

Student Services

1 AP 5012 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

2 References:

- 3 Education Code, Sections 76141, 76140, 76000, and 76142;
- 4 Title 5, Section 54045;
- 5 Title 8 U.S.C., Section 1101 et seq.

6 Under Department of Homeland Security regulations, Cerritos College is authorized to
7 enroll students on F-1 visa for the A.A. degree and transfer programs. To be considered
8 for admission, an international student must complete the following required application
9 packet items available in the International Student Center:

- 10 • International Student application and fee;
- 11 • Complete high school, secondary, college and or university graduation
12 transcripts equivalent to an accredited U.S. high school;
- 13 • All applicants whose native language is not English must meet the minimal
14 score on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or an equivalent
15 score on the Cerritos College self-reporting tool or other standardized
16 proficiency test before being admitted to an academic/undergraduate degree
17 program;
- 18 • Negative tuberculosis (TB) test results;
- 19 • statement of support from a financial sponsor accompanied by a certified letter
20 from the sponsor's bank, verifying in U.S. dollars that sufficient funds to meet
21 all the student's educational and financial needs.
- 22 • Valid Passport, appropriate F-1 visa and I-94 form;
- 23 • All F-1 students and dependents must purchase International student medical
24 insurance; and
- 25 • Upon admission, the F-1 student is issued the SEVIS I-20 and is required to
26 adhere to all federal regulations regarding their immigration status. The Office
27 of International Student Services will report required events into the SEVIS
28 program as mandated by United States Citizenship and Immigration Service
29 (USCIS).

30 The calculation of nonresident tuition fee applicable to noncitizens who have not or cannot
31 establish residence, shall result in an amount not to exceed the amount expended by the
32 District for capital outlay in the preceding fiscal year divided by the total full-time
33 equivalent students. This fee cannot exceed 50 percent of the nonresident tuition
34 charged other nonresidents.

35 The Cerritos College Office of International Student Services maintains the most recent
36 information regarding International Students. The printed and web-based materials are
37 updated periodically.

38 Office of Primary Responsibility: Vice President, Student Services

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