



2015-2016 International Student Financial Aid Application

INSTRUCTIONS

You must complete all sections of this application; do not leave any questions blank. Forms submitted with blanks will be incomplete, thus delaying your financial aid offer. Write "N/A" if not applicable.

Answer the questions using the most recent 12-month period of 2014. The traditional period is January 1st 2014 to December 31st 2014. If you and/or parents filed taxes in another country, your taxes may reflect a fiscal period of July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014. **You may estimate your tax information using last year's taxes if you have not yet filed for taxes.** We will update your information when we receive your supporting documents later on in the process.

You must submit the completed application by direct mail or in person before the deadline:

First-time Freshmen- February 15, 2015
Continuing Students- March 2, 2015

Please do not submit any other income/tax, or bank documents with this application until further notification from our office. You may check your "To Do List" for any incomplete or required documents by logging into your Learn Account at Learn.soka.edu. For more information, please go to our website: www.soka.edu/financialaid.

The currency exchange rates can be found on the IRS website: www.irs.gov/Individuals/International-Taxpayers/Yearly-Average-Currency-Exchange-Rates

Please mail or deliver this form to the Office of Financial Aid. SUA will not be responsible for any data breach if you choose to submit information through email and we may still request that you submit original documents.

Applications can be mailed or delivered in person to:

Soka University of America
Office of Financial Aid
1 University Drive
Aliso Viejo, CA 92656
USA

IF you are a US citizen or a permanent resident, YOU must complete the [FAFSA \(www.fafsa.ed.gov\)](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) for domestic students.



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SECTION A - STUDENT INFORMATION

SUA ID# _____ Date of Birth _____

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Country of citizenship _____

Marital Status Single Married Separated Divorced Widowed

Date of Separation if Divorce or Separat : _____

Student's Income and Assets - 2014 income converted US Dollar (USD). If earned in USD, only list USD.

	US Dollar Amount	Home Currency Amount	Check here if unemployed
Income			
Taxes Paid			
Total Checking & Savings			

SECTION B - FAMILY INFORMATION (HOUSEHOLD SIZE)

Total family members including yourself, parent(s), and siblings living at home: _____

Total attending college in your home including you (do not include parents): _____

Indicate the siblings who live in your parents' home and are supported by their income. **Do not list your parents, yourself, grandparents, cousins, etc.** Indicate "College Name" if your sibling is attending a university for their **first undergraduate degree for Fall 2015 and is under the age of 24. Verification of enrollment may be requested.** Please attach additional sheet for additional siblings.

1. Full Name	Age	College Name
2. Full Name	Age	College Name
3. Full Name	Age	College Name



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SECTION C - PARENTS' INFORMATION

IF you are married OR you were born before January 1st 1992, you may skip Section C. Parent refers to a biological or adoptive parent. If your parents are married, give information for both parents even if one is not working. If you live with one parent who has remarried, please provide the information for your biological parent and your step-parent. If your parents are divorced or separated, please provide information for the parent who provides more than half your support.

Parent 1 Name:

Parent 2 Name:

Parents' current marital status

Single Married Remarried Separated Divorced Widowed

Date of Separation if Divorced or Separated:

Parents Income – 2014 income converted US dollar (USD). If earned in USD, only list USD.

	US Dollar Amount	Home Currency Amount	Check here if unemployed
Parent 1 -Income			
Taxes Paid	-----		
Parent 2 -Income			
Taxes Paid	-----		
Total Other Income (Other income includes child support, interest, dividend, retirement income, unemployment wage, untaxed pension contributions, untaxed interest, business, real estate, etc.)			

Parents Assets

Total Checking & Savings

Investments (such as stocks, bonds, business, real estate, etc.)

SECTION D- SIGNATURE(S)

By signing this form, we certify that all the information reported on this application is complete and accurate to the best of our knowledge. Some information may be an estimate and will be confirmed and/or updated by the submission of verification documents (i.e. tax return, bank statements, etc.). I understand that any false statements or misrepresentation may be cause for denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of financial aid, and I may be subject to a fine. (If you were born before January 1st 1992, your parents do not need to sign this form.)

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____