

# INTERNATIONAL STUDENT INFORMATION

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## INSTRUCTIONS

**Clearwater Christian College** welcomes student applicants whose citizenship is from countries other than our school's home residence. It is believed that international student brings a unique perspective to both the classroom and residence hall environment. In addition, the College is encouraged to accept the opportunity of training these individuals as they return home to reach their own peoples for Christ. The purpose of this flier is to inform international students of specific policies affecting their possible enrollment and to obtain specific information for the preparation of the required student visa. In order to evaluate your application for admissions, we will need to receive the following.

- International students are required to submit a completed General Application for Admission and International Student Information Form (enclosed with this packet) along with the required recommendations, academic documentation, and fees **no later** than 90 days prior to the month of anticipated entry. For fall terms, that date is May 15. For spring terms, that date is October 1. A \$35 application fee must accompany the General Application for Admission.
- The only visa the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) recognizes for international students is the F-1 Student Visa.
- International students must enroll as degree seeking and carry a full-time academic load. The minimum full-time academic load is 12 semester hours.
- Residence hall housing policies are in effect for international students (see General Application for Admission). Applicants who are above the age of 25, are single, never married, with no dependents, and wish to reside on-campus in the residence hall may request an exemption to the stated policy.
- International students whose native language is not English are required to submit satisfactory scores from a recent administration of the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL). The minimum TOEFL result accepted is 500 (paper-taken examination) or 170 (computer-taken examination). For more information on TOEFL contact: TOEFL, Box 1651, Princeton, New Jersey 08541-6151 or fax: 609-771-7500 or <http://toefl.org>.
- International students are ineligible for financial aid available to citizens of the United States from national and state sources. The only possible assistance available through the College is that which is offered through our institutional financial aid program. The College Funded Scholarship Application outlines these offerings. The priority deadline for submitting this application is March 15.

- Unless granted a Work Permit by INS, international students are limited in their work opportunities to on-campus employment. During the school year, the international student cannot work more than 20 hours per week. Interested students are required to complete the Campus Work application available through the College's Financial Aid Office. The College does not guarantee international students work on campus during the school year, between academic terms, or during the summer break. NOTE: It is impossible for international students to obtain a Work Permit from INS during the first year of enrollment. For subsequent years, proof of extreme hardship and change of financial support must be presented to INS before such permission is granted. The international student should not enroll expecting this permit to become a reality.
- One of the major requirements of the International Student Information Form is the documentation of the applicant's ability to satisfy the anticipated cost of attendance. The budget figures below are estimates the College has devised for the student type listed. The budget estimate for your student type should be entered on line 7 on the attached form.

Fee Type	Single, living on-campus	Single, living off-campus	Married, living off-campus
Tuition & required fees	\$ 13,160	\$ 13,160	\$ 13,160
Textbooks & supplies	\$ 900	\$ 900	\$ 900
Room & board	\$ 5,610	\$ 10,000	\$ 12,000
Personal, <i>excluding transportation</i>	\$ 4,500	\$ 4,500	\$ 4,500
Total	\$24,170	\$28,560	\$31,560

Budget estimates are for the 2007-2008 school year. All fees have been estimated as typical for average student type.

Once all admissions concerns are resolved, the College will issue an acceptance letter, your I-20, and general instructions on how you can obtain your F-1 visa. The student is encouraged to consult reliable assistance in the immigration process at their closest United States Embassy or Consulate.

# Clearwater Christian College

## International Student Information Form

### 2007-2008

Instructions: All information should be printed clearly. Completed forms should be mailed to the Office for Enrollment Services.

#### General Information

1. Your Name	4. Date of Birth <hr style="width: 80%; margin: 0 auto;"/> Month      Day      Year
2. Permanent Address	5. Place of Birth (Country)
3. Mailing Address	6. Country of Citizenship

#### Documentation of Support

<b>7. From the budget estimates given on the preceding page, enter the budget estimate you must verify support here.</b>	Budget Estimate
<p>In the spaces below, enter the expected amount of annual support from the sources listed. Enter the amount in U.S. dollars. Letters from bank officials verifying support should be attached. Use an additional sheet of paper for explanations, if necessary. Individuals who sign certifying their support are acknowledging the following: <i>"This is to certify that I have read the information furnished by the applicant on this form, that it is true and accurate statement, and that the funds are available and will be provided as indicated."</i></p>	
<b>8. Personal or Family Savings</b>	Amount Assured for 2007-2008
<hr style="width: 80%; margin: 0 auto;"/> Name of Bank	
Bank Official Signature                      Title                      Bank Address                      Date	
<b>9. Parents: other than savings</b>	Amount Assured for 2007-2008
<hr style="width: 80%; margin: 0 auto;"/> Source	
Parents Signature                      Address                      Date	
<b>10. Your Government</b>	Amount Assured for 2007-2008
<hr style="width: 80%; margin: 0 auto;"/> Name of Agency	
<i>Enclose with this form a signed copy of your award letter.</i>	

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<b>11. Clearwater Christian College</b>  Scholarships:  Anticipated Work:  <b><i>Attach copy of your CCC Award Letter and Work Agreement.</i></b>	Amount Assured for 2007-2008
<b>12. Sponsor(s):</b> <i>Monies available from sources than parents or self.</i>  Sponsor #1: _____	Amount Assured for 2007-2008
Sponsor #1 Signature                      Source                      Address                      Date	
Sponsor #2: _____	Amount Assured for 2007-2008
Sponsor #2 Signature                      Source                      Address                      Date	
Cumulative Totals	

### Miscellaneous Information

13. What is the present exchange rate of your country's currency to U.S. dollars? (e.g. 3100 pesos = \$1)
14. Does your government currently impose restrictions on exchange and release of funds for study in the U.S.? Yes No If yes, describe restrictions.
15. How will you pay for your transportation to the U.S.?
16. Do you have a source for emergency funds once you arrive in the U.S.? Yes No If yes, name the source.
17. Do you plan to reside in the U.S. during the summer? Yes No If yes, what is your plan?
18. <b>CERTIFICATION:</b> I certify that the information on this form is true, correct, and complete. I understand that any misrepresentation may be cause for refusing or revoking admission.  Signature of Student _____ Date _____

Upon the satisfactory review of this information, Clearwater Christian College will forward a copy of this form along with the I-20 Form for presentation to the U.S. Consul for preparation of the F-1 Student Visa.

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