



Undergraduate Certificate of Finance

Valdosta State University

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To be submitted by future international undergraduate students only

Estimated Fees and Expenses at Valdosta State University for the Academic Year 2019-2020

VSU is a member of the public University System of Georgia. The government of Georgia pays a portion of the tuition cost for students who are legal residents of Georgia. Non-residents of Georgia are defined as non U.S. citizens, U.S. permanent residents, and U.S. citizens who live in other states in the U.S.

	Academic Year Expenses (9 months - 15 semester credit hours per Fall/Spring semester)
Tuition and Student Fees*	\$21,494.00
Dormitory & Cafeteria/Off-campus Food, Room & Board (Estimated)	\$7,756.00
Books and Supplies (estimated)	\$1,200.00
Mandatory Health Insurance**	\$2,674.00
Miscellaneous Personal Expenses (<i>includes transportation, living expenses, etc.</i>) <i>Although individuals have different spending habits, all students should consider this figure as a minimum amount.</i>	\$3,000.00
Academic Year Total (2 Semesters)	\$36,124.00

Please use these figures as you complete your certificate of finances. You must have access to at least \$36,124.00 (total expenses for 2 semesters) annually. All supporting financial documents must be signed by a bank official and contain a bank seal or letter of support on bank stationery. Certificates without a signature or sufficient funds may be returned. Incomplete certificates will delay your acceptance to the university, and issuance of your form I-20 after acceptance.

* **Scholarships:** Scholarships waiving the non-resident portion of the tuition are available for outstanding undergraduate students. A student seeking a scholarship should apply for the international student scholarship. More information regarding the international student scholarship can be found here: <http://www.valdosta.edu/iss/isscholarship.php>. No full scholarships are available. Tuition and Fee Schedules can be found on the VSU Bursary website (<http://www.valdosta.edu/administration/finance-admin/financial-services/students/>).

****Health Insurance:** All foreign students must purchase the VSU comprehensive medical insurance policy for the duration of their enrollment. This medical insurance is necessary to cover the high cost of hospitalization and emergency medical treatment, including medical evacuation and repatriation. Amounts reflected on this form are the annual fees for (single) students for the 2019-2020 academic year. Students with dependents will be subject to different fees. Health insurance for students who start in the Summer semester are charged at pro-rated rate. Students pay the health insurance premium in two installments, first one in the Fall semester and second one in the Spring semester.



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U.S. Immigration Law requires you to certify that you have sufficient funds available for your academic and living expenses. **\$36,124** is the estimated minimum funds needed for a **nine-month academic year (two semesters) based on 2019-2020 school-year expenses (see previous page):**

Dependent Expenses: If you are married and plan to bring your spouse and/or children, you must also certify at least \$5,000 for your spouse or first dependent and \$2,000 per year for each additional child. In addition, health insurance for international students is required and is strongly recommended for dependents.

INSTRUCTIONS: Fill out this page and submit it along with one of the documents listed below.

STUDENT INFORMATION — PLEASE FILL OUT ALL FIELDS

Name

FAMILY/SURNAME/LAST NAME

FIRST/GIVEN NAME

SECOND/MIDDLE NAME

Date of Birth

MM/DD/YYYY

Marital Status

Single

Married

Number of Dependents

Student's Personal E-mail

Student Acknowledgment of Responsibilities

I realize that I am required by U.S. immigration law to provide the University with adequate documentation that indicates that I will have sufficient funds to cover my studies and living expenses of any dependents I have, in the United States.

Student Signature

Date Signed

MM/DD/YYYY

SPONSOR INFORMATION — PLEASE FILL OUT ALL FIELDS*

Sponsor's or Organization's Name

Relationship to Applicant*

Sponsor's

Address

STREET ADDRESS

CITY/TOWN

STATE/PROVINCE

COUNTRY

ZIP/POSTAL CODE

Sponsor's Telephone #

Sponsor's Fax #

Sponsor's E-mail

SPONSOR'S ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

I am willing and fully aware of the costs of an education at Valdosta State University, and I assume financial responsibility for the sponsored student's expenses for the course of their studies at said university.

** If the student is sponsoring their own studies, then the student will need to fill out their information in the sponsor fields.*

Sponsor's Signature

Date Signed

MM/DD/YYYY

PROOF OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Please provide one of the following documents that shows at least the minimum amount listed above for the estimated annual cost of your program:

1. Scholarship letter printed on the organization's letterhead (government, private, company) showing at least the minimum amount of funds needed to successfully complete your studies at Valdosta State University.
2. Personal or sponsor's bank statement showing at least the amount needed to successfully complete at least one year's studies at Valdosta State University.