



International Undergraduate Student Application

Application Deadlines:

Fall 2011: May 14, 2011
Spring 2011: November 16, 2010

Admission Information

- Freshman (No previous college/university coursework)
Transfer Student: from a U.S. College/University, from an International College/University
Exchange Student
Degree Seeking
Non-Degree Seeking

Term Seeking Admission: Spring 2011, Fall 2011

Intended Bachelor's Degree: Degree/Major, Concentration, Code:
(Ex: Marketing, Finance)

See Undergraduate Program Code Listings at: http://www.oneonta.edu/academics/inted/prospec_students.asp

I will require on-campus (Residential Life (dormitory) housing): Yes, No

Student Information

Print information clearly.

First/Given Name, Last/Family Name

Middle Name, Male, Female, Date of Birth (Month / Day / Year)

City of Birth, Country of Birth, Citizenship

Home Address, City

State/Province, Country, Postal Code

Mailing Address, City (If different than Home Address)

State/Province, Country, Postal Code

Telephone, Student's Email (Country Code + City or Area Code + Telephone Number) (Not Agency)

Valid Passport? Yes, No If Yes, you must enclose a copy of the photo page of your passport with this application.

I currently hold the following valid Visa: F-1, J-1, B-1/B-2, Other Specify
If current holder, you must enclose a copy of the photo page of your visa with this application.

I will be applying for the following Visa: F-1, J-1, B-1/B-2, Other Specify

This application is for international students on or intending to be on an F-1, J-1 visa, or valid visa authorized to engage in academic studies in the U.S.

English Proficiency Requirement – Choose One Only

I have taken or will take the TOEFL: Yes No IBT/PBT (Circle One) Test Date: _____ / _____ / _____
 Requirement: 61 iBT, 500 PBT minimum for consideration of admission.
 You must enclose a copy of TOEFL score report with application. Send original TOEFL report to SUNY College at Oneonta. Use Institution Code 2542.

I have taken or will take the IELTS: Yes No Test Date: _____ / _____ / _____
 Requirement: IELTS Bandscore of 6.5 minimum. No subscore less than 6.0.
 You must enclose a copy of your IELTS score report with application. Send original IELTS report to SUNY College at Oneonta. Use Institution Code 902.

ELS Language Centers – 112 Level Completion Date: _____ / _____ / _____
 Enclose copy of your ELS Certificate with application or upon completion of ELS program.

I have taken or will take the (Circle One) SAT or ACT: Yes No Test Date: _____ / _____ / _____
 Requirements: 1137 SAT (Math & Critical Reading Only); ACT of 25 Composite minimum for consideration of admission.
 Enclose copy of SAT or ACT score report with application. Send original score report to SUNY Oneonta. Code 2542 for SAT, Code 2940 for ACT.

Transfer Students: Students transferring from an accredited college/university within the U.S. with two semesters of successful college coursework do not need to submit a TOEFL, ELS, SAT/ACT or IELTS test score report.

Financial Documentation to Support Your Education - Required

Financial documentation must be in English *and* must be in United States Dollars (USD) or show applicable conversion rate. Choose the appropriate document(s) for your situation—you need not send all. U.S. immigration requires evidence of sufficient funds for the duration of a student’s academic program.

Example – Sources of Funding	Required Documentation	Evidence of Sufficient Funds Required
Personal Savings	Certified Bank Letter/Bank Statement – Original	2 years minimum of SUNY Oneonta cost (estimated at \$50,000 USD)
Parent/Sponsor Savings	Certified Bank Letter/Bank Statement – Original	2 years minimum of SUNY Oneonta cost (estimated at \$50,000 USD)
Affidavit of Support Form	Form I-134 – Original (See downloadable form on uscis.gov/forms)	2 years minimum of SUNY Oneonta cost (estimated at \$50,000 USD)

Educational Background

Secondary/High School – List Most Recent Institutions Attended

Name of School	City and Country	Attendance From (Month/Year)	Attendance To (Month/Year)	Program of Study	Degree/Diploma (Y/N)	Date Received (Month/Year)

College/University – List Most Recent Institution Attended

Name of School	City and Country	Attendance From (Month/Year)	Attendance To (Month/Year)	Program of Study	Degree/Diploma (Y/N)	Date Received (Month/Year)

Have you graduated or will you be graduating from a SUNY Community College? Yes No
 If Yes, Name of School: _____ Graduation date: _____

Have you ever been academically disciplined or dismissed from a college or university? Yes No

Recommendation Form – Required

One (1) recommendation form is required and should be completed by a qualified academic advisor, teacher/professor, or guidance counselor. The completed form should be in a sealed envelope and mailed with this application.

Essay - Required

Instructions: Attach a separate document to this application. The purpose of this essay is to become acquainted with you as a prospective student and to evaluate your ability in organizing your thoughts and expressing yourself clearly.

Write a well-written, reflective essay that describes your academic strengths, interests, and values which will contribute to our diverse campus community. Explain why you chose SUNY College at Oneonta and your intended program of study. Discuss the personal and professional enrichment you expect to gain from studying in the United States.

The essay must be in English, with a word processor, double-spaced, and approximately 500 words with your name printed clearly at the bottom of the document with your original signature at the bottom of the essay and date.

Activities & Achievements

Briefly list activities, achievements, honors, and/or sports you have participated in or earned in your school or community.

Activity/Achievements/Honors/Sports	High School	College/University	Community

\$50 Non-Refundable Application Fee, Payable to Applications Services Center – Enclosed with this application. International money order or check drawn on a U.S. bank in U.S. Dollars, use credit card form. Do not send cash. Fee waived if graduating from a SUNY Community College prior to attending fall or spring semester at SUNY College at Oneonta.

Applicant Signature

I certify that all information submitted in this application is true, correct, and honestly presented. I understand that making false statements or providing false information may result in denial of admission or rescinding of acceptance.

Student Applicant’s Signature: _____

Date: _____

This must be signed by the student only.

Optional Information

How did you learn about SUNY College at Oneonta?

- SUNY Oneonta Website
- Teacher/Professor
- Agency
- Hobson’s
- Study USA Website
- College Fair
- Know someone enrolled at SUNY Oneonta

Agency Representative Information – If Applicable

Agency Name _____

Telephone: _____

Representative (Print): _____

Signature: _____

Address _____

City _____ Country _____

Postal Code _____

Email _____

“As a campus community, we believe that every individual is important in a unique way and contributes to the overall quality of the institution. We are committed to recruiting and retaining diverse faculty, staff, and students, and to fostering a learning environment which draws strength from, celebrates, and honors diversity. We strive to eliminate prejudice and discrimination; to respect the dignity of all persons; and to learn from differences in people, ideas, experiences and opinions.”

—President’s Council on Diversity Statement



STUDENT RECOMMENDATION FORM

For SUNY College at Oneonta

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT APPLICANT:

Name of Applicant: _____
Last First Middle

Street Address _____ City _____

State/Province _____ Postal Code _____ Country _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR EVALUATOR:

The person above has applied for admission to SUNY at Oneonta. Your feedback will be of significant value and a guide to the Office of International Education in determining acceptance to our university.

This section is to be completed by a guidance counselor, teacher/professor, or academic advisor. Complete the form and place it in a sealed envelope, and return it to the student who will mail it with his/her application for admission.

ACADEMIC RATING

<i>(Please check appropriate box)</i>	Below Average	Fair	Good	Excellent	Unable to Determine
Academic Achievement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Study Habits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality of Written English	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality of Spoken English	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Critical Thinking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Class Participation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Receptiveness to Various Opinions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

CHARACTER AND PERSONAL RATING

<i>(Please check appropriate box)</i>	Below Average	Fair	Good	Excellent	Unable to Determine
Emotional maturity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reliability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Respect for Others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Overall, how do you rate this applicant for SUNY College at Oneonta?

- Recommend Strongly Recommend Do Not Recommend

Signature _____ Title _____ Date _____

Print Name _____ Telephone Number _____

Name of Institution _____ Email _____

Application Checklist – Keep This Page for Your Own Records

- Complete International Student Application, with student original signature.
- \$50 Non-Refundable Application Fee, Payable to Applications Services Center, must be in U.S. dollars, international money order or check drawn on a U.S. bank or credit card. Do not send cash.
- WES Evaluation of international college/university courses only (mailed directly to SUNY College at Oneonta). Choose the *Course-by-Course Report* (with GPA & Course-Levels). \$160 USD. www.wes.org/apply.
- Official College Transcripts, (Transfer Students only) – U.S. and/or International College/University transcripts – in English. Enclose with this application.
- Official Secondary/High School Transcripts (Entering Freshmen only) – translated in English. Enclose with this application.
- Copy of TOEFL, IELTS, SAT/ACT, or ELS Score Report (Choose Only One) with application – Original to SUNY College at Oneonta
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- Copy of Passport – Photo Page with expiration date – required of all applicants
- Copy of Visa – if applicable
- Financial Support Documentation
- Student Essay written by the applicant, signed, and dated.
- Recommendation form – Enclosed in sealed envelope and included with this application.

*Notes: An I-20 will be issued to F-1 seeking students after acceptance into SUNY College at Oneonta.
A DS-2019 will be issued to J-1 seeking students after acceptance into SUNY College at Oneonta.
Transfer Students already holding I-20 or DS2019s should formally request transfers from their current institution to SUNY College at Oneonta.*

Mail Completed Application with Documentation To:

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Oneonta, New York 13820
USA

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