# F-1 INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CHECKLIST



# **Apply to OU**

You'll need to submit:

- Your official transcripts in English
- Proof of English language proficiency
- Unexpired passport
- Recommendation letter (optional)

Apply here: <u>oglethorpe.edu/admission/undergraduate-admission/how-to-apply/international/</u>
Review the *Study in the States* website for more info: <u>studyinthestates.dhs.gov/students</u>



#### Submit an I-20 Request Form

After being accepted, you can request your I-20. You will need to provide proof of access to funds to pay U.S. study expenses

Submit your I-20 request form at: <a href="mailto:apply.oglethorpe.edu/register/120info">apply.oglethorpe.edu/register/120info</a>



# Pay the I-901 SEVIS Fee

Use the SEVIS ID number & school code from your I-20 to complete the payment.

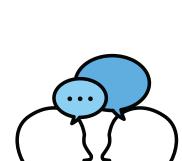
Pay your I-901 SEVIS Fee here: <a href="mailto:fmjfee.com/i901fee/">fmjfee.com/i901fee/</a>



### **Apply for an F-1 Student Visa**

You will use the SEVIS ID number from your I-20 to complete the payment.

Apply for an F-1 Student Visa here: <a href="mailto:ceac.state.gov/genniv/">ceac.state.gov/genniv/</a>



#### Schedule a visa interview

At the visa interview, be prepared with:

- Evidence you can pay for your studies (bank statement, letter from funding sponsor, etc.)
- Your qualifications to enter the university
- University offer letter
- Answers to questions about your college choice, plans after graduation, and intent to reside temporarily in the U.S.

Find your embassy and schedule an interview here: <u>usembassy.gov</u>



#### Notify OU about your visa and travel

Complete the following 2 forms to let OU know about your visa and travel details.

Submit Form International Student Visa Notification: <a href="mailto:apply.oglethorpe.edu/register/visa\_notification">apply.oglethorpe.edu/register/visa\_notification</a>

Submit Form International Student Travel Details: <u>apply.oglethorpe.edu/register/traveldetails</u>