherwise relate to this application or my admission status.

X

Applicant’s Signature

Date

(Note: unsigned applications will be returned for signature.)
Certificate of Eligibility Application

Applicants should note that Temple University will issue the Certificate of Eligibility (Form I-20 or DS-2019) only after all materials are received by the university's International Student and Scholar Services. Issuance of the certificate can take several months. Please apply early.

To ensure accuracy, please print. Include a copy of your passport; the Form I-20 or DS-2019 must match your passport.

International Student Information

Family name ___________________________________________________________________________ First __________________________ Middle __________________________

Date of birth __________________ City of birth ______________ Country of birth __________________ Gender: □ M □ F

Country of permanent residence __________________ Country of citizenship __________________

Foreign Address

A Certificate of Eligibility cannot be generated unless we have your foreign address.

Street address: __________________________________________________________________________ City __________________________ Province/State __________________

Postal code __________________ Country ___________________________________ Email address __________________________________________________________________________

Temple ID # (9XXXXXXXX) __________________________________________________________________________ Home telephone (___) __________________________

Is this the address to which you would prefer your I-20 or DS-2019 be sent? □ Yes □ No

If not, indicate your mailing address: __________________________________________________________________________

Are you married? □ Yes □ No If “Yes,” will your spouse and/or children join you?

□ Yes, they will join me now. (Please complete information below.) □ Yes, they will join me after I get settled.
□ I am married, but my dependents will not join me.

Dependent Information

A dependent is defined as a spouse or child. Attach additional sheets if child(ren) will accompany. If more than one dependent will accompany, please include all of the following information for each dependent on a separate piece of paper.

Relationship: □ Husband □ Wife □ Child

Family name ___________________________________________________________________________ First __________________________ Middle __________________________

Date of birth __________________ Country of birth __________________ Gender: □ M □ F

Country of citizenship __________________ Country of permanent residence __________________

Academic & Immigration Information

Semester applied for: □ Fall □ Spring □ Summer I □ Summer II □ 2013 □ 2014 □ 2015

Level of study: □ Undergraduate □ Graduate □ Professional Field of study (major) __________________

Are you currently in the U.S.? □ Yes □ No If “Yes,” what visa classification do you hold? __________________

Please attach a copy of your immigration documents: I-94 card, passport information page, I-20 or DS-2019 forms. SEVIS ID # ______________

If you are not in F-1 or J-1 status, do you plan to: travel outside the U.S. and apply for F-1/J-1 status at the U.S. Consulate? □ Yes □ No

or apply for a change of status in the U.S.? □ Yes □ No

See www.temple.edu/isss/immigration/status.html, if you plan to change your status in the U.S.

Receiving Your Certificate of Eligibility

□ Regular mail (no charge to applicant; no tracking number can be provided with this service and it could take up to a month for international mail)

□ UPS express mail (related charge will be placed on your credit card bill; check www.ups.com for shipping rates)

Credit Card Information (To be completed if UPS selected above): □ American Express □ Discover □ MasterCard □ Visa

Credit card # __________________________ Expiration date __________________________

Credit card security code __________________________ Postal code associated with the card __________________________

Name on credit card __________________________

Student signature __________________________ Date __________________________
**International Student Fee:** A $100 international student fee will be charged to your bill each semester while you are enrolled at Temple University. This fee covers the mandatory pre-orientation that you will attend at the beginning of the semester, as well as services and events sponsored and offered by International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) during your studies.

**Dependents’ Support Requirements:** In addition to the expenses listed in this application form, you must provide additional financial documentation if you plan to bring your spouse and/or child(ren). You must have an additional $4,000 for your spouse and $2,500 for each child, as well as health insurance coverage for them.

Individuals in F-2 non-immigrant status, i.e., an F-1 student’s dependent, are NOT permitted to study full-time unless they apply for and receive a change of non-immigrant status. If you are a spouse in F-2 status and wish to pursue a full-time degree program, you will be required to apply for a change of status. Information on how to obtain a change of status can be found at [www.temple.edu/isss/immigration/status.html](http://www.temple.edu/isss/immigration/status.html).

**Health Insurance:** Temple University requires all students in either F-1 or J-1 status to carry health insurance that meets the minimum standards determined by the U.S. Department of State:

- Medical benefits of at least $50,000 per accident or illness
- Maximum deductible of $500 per accident or illness
- Payment of at least 75 percent of covered expenses
- Medical evacuation benefits of at least $10,000
- Repatriation benefits of at least $7,500

**Initial Expenses:** Bring with you at least $2,000 in the form of traveler’s checks for initial expenses, even if you have a graduate/teaching/research assistantship. You may pay tuition by a check made payable to Temple University, credit card or traveler’s checks, unless tuition is being provided by Temple University or another organization. For any questions regarding tuition payment, please contact Student Financial Services Office at sfs@temple.edu or (215) 204-2244. Be aware that it takes a minimum of two weeks for an international check to be processed by U.S. banks.

**Housing Information:** You should apply for on-campus housing as soon as possible, as spaces fill up very quickly each semester. Completing an application for housing does not guarantee that you will be given on-campus housing. More information about Temple University housing can be found at [www.temple.edu/housing](http://www.temple.edu/housing) or by phone at (215) 204-7184. If you have dependents who will join you, we strongly suggest that you arrive on campus alone so that you may find adequate housing, and have them join you after.

**Financial Aid:** Temple University does not provide loans to students, and there is very little financial aid available to international students. You should not expect to find funds after arriving in the U.S. Students in F-1 status cannot apply for any type of off-campus work permission until they have been in valid non-immigrant status for one academic year.

**Sponsor Affidavit of Support:** Sponsors may be parents, family members or other persons who will provide financial support. It is not necessary that a financial sponsor reside in the U.S. If there is to be more than one sponsor, please make a copy of this document for each sponsor to complete. An individual financial sponsor may provide complete or partial support for you, but your total financial support must equal or exceed the total estimated costs.

**Certificate of Eligibility: Difference between the I-20 and DS-2019**

I-20 is the certificate of eligibility for F-1 status that indicates the school declares you’ve been accepted for a full course of study and you appear to be a bona fide student. F-1 is designated for students in academic and language study programs.

DS-2019 serves a similar purpose for J-1 status applicants who receive funding from sources other than personal finances, like government funding, scholarships or assistantships. J-1 is designated for exchange students, teachers, scholars, researchers, etc., who come to the U.S. under an educational exchange program. J-1 students must be financed, at least partially, by the U.S. government or home government. The J-1 visa carries with it a two-year home residency requirement, as well as mandatory health insurance standards set forth by the Department of State for all dependents in J-2 status.

Please note that F-2 visa holders cannot engage in full-time study, nor are they eligible for any type of employment authorization, whereas J-2 visa holders are eligible for both.
Sponsor Information

Name of sponsor ____________________________  Date of birth ____________

Sponsor’s current address ____________________________

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I, ____________________________, state that I am an adult of sound mind and disposition, and that I am competent to swear this affidavit on behalf of ____________________________, who is seeking admission to study at Temple University and for whom I will assume financial responsibility.

☐ I intend to sponsor the student’s dependents.

☐ I do not intend to sponsor the student’s dependents.

I have reviewed the estimated expenses attached to this form and agree that I will provide full financial support so long as the student is enrolled at Temple University. Financial support will meet costs for tuition and mandatory student fees, mandatory medical health insurance, room and board, and other personal living expenses for the duration of study.

I certify that if restrictions exist regarding transfer of funds between my country of residence and the United States, I have fully investigated them and am aware of the procedures I must follow to remit payment when it is due, and that I will guarantee payment when it is due regardless of existing funds’ transfer restrictions.

I certify that the information provided in this Affidavit of Support and Bank Verification of Deposit is true and correct, and that I will provide funds to and assume full financial responsibility for this student for the duration of study at Temple University. Further, I authorize Temple University to verify that the above information is correct.

Sponsor signature ___________________________________________  Date ____________

Bank Verification of Deposit

This is to be HANDWRITTEN in ENGLISH by a bank official.

Bank certification of sponsor accounts must be current and cannot exceed six months from the date of the bank officer’s signature and stamp. This form must be submitted with three to four months of the most recent bank statements.

This is to certify that the account holder, ____________________________, is a customer of (bank name) ____________________________.

His/Her account was opened (date) ________________, and for the past year has shown an average balance equal to U.S. $ ________________.

The accounts are open and viable as of today’s date. This certification is offered with no responsibility on the part of the financial institution.

Printed name of bank official ___________________________________________  Title ________________

Bank address ___________________________________________  Bank seal or stamp ________________

Bank official signature ___________________________________________  Date ________________

This form cannot be accepted without the bank officer’s signature and bank seal or stamp.
Transfer Recommendation Form

(Only for F-1 or J-1 students already studying in the U.S.)

If you are studying in a U.S. educational institution, you must submit this transfer recommendation form to your current international student advisor. To transfer from one school to another, you must first notify the school you currently attend that you intend to transfer to Temple University. This form should only be completed once you have been accepted to Temple University.

Upon your request your current school will update your record in SEVIS as a “transfer out” and indicate that you intend to transfer to Temple University. Your international student advisor will also indicate the release date of your SEVIS record, which will be the current semester or session completion date, or the date of expected transfer if earlier than the established academic cycle.

Your current school will retain control of your record in SEVIS until you complete the current term or reach the release date. At your request the international office may cancel the transfer request at any time prior to the release date.

Once the release date is reached, Temple University will be granted full access to your record in SEVIS and will become responsible for it. Your current school will convey to Temple University authority and responsibility for your record and will no longer have full SEVIS access. As such, a transfer request may not be cancelled by the current school after the release date has been reached. After the release date, Temple University must complete the transfer of your record in SEVIS and may issue an I-20 or DS-2019.

To Designated School Official

The above-named student has submitted an admission application to Temple University.

Current Immigration Status: □ F-1  □ J-1

SEVIS ID # ____________________________  SEVIS release date ____________________________

☐ The student is in good standing and is/has been pursuing a full course of study since assuming valid non-immigrant student status.

☐ The student is out of status and will need to apply for a reinstatement.

Comments

Name and title of DSO ____________________________  Name of institution ____________________________  Date ____________

Telephone (   ) ____________________________  Fax (   ) ____________________________  E-mail ____________________________

Signature of DSO ____________________________  Date ____________

Please fax a copy of the front and back of all I-20s or DS-2019s issued. Materials may also be e-mailed to us at isss@temple.edu. Thank you.

Please return this form and supporting financial documentation to:

Temple University International Student and Scholar Services
1700 N. Broad Street, Suite 203B,
Philadelphia, PA 19122

Or you can fax this application to (215) 204-3200

Telephone: (215) 204-7708  E-mail: isss@temple.edu  Web: www.temple.edu/isss