

Visiting Student Financial Support

Exchange visitors must document sufficient financial resources to cover living and personal expenses during their program of study at New Jersey City University. In preparing your documents, remember that exchange visitors are permitted to work in the U.S. only under certain limited circumstances. Therefore, visitors should not count on employment during their program as a means of financial support.

The following list summarizes the approximate expenses an exchange visitor will incur in **one semester at NJCU**. We also advise visitors to be prepared for unforeseen and discretionary spending not included in this estimate of expenses.

Room and Board	\$7,200
Books and personal expenses	\$2,000
Approximate total expenses	\$9,200 per semester

Documentation of financial support:

1) Personal Funds: Visitors may act as their own full or partial sponsor if they can document sufficient personal funds. You should submit a notarized letter describing the amount of funds available, the length of availability, and the source of those funds (personal savings, etc) along with bank statements to verify the availability of the funds. Bank statements must show an average daily balance over a 90 day period and must be dated within 90 days of your DS2019 request.

2) Sponsorship by Family, Relatives, or Other Individuals: Sponsors must promise to support the visitor for the duration of study and be able to document sufficient financial resources. Sponsors must prepare the attached Affidavit of Financial sponsorship and may submit letters from employers, bank statements, or other documentation of income.

The following documents are **not acceptable**:

- Funds from investments and property
- Bank letters that do not contain the actual numerical balance in the account(s).
- Bank letters stating 'enough' or 'sufficient' funds are available without providing specific figures



AFFIDAVIT OF SPONSORSHIP FOR A VISITING STUDENT

International Students

I, (Name of Sponsor _____),
promise to provide (amount) _____
per semester to support the academic and living expenses of the student named
below:

Name of Student: _____

Relationship to Sponsor: _____

Sponsor's Address: _____

Name and Address of Sponsor's Employment: _____

Sponsor's Annual Income in US Dollars: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

**The sponsor will provide a statement from his bank and/or employer
attesting to income and financial status.**