



The purpose of the Certificate of Finance is to help Stetson obtain complete and accurate information about the funds available to international applicants who want to study in the United States. By completing this form and returning it to Stetson’s Office of Admissions, a deposited student may obtain Stetson’s authorization to complete and issue a Certification of Eligibility (Form I-20 or DS-2019).

1. You are responsible for demonstrating sufficient funds to meet all educational and personal expenses for the duration of your F-1 status at Stetson University. You must certify that you have at least the amount necessary to cover your tuition, fees, and living expenses for the duration of your first year of study. *Tuition will increase 2-3% every year and therefore expenses will increase.*
2. The following types of financial documentation can be accepted, and you may use a combination of resources:
 - A. Bank statement or certificate of balance/certificate of deposit signed by a bank official on official bank letterhead indicating the current balance from yourself, your family, another individual sponsor or government agency. These need to match the descriptions you put in Section B, #8a–d. *Note: Bank documentation must be from a checking, savings, or time deposit account.*
 - B. Brokerage (stock funds), property or real estate, life insurance, jewelry, or any other non-liquid assets are NOT ACCEPTABLE. Also, the type of currency must be clearly indicated on the financial documentation.
 - C. Evidence must be provided in the form of official documents (in English) within six months of being submitted.

Return directly to Stetson University

Section A

**One year = 1 fall and 1 spring semester*

(For Admission Purposes Only)

One year* tuition full time cost \$

One year cost of housing, food and fees \$

Health Insurance Cost Per Year \$

Estimated miscellaneous, including Graduation Fee \$

Grand Total proof needed without dependents and scholarship \$

Any scholarships you receive will be subtracted from the above grand total, and the amount that remains is the amount you will need to prove that you, a family member, a sponsor, or whoever is helping you pay for college has in a bank account. Your total Financial Aid including Merit is \$, so the total amount that you would need to prove using official bank statements would be \$. If you subtract the estimated miscellaneous fees (these are personal fees that will not be on your bill from Stetson for things like medical expenses, plane tickets, books for class), that leaves you with a total cost of \$ per year.

Section B

1. Your Name

Mr. Ms. Mrs. Miss

Family (surname)

Given (first)

Middle

4. Date of Birth

Month Day Year

2. Permanent Address

3. Mailing Address (if different from above)

5. Place of Birth (country)

6. Country of Citizenship

7. Expected Visa Type

- F-1 G-2
 F-2 G-3
 J-1 G-4
 J-2 H
 G-1 Other (specify) _____

8. Enter the expected amount of annual support from the sources listed below. Enter amounts in U.S. dollars. Please PRINT all entries. Attach an additional sheet of paper for explanations, if necessary.

Student's Source of Funds	Assured Support	Projected Support			
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	
8a. Personal or Family Savings					
<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	
Name of Bank					
Signature of Bank Official	Date				
Title					
Name of Bank					
Address of Bank					

Official Certification of Sources of Funds and Amounts

This is to certify that I have read the information furnished by the applicant on this form, that it is a true and accurate statement, and that the funds are available and will be provided as indicated.

8b. Parents (Money available from sources other than savings)

<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Parent's Name				
Relationship				
<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Parent's Name				
Relationship				

Please describe the source:

Signature of Parent

Date

Address

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8c. Sponsors

	\$		\$		\$		\$	
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Sponsor's Name _____

	\$		\$		\$		\$	
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Sponsor's Name _____

Please describe the source:

Signature of Sponsor

Date

Address

Relationship of Sponsor to Student

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8d. Your Government

	\$		\$		\$		\$	
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Name of Agency

Enclose a signed copy of your letter of award amount with this form.

TOTAL

	\$		\$		\$		\$	
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9. What is the present exchange rate of your country's currency to the U.S. dollar?
(for example, 3,100 pesos = \$1)

_____ = \$1

10. Does your government currently impose restrictions on exchange and release of funds for study in the U.S.?

Yes No

If YES, describe restrictions:

11. Do you have a source for emergency funds once you arrive in the U.S.?

Yes No

If YES, name the source:

Amount available in U.S. dollars \$

12. How will you pay for your transportation in the U.S.?

13. What is the total amount of money you expect to have when you arrive at this institution?

\$

14. Do you plan to remain in the U.S. during the summer?

Yes No

15. If remaining in the U.S., do you plan to attend summer school?

Yes No

16. What are the sources and amounts of support available to you during the summer?

Sources	Amount
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$

Section C

Please read each of the following statements and initial on the given space:

- _____ The breakdown in Section A does not include extra expenses such as books. We recommend a budget of \$1,200 per year for the purchase of books and any needed supplies.
- _____ The breakdown in Section A includes an academic year, which consists of two semesters (fall and spring). Summer housing and winter break housing is available but limited. If there is availability to live on campus in the summer or winter break, there is an additional fee. It is the student's responsibility to reach out to Residential Living and Learning prior to the departure of spring and fall to ensure there is housing available and pay the additional fee.
- _____ If a student is approved for summer or winter housing, The Commons (dining hall) is not open. The Commons is also not open during Thanksgiving Break and Spring Break.
- _____ Stetson University offers a Monthly Payment Plan (MPP) with up to **five payments per semester**. **You must sign up for the MPP at the beginning of each semester**. Fall semester payments begin July 15th and spring semester payments begin December 15th. If you fail to sign up for a payment plan, your balance will be due in full. Your classes will be canceled and you will be unable to move into your assigned dorm.
- _____ If you falsify any of this information, you will be sent to the Dean of Students Office, and your enrollment could potentially be dismissed.

17. A CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY (Form I-20 or DS-2019) will not be authorized until this form is completed and returned to Stetson University. The institution will attach a copy of this form to your CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY. Both the form and certificate must be shown to the U.S. consulate to obtain a visa.

Signature of Student _____

This is to certify that the information given on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am fully aware that any false or misleading statement(s) will result in an automatic denial of admission or cancellation of registration following enrollment.

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Month Day Year

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This is to certify that I have reviewed the declaration and attached documents, if appropriate, and approve issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility.

SIGNATURE OF COLLEGE OFFICIAL _____ TITLE _____