

Alfred University

Financial Aid Application 2008-09

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1. Name _____
Last First M.I.

2. Permanent/Home Address

Street _____
City State Zip _____
(_____) _____
Home Phone

Soc. Sec. No. _____

Email _____

Cell Phone No. _____
(Student's)

3. Housing Plans for 2008-09

With Parents Residence Hall Off-Campus With Relative (please specify) _____

If off-campus, provide address: _____

4. Citizenship Status U.S. Citizen U.S. Permanent Resident Neither

5. During the 2008-09 academic year, you will be

New Freshman Returning Undergraduate New Graduate Special Student (non-degree/non-matriculating)
 New Transfer Returning Graduate AU Readmit

6. If you are a transfer student, indicate how many credits you expect to transfer into Alfred. _____

7. Academic Major _____

8. Indicate your intended enrollment status for each semester.

Fall 2008

Full-time
 Part-time
Number of credits? _____
 Co-op
 Study abroad
 Not attending

Spring 2009

Full-time
 Part-time
Number of credits? _____
 Co-op
 Study abroad
 Not attending

Summer 2009

Full-time
 Part-time
Number of credits? _____
 Co-op
 Not attending

9. Anticipated Graduation Date from Alfred University _____
Month/Year

10. Other Financial Aid Resources For the 2008-09 academic year, will you receive any outside financial assistance such as a private or civic scholarship/grant, non-NY state scholarship/grant, state agency benefits, tuition benefits from your or your parents' employer, or Veterans' education benefits? Yes No If "yes," identify the type below.

Name of award or benefit source	Amount for 2008-09	Confirmed?
_____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
_____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

11. Are you enrolled/sponsored in the Sage Scholars Inc. Tuition Rewards Program? Yes No

12. Other than Alfred University, identify below the last college you attended.

Name of College/State

Dates of Attendance (Mo/Yr to Mo/Yr)

For questions 13 through 23, if you are required to report parents' information on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), you must also provide parents' information where requested in this section. Do not leave any item blank. Enter "0" whenever applicable.

13. Do your parents own all or part of a business or farm? Yes No If "yes," complete a, b, c, and d.

a. Type of Business/Farm: Sole Proprietorship Partnership Corporation: indicate type _____

b. Parent(s) percent of ownership: _____ c. Number of employees: _____

d. Farm Owners: Do you live on the farm? Yes No

Note: Alfred University requires business and farm owners to file a **Business/Farm Supplement Form**. Please request this form from the Alfred University Student Financial Aid Office.

14. Are your birth/adoptive parents separated or divorced? Yes No If "yes," you must complete the following:

Note: Alfred University requires students with separated or divorced parents to file a **Noncustodial Parent's Statement**. Please request this form from the Alfred University Student Financial Aid Office.

a. Date of separation _____ Month/Year b. Date of divorce _____ Month/Year

c. What are the provisions of your parents' separation/divorce agreement pertaining to your college expenses?

d. Provide the annual amount the noncustodial parent will contribute toward educational expenses. \$ _____

e. Provide the noncustodial parent's name, address, and phone number. _____

f. Provide the noncustodial parent's occupation and annual income.

Occupation _____ Annual income \$ _____

15. Does your custodial parent or stepparent, with whom you live, pay child support to another household? Yes No If "yes," complete a, b, and c. Do not include names or amounts for children included in question 16.

a. Name of parent paying child support. _____

b. Amount of child support paid in 2007 for all children. \$ _____

c. Name of children for whom payments were made. _____

16. Family Member Listing

a. Provide the following information for **all family members and other people who now live in your household**, and will continue to live there and receive over one-half of their support from the head(s) of the household for the period July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009. *Include yourself and parents.* Complete college attendance only if the person will be enrolled in a program that leads to a college degree or certificate. Part-time means at least 6 credit hours for one semester during the year.

List everyone even if they will not attend college.

				2008-09 College Attendance	
Name	Age	Date of Birth	Relationship	Name of College	Full-time/Part-time
			Self		<input type="checkbox"/> FT <input type="checkbox"/> PT
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b. Name any family member who will live at home while attending college. _____

c. Name any family member who will be enrolled in graduate school. _____

d. Specify the type(s) and amount(s) of financial assistance to be received for each family member in 16c.

17. Home Owners If you are a dependent student, provide the following for your parents. If you are an independent student, provide the following for yourself and your spouse.

- a. Year purchased _____
- b. Purchase price \$ _____
- c. Present market value \$ _____
- d. Primary mortgage loan balance \$ _____
- e. Home equity/second mortgage loan balance \$ _____
- f. Monthly home mortgage payment \$ _____

18. Renters If you are a dependent student, provide your parents' monthly rent payment. If you are an independent student, provide your monthly rent payment.

\$ _____

19. Are you or your parents the beneficiary of a trust or estate? Yes No If "yes," complete the following, **but do not** include this amount in 22 of this form.

_____ \$ _____ \$ _____
Name of Beneficiary Value of Trust/Estate Annual Income

20. Breakdown of Tax Return Income

- If 2007 tax returns are not completed, provide estimates.
- If 2007 tax returns are completed, attach a signed photocopy for both student and parent.

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PARENTS

		2007	Estimated 2008	2007	Estimated 2008
a. Wages, salaries, tips (IRS Form 1040-Line 7, 1040A-Line 7, 1040EZ-Line 1, or total of W-2 Forms-Box 1).	Student/Father (Stepfather)				
	Spouse/Mother (Stepmother)				
b. Interest income (IRS Form 1040-Line 8a, 1040A-Line 8a, or 1040EZ-Line 2).					
c. Dividend income (IRS Form 1040-Line 9a or 1040A-Line 9a).					
d. Business and farm income or (loss) (IRS Form 1040-Lines 12 and 18).					
e. Income or (loss) from rents, partnerships, trusts, S corporations, etc. (IRS Form 1040-Line 17).					
f. Other taxable income such as alimony received, capital gains or (losses), pensions, unemployment compensation, social security, etc. (IRS Form 1040-Lines 10, 11, 13, 14, 15b, 16b, 19, 20b, and 21 or 1040A-Lines 10, 11b, 12b, 13, and 14b or 1040EZ-Line 3).					

List the 1040/1040A line numbers, sources and amounts below.

Line Number & Source	Amount

g. IRA and self-employed SEP, SIMPLE, Keogh and other qualified plans from IRS Form 1040-total of Lines 28 and 32 or 1040A-Line 17.					
h. Earned Income Credit from IRS Form 1040-Line 66a, 1040A-Line 40a, 1040 EZ-Line 8a.					
i. Tax-exempt interest income from IRS Form 1040-Line 8b or 1040A-Line 8b.					
j. Untaxed portions of IRAs and pensions from IRS Form 1040-Lines 15a minus 15b and 16a minus 16b or 1040A-Lines 11a minus 11b and 12a minus 12b. Exclude "rollovers."					
k. Additional child tax credit from IRS Form 1040-Line 68 or 1040A-Line 41.					
l. Foreign income exclusion from IRS Form 2555-Line 45 or 2555 EZ-Line 18.					
m. Education credits from IRS Form 1040-Line 49 or 1040A-Line 31.					

21. Non-Taxable Income Breakdown

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PARENTS

		Estimated		Estimated
	2007	2008	2007	2008

- a. Payments to tax-deferred pension and savings plans (paid directly or withheld from earnings). Include amounts reported on W-2 Form in Boxes 12a through 12d, codes D, E, F, G, H, and S. Be sure to include this amount on the FAFSA Worksheet B.

_____	_____	_____	_____
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- b. Untaxed Social Security benefits. Report amount received for the student in the student column. Report the amount received for the parents and all other dependent children in the parents column. Include Supplemental Security Income. Do not include any amount reported as taxable on the IRS Form 1040-Line 20b or 1040A-Line 14b.

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- c. Welfare benefits, including Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). Report cash payments only. Do not report housing subsidies or food stamps.

_____	_____	_____	_____
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- d. Child support received for all children.

_____	_____	_____	_____
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- e. Veteran's noneducation benefits. Include Disability, Death Pension, Dependency & Indemnity Compensation (DIC), and VA Educational Work Study.

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- f. All other non-taxable income. Include: workers' compensation; disability; housing, food, and other living allowances paid to members of the military, clergy, and others (both actual cash payments and cash value of benefits); untaxed portions of railroad retirement benefits and Black Lung Benefits; combat pay not reported on the tax return; untaxed pensions, retirement and IRA distributions not reported in **20j** of this form; and money received or paid on your behalf (e.g. bills) not reported elsewhere on this form. **List the sources and amounts below.**

Source

Amount

_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

22. Breakdown of Parents'/Student's Assets

STUDENT AND SPOUSE

PARENTS

- a. Cash, savings, and checking accounts.

\$ _____	\$ _____
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- b. Non-real estate investments. Include money market funds, mutual funds, certificates of deposit, stocks, stock options, bonds, other securities, installment and land sale contracts (including mortgages held), commodities, etc. Do not include the value of life insurance or retirement plans (non-education IRAs, pension funds, annuities, Keogh plans, etc.), prepaid tuition plans, or amounts reported in 22a.

\$ _____	\$ _____
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- c. If you are the account owner of an education savings account (Coverdall savings accounts, 529 college savings plan and refund value of 529 state prepaid tuition plans), provide the value. Otherwise, enter "0".

\$ _____	\$ _____
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23. **Other Real Estate Owned** Dependent students provide the following for your parents. Independent students provide the following for yourself and your spouse. Include rental property, land, vacation homes and second homes. Report amounts for your percentage of ownership. **Do not include the family's primary residence.** Enter "0" if no other real estate is owned.

Market Value	Debt	Purchase Price	Year Purchased	Address
\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	_____	_____
\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	_____	_____
\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	_____	_____

24. **Do you expect that your or your parents' total 2008 income will be significantly less than 2007 income?** Yes No

If "yes," attach to this form an explanation of why family income will be less for 2008 and be sure to complete the 2008 estimated income column for numbers **20 and 21** on this application.

25. **Special Family Circumstances**

If your family has extraordinary or unusual circumstances which could possibly affect the resources available for educational expenses, provide a complete explanation on a separate page and attach it to this application.

26. **Have you filed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid?** Yes No Date filed _____
 (You may file at www.fafsa.ed.gov)

SIGNATURES, CERTIFICATION AND AUTHORIZATION

Signatures are required of **all** persons for whom information is submitted on the Alfred University Financial Aid Application and Free Application for Federal Student Aid. Parent signatures are required for dependent students. If the student is married, the student's spouse must also sign.

- I (We) certify that all of the information on this form and any other form submitted in application for financial aid administered by Alfred University is true and complete to the best of my (our) knowledge, and agree to provide proof, if requested by an appropriate Alfred University employee. I (We) also realize that if I (we) do not provide proof when asked, the student may be denied aid.
- I (We) agree to immediately report any changes in the information reported on the Alfred University Financial Aid Application and Free Application for Federal Student Aid to the Alfred University Student Financial Aid Office. This includes, but is not limited to, changes in parents', student's, and spouse's income, household size, number of college students; and student's address, enrollment status, and housing status.
- I (We) agree to immediately report any non-Alfred University scholarships, grants, or tuition assistance received by the student to the Alfred University Student Financial Aid Office.
- I (We) authorize the Alfred University Student Financial Aid Office to release to the U.S. Department of Education, the student's home state scholarship/grant agency and/or any lending institution or guarantee agency through which the student obtains a federal or other educational loan, any information in the student's financial aid and academic records which bears upon his/her eligibility for assistance or is required to administer his/her financial aid.
- If selected for an Alfred University scholarship, I understand Alfred University may announce my name and scholarship award for public relation purposes (example: home town media) or to the donor of endowed and funded awards.

Student's Signature Date

Spouse's Signature Date

Father's (Stepfather's) Signature Date

Mother's (Stepmother's) Signature Date

(_____) _____
 Father's (Stepfather's) daytime or cell phone number

(_____) _____
 Mother's (Stepmother's) daytime or cell phone number