

DECLARATION OF FINANCES
FOR INTERNATIONAL
STUDENT ADMISSION



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Please note that this form is only for non-U.S.A. passport holders. All forms are due April 1.

The International Student Scholarship Committee reviews all requests for both financial admission and financial assistance until April 1. Forms submitted between October 1–April 1 are given optimal consideration. Student immigration forms are issued only after admission is granted, financial resources are verified, and an enrollment deposit of \$4000 USD is received. All information may be reviewed by Calvin College, the U.S. State Department, and the U.S. Department of Immigration. Accuracy and certified/original documentation is imperative!

Calvin College Costs: 2009-2010 Figures* All dollar amounts are in U.S. funds.

Tuition & Fees	\$24,035	Fall, Interim, and Spring Semesters
Room & Board	\$8,275	Residence halls and dining room fees
General Expenses	\$3,290	Books, health insurance, supplies, etc.
Total Annual Costs	\$35,600	(*See section F of this form for estimated costs of future years.)

Calvin College Financial Assistance for International Students

Merit-based Scholarships: Transcripts, SAT or ACT scores, and admission essays are used for scholarship consideration. Academic Scholarships (\$1,000-6,000) are awarded as part of the financial admission process.
On-Campus Employment: Students granted an F-1 Student Visa may work up to 20 hours per week on campus during the school year and full-time during vacation periods. Students can earn \$2,000-3,500 working on campus for 10-15 hours per week during the school year and full-time during the summer.
Financial Aid: Calvin College has limited grants and scholarships to assist international students. Families should document on this form their ability to provide a minimum level of support. In most cases we expect the family to provide \$22,000.00/year USD for each of four years. There are NO full-pay grants/scholarships.
 Note: Academic admissions review may be delayed until sufficient financial support documentation is received.

Section A: Personal Information (provide mailing address if different than below)

LAST NAME											FIRST NAME											MIDDLE NAME										
COMPLETE HOME ADDRESS—NUMBER AND STREET																						CITY										
ZIP/POSTAL CODE						COUNTRY											PHONE NUMBER															
CITIZENSHIP (PASSPORT)											COUNTRY OF BIRTH																					
STUDENT EMAIL																						FAX NUMBER										
FATHER'S NAME																						OCCUPATION										
FATHER'S EMPLOYER																																
MOTHER'S NAME																						OCCUPATION										
MOTHER'S EMPLOYER																																
PARENT EMAIL																																

Mail and/or fax this form and all necessary documentation by April 1 to Calvin College, Admissions Office, 3201 Burton Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49546, United States of America. Fax number is 616-526-6777. Original forms are required before decisions are made. **IMPORTANT: Keep copies of this entire form for your records.**

FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND REFERENCES

Section B: Family/Guardian Income and Support

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
1. List annual family income:	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
2. What amount of this will help pay for your education costs?	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Employment and Salary Verification

This section to be completed by the employer of your parent(s) or guardian. Verification is needed for both parents, if they contribute to the family income. **Attach an official letter of employment to verify income (include salary amount).**

I hereby certify that I have reviewed the INCOME information in Section B of this Declaration of Finances form and affirm that the declared income is true.

Employer Name and Title (print) Employer Signature and Date

Name of Employer's Business Business Address

Employer Name and Title (print) Employer Signature and Date

Name of Employer's Business Business Address

Section C: Savings, Investments and Assets

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
1. List additional resources from family funds:	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
2. What amount of this will help pay for your education costs?	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Savings, Investments, and Assets

This section to be completed by a Bank Official. **Attach an official bank statement to verify resources.**

I hereby certify that I have reviewed the SAVINGS, INVESTMENT, AND ASSETS information in Section C of this Declaration of Finances form and affirm that the declared information is true.

Bank Official's Name and Title (print) Bank Official Signature and Date

Name of Bank Bank Address

Section D: Other Financial Sponsors

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
List all other financial sources that will be used for payment of your education (photocopy this form if additional copies are needed).	Sponsor #1 \$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
	Sponsor #2 \$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
	TOTAL \$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Financial Sponsor #1 Verification

This section to be completed by the person(s) financially sponsoring the education costs. **Attach official documentation to verify these financial resources.**

Affidavit of Sponsor

*I hereby attest that I am willing and able to provide no less than the amount stated in **Section D**, namely \$ _____ USD in cash for the duration of _____ years for the following named student*

My relation to the student is _____.

Affirmation of Oath

I hereby affirm that the contents of the above statement are true and correct.

Sponsor 1 Name and Title (print)

Sponsor 1 Signature and Date

Sponsor 1 Full Address

Sponsor 1 Email/Phone/Fax

Section D: Other Financial Sponsors (continued)

Financial Sponsor #2 Verification

This section to be completed by the person(s) financially sponsoring the education costs. **Attach official documentation to verify these financial resources.**

Affidavit of Sponsor

I hereby attest that I am willing and able to provide no less than the amount stated in **Section D**, namely \$_____ USD in cash for the duration of _____ years for the following named student

My relation to the student is _____.

Affirmation of Oath

I hereby affirm that the contents of the above statement are true and correct.

Sponsor 2 Name and Title (print)

Sponsor 2 Signature and Date

Sponsor 2 Full Address

Sponsor 2 Email/Phone/Fax

Section E: Declaration of Finances Summary

Tabulate the amount of funds from Sections B, C, and D to cover the education costs.

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Section B: Income (list amount from Section B, #2)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Section C: Savings, etc. (list amount from Section C, #2)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Section D: Sponsors (list total from Section D)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
SECTION E: TOTAL	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Section F: Request for Financial Aid From Calvin College

Calvin College is committed to assisting international students financially, but funds are very limited. Academic admissions review may be delayed until this form shows a reasonable level of support for your Calvin education. See the front page of this form for details about costs and minimum support levels. Early submission of all documents is encouraged so that additional information can be furnished if needed.

Estimated Costs for Calvin College	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
	\$38,100	\$40,800	\$43,700	\$46,700
Write the total amounts listed in Section E here:	- \$ _____	- \$ _____	- \$ _____	- \$ _____
List the amount of financial aid that you are requesting from Calvin College by subtracting the two numbers above.	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

This request will be reviewed by the Committee for International Student Financial Aid. The student will be notified of the financial aid award or denial by email and mail.

Section G: Student and Parent Signature Verification

This section to be completed by the student applicant and parent/guardian.

I hereby certify that the information on this form is true and complete. The stated financial resources are available and sufficient to support the total costs of a Calvin College education. With the exception of financial aid (if eligible), I do not expect Calvin College to provide additional financial resources. I understand that any misrepresentation of this information may be sufficient reason for refusing admission or revoking enrollment. **Keep a copy of this form for your records.**

Student Name

Student Signature and Date

Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature and Date

Parent/Guardian Full Address

Email/Phone/Fax

PROFILE OF EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

CALVIN

Student Name _____
*Certified translations into English and certified copies of supporting documents from the secondary level and above **must** be provided by the applicant and accompany this form. Applicants must complete columns 1 through 8, in full, to be considered for admission to Calvin College. Please use a copy of this form for additional entries, or download a PDF at www.calvin.edu/international.*

- Column 4** For each school year, enter the standard grade, form, class, or the name of the class or level you attended that year.
- Column 5** Write the kind of school you attended, such as Kindergarten, Elementary, Gymnasium, Lyceum, Collegio, Trade School, Grammar School, Teacher's College, University, etc.
- Column 6** Enter the name of each school you attended and its location/country.
- Column 7** Write the language used in class by your teachers.
- Column 8** Write the name of any examinations you passed or certificate(s) you obtained at the **end** of that school year. For example, if you completed high school at the end of your twelfth year in school, on that line write GCE, Bachillerato, Baccalaureate, etc.

- Column 1** On each line, write the appropriate years for each school year you attended.
- Column 2** Write your age for each grade attended, beginning with age 10.
- Column 3** Allow one line for each year of school you attended. **You must account for every year.** If you were out of school for a length of time, please note that, too.

1 Calendar Year 19-- to 20--	2 Your Age	3 Year in School	4 Grade Standing	5 Kind of School Attended	6 Full Name of School Attended and Country Where Located	7 Language of Instruction	8 Certificates, Diplomas Degrees, Graduation, etc.