International Student
Affidavit of Financial Support
Academic Year 2022-23

→ **Instructions for Parent/Sponsor**
Completion and submission of an Affidavit of Financial Support is a required part of the international student enrollment process into US colleges and universities. The amount of support shown must be equal to or greater than the annual cost of attendance minus any scholarship that has been offered to the student. The assumption by Hope College and the US Immigration Service is that this support will continue for the duration of your study at Hope College.

The student name and e-mail should match the name, and e-mail address, used on the submitted Common Application for admission. In the “Relationship to Student” section please indicate, Parent, Family Member, or Sponsor.

→ **2021-2022 Cost of Attendance***

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<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Amount</th>
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<tr>
<td>Tuition &amp; Fees</td>
<td>$38,370</td>
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<td>Room &amp; Board</td>
<td>$11,090</td>
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<td>Miscellaneous Expenses**</td>
<td>$4,000</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td>53,460</td>
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*Room and board rates traditionally increase 3-4% annually
**Miscellaneous expenses include estimates for: Health Insurance, Books and Travel

→ **Scholarships**
All admitted international students are considered for an academic scholarship, valued from $15,000 - $25,000. These are renewable for a total of four years, as long as the student remains in good academic standing. If awarded, scholarship notification will be sent with the admission letter. The amount

→ **Bank statement**
The bank statement needs to be an original document, issued by the sponsor’s bank. It can show accounts with balances, or it can be a letter, on letterhead, stamped and signed by a bank official, verifying that the necessary funds are on account and accessible. The statement needs to be issued within the last 6 months. The balances must show the current equivalent value in US dollars.

The completed and signed form (below), with an accompanying bank statement, should be scanned and sent as a PDF to admissions@hope.edu, with “Financial Verification – (student name) in the Subject line of the message. As an alternative, the documents can be mailed to:

Hope College Admissions Office
Attn: International Admission
69 East 10th Street
Holland, Michigan USA 49423
This affidavit of support is being submitted on behalf of the following person:

Name: _______________________________  /  _______________________________  Male/Female: ____________
   Surname/Family Name   First, Middle name

Date of Birth: _______________________  Citizenship Country: _____________________________________________________
   Month/Day/Year

Current Address: ______________________________________________________________________________________________
   Street Address       City  State/Province         Country

Parent/Sponsor’s Name: ___________________________________  /  ______________________________________
   Surname/Family Name    First, Middle name

Address: ____________________________________________________________________________________________________

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Work Phone: _________________________ Home Phone: _________________________ Cell Phone: __________________________

E-mail address: _________________________________________________________________

Relationship to student:   _____ Parent _____ Family Member _____ Sponsor

Name of Bank: _________________________________________________________________

Address of Bank: ________________________________________________________________

As the student’s financial sponsor, and by signing this Affidavit, I am verifying the following:

1. I agree to provide the required annual financial support for this student for the duration of their study at Hope College.

2. I understand that any scholarship offered to the student remains the same for the duration of the student’s study at Hope College, up to four years total.

3. I understand that the cost of attendance at Hope College increases on an annual basis.

4. I am providing a current original bank statement verifying the needed support, as part of the enrollment process. I understand I will also need to provide an updated original bank statement at the time of the student’s visa interview.

Signature: _______________________________  Date: _____/_____/_____
   Month Day Year