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Financial Documentation for Graduate Admission

The U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Bureau requires Johnson State College (JSC) to obtain documentation from prospective international students demonstrating their ability to cover the cost of their JSC education. The cost of education includes tuition and fees, living expenses, and miscellaneous expenses such as books, supplies, health insurance and other incidentals. Each international student must demonstrate that he/she can meet these costs for the first year of study and and, barring unforeseen circumstances, for subsequent years.

You may demonstrate your ability to pay your educational expenses at JSC in one of several ways:

- ▶ If you will be supported by your government or a sponsoring agency, you may submit an official copy of your sponsorship award letter.
- ▶ If you will be supported by a private benefactor (such as a relative or a business person), your sponsor must submit supporting documents demonstrating that sufficient funds are available to cover your educational expenses. Documents must bear an official seal or be printed on official letterhead. Examples of appropriate documents include:
 - a certified letter from a bank stating available funds
 - official bank statements
 - official tax documents

In addition, if you are being supported by a sponsor within the U.S., the sponsor must complete INS Form I-134 (Affidavit of Support). This form may be downloaded from www.uscis.gov.

Use the following worksheet to determine the amount for which you must demonstrate the ability to pay.

Estimated Annual Costs for Canadian Graduate Students*		Estimated Annual Costs for Other Graduate Students
Tuition (9 credits)	\$11,214	\$16,182
Estimated Living Expenses	\$7,808	\$7,808
Health Insurance**	\$1,431	\$1,431
Books, supplies and misc.	\$2,200	\$2,200
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<i>Education Subtotal:</i>	<i>\$22,653</i>	<i>\$27,621</i>
 <i>Dependent Care Expenses:</i>		
+ \$5,000 for spouse		
+ \$3,500 per child		
 <i>Dependent Care Subtotal:</i>	_____	_____
 TOTAL:	_____	_____

* Tuition for Canadian students is reduced through the "Good Neighbor" program.

** All students at Johnson State College are required to have health insurance. If you can show proof of other health insurance, the cost of college insurance will be waived. This price is the cost for one year of health insurance during the 2009-2010 academic year. *It does not include coverage for dependents.*