

## AFFIDAVIT FOR FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Brazosport College requires a confirmation of financial resources from all international student applicants. You must be able to guarantee that you currently have the funds in **U.S. Dollars** available to cover the cost of one academic year (**\$15,000**). You must also ensure adequate funding will be available from the same or equally dependable source for your entire academic career. You have two options, as listed below, for proving your financial resources.

### Options

**Option 1:** Fill out the provided form and have the bank official certify the funds available. The form must bear the original signature and seal from the bank official and be dated within six months of the start of the intended semester. (See further instructions on page 2)

**Option 2:** Secure a letter from the bank verifying the amount of funds available. If you choose this option, the letter must follow the specific guidelines listed on page 2 of this document in order to be considered official.

### Option 1 Instructions

1. Fill out the *Student Self Sponsor Information* portion of the form prior to taking it to the bank.
2. If the account is not in the student's name then the account holder will need to fill out the *Sponsor Information* portion. You must receive a signature in this section. This will count as your Financial Letter of Support.
3. Have the bank officer fill out the *Bank Information portion*. You must receive a bank official's signature and stamp for this portion to be accepted.
  - a. Must be dated within 6 months of the start of the intended semester.
  - b. It must specify the amount of funds available in U.S. dollars. **This can only be personal available funds and cannot be company assets, bonds, property, or investments.**

Applicant's Name

Date

*This section must be completed - Full name as found on the passport*

### Option 1 - Student Self Sponsor Information

Applicant's Name

*Full name as found on the passport*

Sponsor's Address

I certify that I currently have a minimum of **\$15,000 USD** and intend to sponsor the above student during their first year of study at Brazosport College and that funding for subsequent years will be available from the same or equally dependable source.

Signature

Date

### Option 1 - Sponsor Information

Sponsor's Name

Relationship to Student

*Full Name*

Sponsor's Address

I certify that I currently have a minimum of **\$15,000 USD** and intend to sponsor the above student during their first year of study at Brazosport College and that funding for subsequent years will be available from the same or equally dependable source.

Signature

Date

<b>Option 1 - Bank Information</b>	
Name of Account Holder	Account Amount in U.S. dollars-\$
Bank/Organization	
Address	
I certify that the account holder above currently has a minimum of <b>\$15,000 USD</b> in personal available funds ( <b>not company assets, bonds, property, or investments</b> ). <u>This statement does not constitute a statement of liability on my part or on behalf of the bank I represent.</u>	
Name of Bank Official	<b>Bank Stamp/Seal</b>
Title	
Signature	
Date	
(Questions concerning this section, email <a href="mailto:registrar@brazosport.edu">registrar@brazosport.edu</a> or call 979-230-3217.)	

### Option 2 Instructions

1. In place of the option 1 bank information above, a student can have the bank send a letter verifying the account resources.
2. Failure to fully read and provide all necessary requirements on the letter could delay your ability to receive an I-20.
3. If the bank account is not in the name of the student, then a separate letter is required from the account holder (even if the account is in the name of the parents). See the instructions below for the **Financial Letter of Support**.

#### Option 2 Bank Letter Requirements

- a. The letter must be dated within six months from the start of the intended semester.
- b. It must be on bank letterhead, signed by a bank official, and stamped/sealed with the bank seal.
- c. The letter must be in English.
- d. The account holder’s name must be listed.
- e. The letter must also list the specific amount of funds available in U.S. dollars. We currently require proof of a minimum of **\$15,000 USD**. **This can only be personal available funds and cannot be company assets, bonds, property, or investments. (Please note that the bank letter may not be faxed, copied, or emailed).**

#### Option 2 Financial Letter of Sponsor Support Requirements

- a. The letter must be dated within six months from the start of the intended semester.
- b. It must list the name of the student and the sponsor’s relationship to the student.
- c. The letter must be in English.
- d. The letter should state the sponsor’s willingness to cover the educational expenses of the student during their first year of study at Brazosport College and that funding for subsequent years will be available from the same or equally dependable source.
- e. Give the amount in USD that the sponsor intends to support the student. We currently require proof of a minimum of **\$15,000 USD**.
- f. Include a signature from the sponsor.
- g. The Financial Letter of Support may be scanned and emailed to [suzanne.raymond@brazosport.edu](mailto:suzanne.raymond@brazosport.edu).