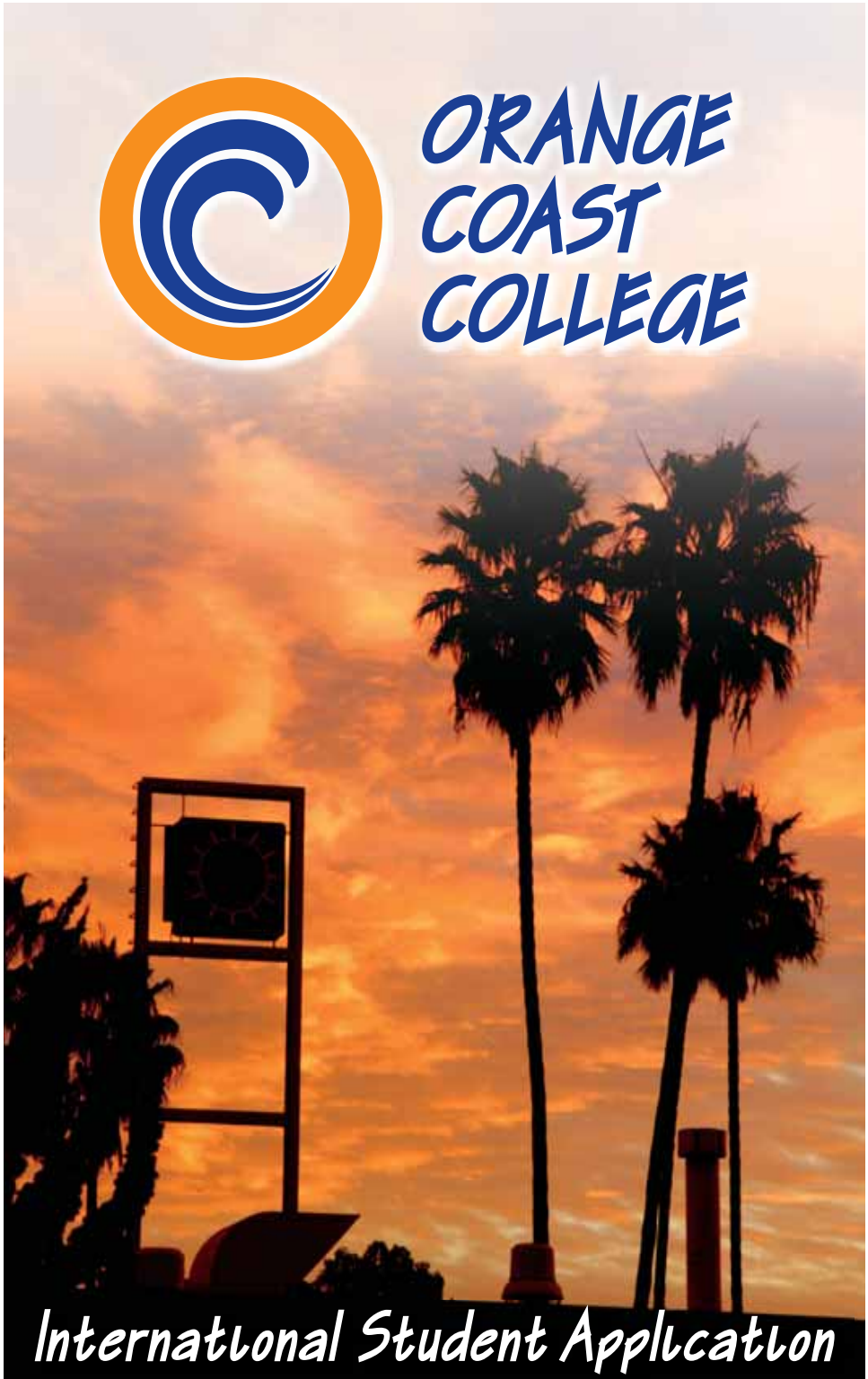




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*International Student Application*

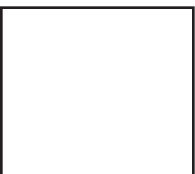


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# Admissions Checklist

This is a checklist to help you gather all the original documentation required for admission to Orange Coast College.

## Complete and Legible Application

- Applications must be fully completed and submitted at least two (2) months prior to the beginning of the semester for which you are applying.

## Written Statement

- Please submit a written statement (1-2 pages typed) entitled, "Why I Want to Attend Orange Coast College." Discuss the reasons for your interest in attending OCC and include your educational and personal goals.

## Confidential Financial Support Information

- The financial form must be completed and signed by your financial sponsor (self, parent, relative, or friend) and certified by the appropriate financial institution. You can also submit a bank statement or a bank letter in your sponsor's name dated within the last five months. Individuals with U.S. sponsors must also submit a notarized Form I-134.

## Passport-Size Photograph of Yourself

- 2" x 2" passport-size photograph

## English Requirement

- A copy of your most recent TOEFL score (minimum score of 500 on the paper-based test, or 173 on the computer-based test, or 61 on the internet-based test) **or** STEP Eiken Test Pre-First Level **or** passing results of your OCC English Assessment Test (available only to international students who live locally), **or** completion of the appropriate level from one of the English Language schools with which OCC has an agreement. (See page 5 for details.)

## Academic Records

- Official transcripts: high school with proof of graduation, English as a Second Language program, college and university (if applicable) demonstrating acceptable academic performance. All transcripts must be original and have official English translation.

## Application Fee

- Please submit a non-refundable processing service fee of \$30.00. We accept cash, check, money order, or credit card (Visa or MasterCard). Please make checks payable to Orange Coast College in United States currency. If you wish to pay by credit card, please fill out the form on page 6.

## Immigration-Related Documents

- If you are applying from within the United States, you must submit copies of visa, information pages from your passport, and a copy of your I-94 Card. If you are a transfer student, submit a copy of your previous SEVIS I-20(s) along with a completed Transfer Evaluation Form. (See page 13 for details.)

NOTE: The aforementioned documents must be submitted at least two (2) months prior to the semester for which you are applying. If you do not meet the admission requirements, the International Center will hold your application for one year to facilitate re-application. No additional application fee will be charged.

# Major Code Selection

## A. General Interest

444 General Interest (Non Degree)	110 Consumer and Homemaking Education	115 Home Management
	555 Liberal Studies (Non Transfer)	

## B. Occupational Programs Leading to an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science Degree and/or a Certificate of Achievement or Completion

010 Accounting	118 Fashion-Dressmaking	084 Marketing-Sales
061 Advertising Design (Commercial Art)	113 Fashion-Images/Fashion Consulting	032 Medical Assisting-Administrative/Clinical
203 Airframe & Powerplant Technology	116 Fashion-Costume	039 Medical Assisting-Administrative
204 Architectural Technology	112 Fashion Merchandising	041 Medical Assisting-Clinical
202 Aviation and Space	128 Film/Video	044 Medical Assisting-Injection
200 Airline Travel Careers-Flight	028 Fitness Specialist	053 Medical Assisting-Medical Insurance
201 Airline Travel Careers-Ground	064 Food & Nutrition-Food Science	048 Medical Assisting-Venipuncture
097 Cardiovascular Technology	071 Food Service Management-Catering	103 Medical Transcription
011 CIS-Computer Programming	073 Food Service Management-Restaurant	145 Music-Composer/Orchestrator/Copyist
009 CIS-Microprocessors	074 Food Service Management-Fast Food Services	150 Music-Concert Sound Engineer
245 Construction-Basic Construction Practices	075 Food Service Management-Institutional Dietetic Services Supervisor	148 Music-Entertainer/Instructor/Vocal/Guitar Performing
248 Construction-Residential Development	063 Food Service Management-Institutional Dietetic Services Manager	149 Music-Private Piano Teacher
070 Culinary Arts	089 Food Service Management-Institutional Dietetic Technology	144 Music-Business Employee
027 Dance	076 Food Service Management-School Food Services	146 Music-Instrument Repair
090 Dental Assisting-Registered	230 Heating & Air Conditioning-HVAC Technology	147 Music-MIDI Applications
094 Diagnostic Medical Sonography	199 Helicopter Theory and Maintenance	101 Neurodiagnostic Technology
013 Display & Visual Presentation	072 Hotel Management	100 Nutrition Care (Dietetic Technology)
233 Drafting Technology-Computer Aided Design	062 Illustration Design (Commercial Art)	114 Nutrition Education
211 Drafting Technology-Electromechanical Design	040 Interior Design	045 Office Information Systems-General Office
209 Drafting Technology-Mechanical Design	050 Jewelry Design (Commercial Art)	030 Office Information Systems-Word Process Management
140 Early Childhood	218 Machine Technology	005 Ornamental Horticulture
099 Electrocardiography Technician	034 Management	054 Photography-Still
059 Electronic Media	031 Marketing-Advertising	106 Polysomnography
212 Electronics Technology	049 Marketing-International	098 Radiologic Technology-Diagnostic
215 Electronic Equipment Engineering Services	082 Marketing-Retail	092 Respiratory Care
093 Emergency Medical Technician 1		220 Welding Technology
111 Fashion-Design		290 Other Occupation-Not Listed
		299 Occupational-Unclassified

## C. Transfer Programs Leading to a Baccalaureate Degree

370 Anthropology	350 Geology	347 Physics
320 Art	372 Geography	375 Political Science
351 Astronomy	314 German	358 Pre-Health Professions: Nurse, OT, PT, Hygiene, etc.
340 Biology	360 Health Education	359 Pre-Health Professions: Dental, Medicine, Pharmacy, Veterinary Medicine
324 Broadcasting	373 History	
305 Business Administration	321 Home Economics	
302 CIS-College Transfer	394 Humanities	
341 Chemistry	390 Industrial Technology	
364 Dance	315 Japanese	376 Pre-Law
339 Ecology	381 Literature	377 Psychology
371 Economics	338 Marine Biology	369 Religious Studies
396 Education	344 Mathematics	378 Sociology
343 Engineering	322 Music	316 Spanish
310 English	374 Philosophy	312 Speech
317 Ethnic Studies	325 Photography	323 Theatre Arts
311 Foreign Language (General)	361 Physical Education	443 Transfer Major Not Listed
313 French	353 Physical Science	395 Liberal Arts (Transfer)
		450 Writing Program



# Welcome to Coast

# A Place for International Students



We are especially pleased that you are interested in becoming an international student at Orange Coast College.

Founded in 1948, Orange Coast College is a public, co-educational two-year institution located 3 miles from the Southern California's beautiful beaches, 40 miles south of Los Angeles, and a short driving distance to other attractions, such as Disneyland.



OCC is currently one of the finest and largest community colleges in the United States. The college offers a diversity of academic and vocational programs, a variety of support services, state-of-the-art facilities and equipment, and a large and diverse faculty. Campus life is friendly and informal.



OCC offers over 130 programs that lead to Associates of Arts and Science Degrees, Certificates of Achievement, as well as transfer to a four-year university. The college is fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges, a nationally recognized regional accrediting agency.



Our International Center staff will prepare the necessary immigration-related documents for you and will also assist you with counseling, registration, housing and college life activities once you get here. The staff is also available to help you resolve personal problems or direct you to someone who can.

International students are required to complete a minimum of 12 units each semester. An academic year is comprised of Spring (January-May) and Fall (August-December) semesters. Once you are admitted to OCC, the International Center will help you to take the English and math placement exams, attend a new student orientation, and meet with an academic counselor to map out your educational plan prior to your first semester of enrollment.





## Certification By Bank Official

This is to certify that the current balance, in United States dollars, in the sponsor's account(s) at this bank is/are:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Account: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Bank: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Bank Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Bank Official

Date

Official Bank Seal or Stamp

## Government, Foundation Agency or Corporate Fellowship Support

Complete the section below **ONLY** if you are sponsored by a government agency or a corporation.

Please submit this form to the agency providing your financial support for certification specifying the amount of the award, period of support, as well as all other conditions or terms.

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the agency named above will provide the applicant the equivalent of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ United States Dollars per year for the duration of his/her studies.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Agency Official

Date

Official Seal or Stamp



tests for all students. Both assessment tests are mandatory for international students.

Appointments are made through the International Center.

### Counseling

Each international student is provided

a one-hour counseling appointment prior to his or her initial registration; additional half-hour appointments are available as needed by students. The OCC Counseling Center helps you identify and clarify educational, career, and personal goals.

### Medical Insurance

Medical care in the United States is very expensive. Unexpected expenses can mount up quickly. Without health insurance, a student may rapidly exhaust financial resources intended for education. Therefore, all international students are required to purchase medical insurance coverage that is provided through the International Center.



## Language School Agreements

The Orange Coast College International Center has cooperative agreements with the intensive English language schools listed below. These schools assist international students in bringing their English language skills to the appropriate proficiency requirement for admission. OCC will accept completion of the following levels from the following language programs in lieu of the TOEFL:

- **American Language Institute at CSULB:** Completion of Level 4
- **AOI College of Languages:** Completion of Advanced Level
- **EF International:** Completion of Level 7/8
- **ELS Language Programs:** Completion of Level 109
- **FLS International:** Completion of Level 7B
- **GEOS English Academy:** Completion of Level 6
- **KAPLAN English Programs:** Completion of High/Intermediate Level
- **Language Systems International:** Completion of Level 6
- **POLY Language Institute:** Completion of Level 6
- **The Language Institute:** Completion of Advanced Level
- **UCI Extension:** Completion of Level 105

# Credit Card Authorization

(Application Fee \$30.00)



If you wish to pay your application fee with a credit card, please fill out the authorization statement below and mail it to the International Center along with your application.

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Holder's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number:

(Visa or MasterCard only)

Expiration Date: Month  Year

I hereby authorize the International Center at Orange Coast College to charge the application fee on my credit card listed above.

Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# Confidential Financial Information

## Estimated Student Budget

### Annual Expenses:

Tuition .....	\$ 5424
Books, Supplies and Incidental .....	\$ 1,422
Room and Board .....	\$10,200
Health & Accident Insurance .....	\$ 876
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$17922</b>

Tuition is charged at the rate of \$226 per unit. Please be aware that these fees are subject to change without advance notice. Contact the International Center for information on current fees. Financial aid is not available for international students. All international students must complete a minimum of 12 units each semester.

The information provided below is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge:

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide verification of financial support for a minimum of one year (first year of study) at OCC. Kindly complete any of the three sections below that are applicable. Indicate amounts in United States dollars.

### Self-Sponsors:

Are you sponsoring yourself?  Yes  No

If yes, please attach a letter or a bank statement (5 months current) from your bank, or have the next page completed by your bank official.

### Private/Family Sponsors:

If you have private/family sponsors, please have your sponsor complete the section below and submit either an original bank statement or an official bank certification on the next page.

I hereby guarantee without reservation to support the educational cost and living expenses (tuition and fees, room and board, health insurance, travel and personal expenses) for the aforementioned student while he/she is enrolled at Orange Coast College. I understand that the applicant, if accepted to this college, will be a full-time student who may not accept unauthorized on-campus or off-campus employment as specified under regulations of the United States Department of Homeland Security.

Sponsor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Primary language:  English (E)  Not English (N) First language \_\_\_\_\_

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17. High school attended/attending (if applicable):

HIGHSCHOOL NAME

CITY

STATE

18. High school education (select one):

- G Earned a foreign high school diploma
- B High school student currently enrolled in grades 11-12
- D Earned a U.S. high school diploma
- E Passed the GED or earned a CVA diploma
- F Earned a Certificate of the California High School Proficiency Examinations
- H Attending adult school to earn high school diploma
- C Not a high school graduate and not currently attending high school
- A Special student currently enrolled in grades K-10

19. High school graduation date or expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

MONTH YEAR

20. Educational goal (select one):

- A Associate of Arts Degree with transfer to Bachelor's Degree program
- B Bachelor's Degree or higher
- C Associate of Arts Degree without transfer
- D Two-year vocational degree/no transfer
- E Certificate only
- F Discover career interests or goals
- G Prepare for new career
- H Advance on my current job/career
- I Maintain license/certificate
- J Personal development/interest/cultural
- K Improve basic skills in English, reading, math
- L Complete credits for GED or high school
- M Undecided

21. Major (enter major and code number from listing of major codes on page 15): \_\_\_\_\_ MAJOR \_\_\_\_\_ CODE \_\_\_\_\_

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22. Your transfer plan (mark only ONE box):

- Non-transfer
- California State University
- University of California
- California independent college or university
- Out-of-state college or university

23. List English as a Second Language (ESL) programs, colleges and/or universities that you have attended (most recent first):

College \_\_\_\_\_

City/State \_\_\_\_\_

From (Year) \_\_\_\_\_

To (Year) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

24. Collegiate academic level (mark only ONE box):

- Never attended college
- Fewer than 30 semester units
- 30-59.5 semester units
- 60 or more semester units - no Associate of Arts Degree
- Associate of Arts Degree - Year awarded \_\_\_\_\_
- Bachelor's of Arts or Science Degree or higher - Year awarded \_\_\_\_\_

25. Student enrollment status (mark only ONE box):

- First time college student
- First time at Orange Coast College, attended another college(s)
- Returning to Orange Coast College after attending another college(s)
- Returning to Orange Coast College without attending other college(s)
- College starter (junior or senior in high school)
- Special admittance (K-10)

26. I certify that all information provided is correct and that I am in compliance with the registration policies as set forth in the catalog.

This application is considered a legal document and will become a permanent part of your record. Falsification of this document may be cause for dismissal and other legal action as deemed appropriate.

SIGNATURE

DATE

