

New College General Tuition Assistance Information (New Students Only)

Please read the information provided below before you proceed to complete your application for Tuition Assistance.

Guidelines

This assistance is intended to help students get started in New College while they are applying for other sources of aid. Awards are made primarily on the basis of financial need, but also on the student's promise of success in the New College program and on good faith efforts to obtain other sources of aid. Students who are admitted on "probation" and/or "conditionally" may not apply, and awards are not ordinarily made to previous recipients of tuition assistance who failed to complete their initial coursework. Applicants need to complete **all** of the application, including the essay page (incomplete applications will be returned). Total aid cannot exceed financial aid guidelines.

It is impossible to devise a precise formula which would equitably establish a base line of need, but the New College Financial Aid Committee, consisting of New College faculty members, takes the following criteria into consideration in determining need: income from all sources, assets, indebtedness & sources of indebtedness, access to and efforts made by applicant to obtain other types of tuition assistance, responses from Pell Grant and other assistance sources, and unusual circumstances.

Applicants are not discriminated against on the basis of race, creed, sex, handicap, or national origin.

Application Procedures

To request tuition assistance, students need to:

1. **Apply** or be accepted for admission into the New College program.
2. **Complete** the pertinent parts of the attached form, as instructed. The student may need to meet with an advising specialist to identify courses for which the student is asking for financial assistance. Normally, new students receive financial assistance only toward tuition for the Introduction to Critical Inquiry course, A-NCCI 3330.
3. **Submit application by announced deadlines.**
4. **Mail** the original and financial aid response to: St. Edward's University, New College Tuition Assistance Committee, 3001 South Congress Avenue Mailbox #1040, Austin, TX 78704-6489. If you would like to submit the packet in person, you can go to Holy Cross Hall, Room 306.

Deadline

2 weeks prior to the start of the A-NCCI 3330 Intro. to Critical Inquiry course and/or A-APLR 1132.

Important Information

The recipients of tuition assistance awards will be notified by letter of the type and amount of award, deadlines for its use, and any other conditions attached to the award. In some cases in which the recipient of general tuition assistance is awarded a greater scholarship from another source, the New College tuition assistance may be canceled or become supplemental and subject to reduction. If additional sources of tuition assistance become available, guidelines and eligibility criteria will be published in the New College Newsletter, which is mailed to all currently registered students. It is the student's responsibility to read the newsletter for this information. Information on Pell Grants and Guaranteed Student Loans may be obtained from Office of Student Financial Services (www.stedwards.edu/stufinan) located in the Main Building Room 204; contact OSFS at 512-448-8523 or seu.finaid@admin.stedwards.edu.

**ST. EDWARD'S UNIVERSITY
NEW COLLEGE
GENERAL TUITION ASSISTANCE APPLICATION**

Information given below will be used for the purpose of establishing financial need and in determining the level of assistance which can be rendered. To a significant degree, selection as a tuition assistance recipient depends on the *completeness* and *accuracy* of the information--which will be accessible only to the New College Committee. Deliberate false information could lead to disqualification of the application. Incomplete and/or inaccurate information delays the work of the Committee. (Before filling in this application, please read the guidelines).

I. APPLICANT

Name _____ ID No _____

Home Address _____
Number and Street Apt.

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone: Home () _____ Phone: Work () _____

II. FURTHER APPLICATION INFORMATION

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____

Marital Status: _____

Spouse's Name: _____ Age: _____

Children: Please list all children below.

Name	Age	Tax Dependent
_____	_____	() Yes No ()
_____	_____	() Yes No ()
_____	_____	() Yes No ()
_____	_____	() Yes No ()
_____	_____	() Yes No ()

How many dependents did you claim as income tax deductions last Year? _____

III. PROJECTED LEARNING ACTIVITIES

A. List the New College courses, SEU campus classes, or portfolio activities you plan to undertake this semester and when you plan to begin them (or complete them, in the case of a portfolio).

B. For which of the above classes or activities do you need New College Tuition assistance?

IV. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Employer's Name _____

Employer's Address _____

ANNUAL SALARIES & WAGES (after taxes):

	<u>Last Year</u>	<u>Projected Total this year</u>
Student:	_____	_____
Spouse:	_____	_____
Other Income:	_____	_____
Total Household Income:	_____	_____
Total Federal Income Tax Paid:	_____	_____

BANK AND OTHER ACCOUNTS:

Checking Account (Average Balance) \$ _____

Savings Account \$ _____

Stocks, Bonds, or Trust \$ _____

Other Investments or Assets \$ _____

AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENSES:

Home: Rent () Own () \$ _____

Utilities (monthly) \$ _____

Childcare (monthly) \$ _____

Credit Cards (monthly) \$ _____

Other/Loans (monthly) \$ _____

AUTOS:

	Year	Make	Amount Owed
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____

V. OTHER AID

- A. Have you applied for any other financial aid for this semester? () Yes () No
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- B. If so, from which sources? _____
- C. How much were you awarded? _____
- D. What other aid do you intend to apply for? _____
- E. Will your employer reimburse you for tuition? () Yes () No
 If yes, indicate amount _____

VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING INCOME AND/OR EXPENSES

If you wish to include additional information or comments, please do so, e.g., do you have any unusual expenses at this time?
