

IECC - International Application

ADMISSION

An international student is a citizen of a country other than the United States, who is authorized to remain in the United States for a temporary period as a **non-immigrant student (F-1 visa)** and who intends to return to his/her country.

An international student who plans to attend Illinois Eastern Community Colleges (IECC) must take the following steps to begin classes:

1. Completed Admission Application for International Students
2. Completed Financial Statement for Undergraduate International Student
3. Letter or statement from the bank of sponsor
4. Official copies of transcripts (translated to English)
5. Application fee of \$100 in the form of a check, money order (USD) or Credit Card
6. Copies of up-to-date medical vaccinations

All of the documents requested above must be sent to the following address:

**Illinois Eastern Community Colleges / OCC
International Office
305 North West Street
Olney, IL 62450-1099 USA**

Upon approval of all completed and signed documents, IECC will issue an I-20 form. Please take the I-20 form, current passport, and documents listed above to the nearest United States Consulate to obtain a student visa.

After arriving on campus, the student must immediately purchase health insurance. All international students on F-1 visas must enroll in at least 12 credit hours of class in order to maintain and keep current visa status.

REGISTRATION

When you arrive at IECC, you will be tested for English proficiency. Test results will determine whether you will be placed in the English Language Center or in regular academic programs.

EXPENSES

The following estimated expenses are for one academic year (two semesters):

* Tuition and Fees (30 semester hours)	U.S.D.	\$ 9,600
Housing and Meals		6,500
Books and Supplies		1,000
** Medical Insurance		800
+Plus Personal Expenses		
		\$17,900

*Tuition and fees are subject to change without notice. Please be prepared to pay all tuition and fees on the first day of classes. Credit cards are accepted (Visa and MasterCard).

**Medical insurance must be purchased upon arrival on campus.

Illinois Eastern Community Colleges reserves the right to change, without notice, any of the material, information, requirements, or regulations published in this application.

IECC does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, age, disability or national origin.

Illinois Eastern Community Colleges adhere to the Federal Regulations of the Americans with Disabilities Act 1990 and offer appropriate services or activities with reasonable accommodations to any qualified disabled individual upon request.

Illinois Eastern Community Colleges' Board of Trustees has adopted the Substance Abuse Policy. Students and employees involved in substance abuse, within the college environment, are subject to disciplinary action.



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Item 2 - Financial Statement

Confidential Report

Please complete this financial statement and return it to IECC with your admission application. You must show that you have satisfactory arrangements to meet your financial obligations at IECC prior to receiving official admission to the colleges.

Family Name	First Name	Middle Name	Salutation
Nationality:		Date of Birth (use numbers): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> / / <small>Month Day Year</small> </div>	
Current Address: Number and Street		City	Country Zip/Postal
Telephone number:	Fax number:	E-mail address:	
Person we may contact in case of emergency: Name		Number & Street Address	City Country Zip/Postal
Enrollment Date: <input type="checkbox"/> August <input type="checkbox"/> January <input type="checkbox"/> June Year _____ Have you previously attended IECC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
If you are now in the United States, what type of visa do you hold? <input type="checkbox"/> Student "F" Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Visitor Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Exchange "J" Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____			
Are you a permanent resident of the United States? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (Verified by Admissions: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No)			

Please Note: The persons responsible for financing your education (A or B below) must sign this form on the appropriate line below and submit it to IECC with an official, current bank statement in English, stating amount in \$USD, or letter from the sponsoring organization.

The signature(s) presented will be considered a binding commitment of funds. Failure to uphold this agreement may result in serious consequences for all parties involved.

A. Personal Sources: (parents, friends, or relatives)

This is to certify that I, (name or personal source) _____, will provide funds in the amount of U.S. \$ _____ per year for (name of student) _____ during his/her studies at IECC.

Signature of Sponsor: _____ Relationship: _____
 Address: _____
Number and Street City Country Zip/Postal

B. Organization furnishing financial assistance: (government grants or other sources)

A scholarship or fellowship: _____ Effective Dates: _____
 Amount of Award: U.S. \$ _____ From _____ TO _____
 Signature of person representing organization: _____
 Title: _____
 Name and address of organization: _____

Dependents Health Insurance: Do you plan to bring your spouse and/or children to the U.S.9 Yes No

To be signed by the student: I certify that the statements given by me on this form are complete and accurate. Furthermore, I accept all financial responsibility should my source of funding (as specified above) be reduced or stopped.

Signature of Student _____ Date _____

Housing Information And Application for International Students

The International Student Program will help you locate housing. Although IECC has only a limited amount of campus housing, many attractive housing accommodations are available in the area. Housing is the student's responsibility, not the responsibility of Illinois Eastern Community Colleges. However, we will make every effort to assist students in finding suitable housing before students arrive in the United States. Students who apply early will be given first consideration.

There are two types of housing accommodations available:

1. Host Family (when available)
2. Apartment

Host Family

Many community residents have extra rooms in their homes to rent to international students. These host families will try to make the student's stay here comfortable. The host family accommodations are especially good for students who are learning English or have no friends or acquaintances in the area. This arrangement will cost approximately \$450 per month. Living with a host family is a great way to get acquainted with an American family in the typical American home.

Apartment Living

Many apartments are very close to our campuses. Students can walk or ride bikes to the college. Students may share a one or two bedroom apartment with other students or live alone, if they prefer. It is less expensive to share an apartment, and we will try to pre-arrange a roommate for interested students. One bedroom apartments cost approx. \$500 or more per month. Apartment living is convenient and ideal for the more independent student. Apartments consist of a bedroom, living room, dining room, kitchen, bathroom, and closets.

Transportation

Most students have their own automobiles to drive to campus. Insurance is required for students who purchase automobiles. Each campus offers transportation in our school van- to and from campus daily. Fee: \$300 per semester.



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 Item 3 - Housing

What type of housing do you prefer?

Put a number 1 next to your first choice, and a number 2 next to your second choice.

- _____ Host Family
- _____ Apartment
- _____ I plan to live with a friend or relative already living in the U.S.
- _____ I prefer to find my own housing

If you prefer to live in an apartment, what arrangements do you prefer?

- _____ Rent a one bedroom apartment alone
- _____ Share an apartment with two roommates

If you plan to live with a friend or relative in the U.S.

What is their name? _____ Relationship _____

Current U.S. Address _____

Please circle

Have you ever lived in the U.S. before? No Yes When? _____

Will anyone accompany you to the U.S.? No Yes Who? _____

What are your hobbies and special interests other than your studies? _____

Do you have a special diet or restriction on what you may eat? No Yes

Vegetarian _____ Medical Restrictions _____ Religious Restrictions _____

What language do you speak? _____ Do you smoke? No Yes

Do you need transportation to the college from the Evansville, Indiana airport? Yes

PLEASE SEND ARRIVAL INFORMATION IMMEDIATELY!

English Proficiency Test

If you have taken an English proficiency test (TOEFL, etc.), complete the following information.

Name of Test _____ Score _____

Location _____ Date of Test _____

Academic Intent

I am planning to earn the following degree at IECC:

- _____ Associate in Applied Science Degree (Career Degree)
- _____ Associate in Arts Degree (University Transfer)
- _____ Associate in Science Degree (University Transfer)
- _____ Associate in Science and Arts Degree (University Transfer)
- _____ Associate in General Studies Degree (University Transfer)

I plan to enroll in the English Language Center _____ Yes _____ No

My major field of study is _____

Statement of Intent

In English, please explain why you are choosing your particular field of study and how you intend to make use of your education in your home country.

Where did you first learn about Illinois Eastern Community Colleges (IECC)?

THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE SIGNED AND DATED BY THE APPLICANT BEFORE ANY ADMISSION ACTION CAN BE TAKEN.

I hereby certify that all information provided on this application is true and correct. I understand the presentation of false information or failure to comply with Illinois Eastern Community Colleges' admission and registration procedures may result in my dismissal without refund of any fees paid.

Student's Name (Print)

Student's Signature

Date

Illinois Eastern Community Colleges
Lincoln Trail College/Olney Central College/Wabash Valley College

305 N. West St.
Olney, IL 62450
618-392-5299 ext. 2023

Credit Card Payment Authorization Form

Sign and complete this form to authorize **Illinois Eastern Community Colleges-IECC/Lincoln Trail College-LTC/Olney Central College-OCC/Wabash Valley College-WVC** to make a one time debit to your credit card listed below.

By signing this form you give us permission to debit your account for the amount indicated on or after the indicated date. This is permission for a single transaction only, and does not provide authorization for any additional unrelated debits or credits to your account.

Please complete the information below:

I _____ authorize **IECC/LTC/OCC/WVC** to charge my credit card
(full name)
account indicated below for _____. This payment is for the application and/or mailing fee.
(amount)

Billing Address _____ Phone# _____
City, State, Zip _____ Email _____

Student Name: _____

Account Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> AMEX <input type="checkbox"/> Discover
Cardholder Name _____
Credit Card Number _____
Expiration Date _____
Pin # _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

I authorize the above named business to charge the credit card indicated in this authorization form according to the terms outlined above. This payment authorization is for the goods/services described above, for the amount indicated above only, and is valid for one time use only. I certify that I am an authorized user of this credit card and that I will not dispute the payment with my credit card company; so long as the transaction corresponds to the terms indicated in this form.

Please fax to: 618-392-5617