



UNIVERSITY of  
DENVER

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSION

### English Conditional Admission (ECA) Checklist

☐ **Before you begin your degree program**, you must successfully complete the appropriate level of intensive English at the University of Denver's English Language Center (ELC). Each Level of English at the ELC corresponds to one quarter which is ten weeks of study. Students who are English Conditionally Admitted (ECA) to the University and who fulfill their English proficiency requirements through the English Language Center are required to take 12 credits in the LAUNCH Curriculum.

If you are currently enrolled at the English Language Center, you **must** successfully complete the LAUNCH curriculum in order to continue at the University of Denver.

If you would like to reclassify your admission status to Regular Admission from English Conditional Admission prior to your enrollment in September, and you are **not** currently enrolled at the English Language Center, you must do one of the following:

1. Submit a qualifying TOEFL, IELTS, or CAE score to the International Student Admission office no later than **July 1st**. Students must present a minimum TOEFL score of at least 80 iBT, achieving no less than 18 on each TOEFL subscore; an IELTS score of at least a 6.5 with no less than 5.5 on each individual band score; or a minimum grade of C on the CAE.

For Students Who Have Attended College or University:

2. Complete both English Composition I and II with grades of C- or higher.
3. Complete 30 semester hours of transferable credit from a college or university where English is the language of instruction and examination.

If your admission status is updated to *Regular Admission* by the Director of International Student Admission, you will be required to take the English Language Proficiency Assessment ([ELPA](#)) during International Student Orientation. All Regularly Admitted non-native English speakers, regardless of TOEFL, IELTS, or CAE test scores, must take this assessment. The results of the assessment will determine your placement into English courses in the [LAUNCH](#) Curriculum for which you will receive credit toward your degree and fulfill the foreign language requirement. The LAUNCH courses are designed to help students be more successful in their academic programs by improving their proficiency in English, learning about being part of an American institution of higher education, and learning more about U.S. culture.

### ☐ Deposits and Deadlines

1. **May 1, 2020:** Your enrollment at the University of Denver is *dependent* on our receipt of your deposit payment(s) and Admission Response Form which can be found in your student status portal.
2. **July 1, 2020:** Deadline to submit your final high school transcript (not applicable for transfer students).

**☐ If you want to study on an F-1 Student Visa**, we will issue a certificate of eligibility (I-20 form) after we have received the following required documentation:

1. English Language Center Application.  
The English Language Center Application can be found in your student status portal. This process includes an **online credit card** administrative fee payment and the Statement of Understanding rules for ECA admission.
2. The [Admitted Student Supplement and Financial Verification Form](#).
3. Photocopy of the biographical page from your passport and that of any dependents you will bring with you.
4. The SEVIS Transfer Eligibility Form for F-1 status if you are now studying in the US:  
<http://www.du.edu/apply/media/documents/sevistransferform.pdf>. \*

\* Additional information about the financial documentation requirements and the transfer eligibility form can be found on the International Student Admission website at:  
<http://www.du.edu/apply/admission/apply/international/sevis.html>.

**Please return these documents by scan to [INTLADM@du.edu](mailto:INTLADM@du.edu) or fax to 1-303-871-3522 or send by mail to International Student Admission, University Hall #114, 2197 S. University Blvd., Denver, CO 80208-9401.**

**☐ Housing:** English Conditionally Admitted (ECA) students are required to live on campus if they will be first-year or second-year students and under the age of 21. If you are required to live on-campus, you will need to submit a housing deposit with your response form **by May 1, 2020**. Housing contracts must be completed online through PioneerWeb, instructions can be found at  
<http://www.du.edu/housing/student/applying.html>.

**☐ Health Insurance:** It is mandatory that all DU students have health insurance. Students are required to participate in the DU Student Health Insurance Plan or provide proof of other adequate health insurance coverage. Information on health insurance can be found at: <http://www.du.edu/health-and-counseling-center/coveragecosts/ship.html>.

**☐ Keep up the Good Work:** By its approval of your application, the Admission Committee assumes that **you will complete your current academic work satisfactorily, including any intensive English language studies**. In case of a significant change in your academic performance or if you are involved in any illegal or disciplinary matters, the University of Denver reserves the right to withdraw our offer of admission.

**Once again, our sincere congratulations on your admission to the University of Denver!**

**SEE NEXT PAGE FOR ESTIMATED EXPENSES**



The following is a breakdown of the estimated MINIMUM expenses for undergraduate international students at the University of Denver for the 2020-2021 academic year. These estimates do not include international travel. Moreover, these estimates assume a moderate lifestyle in which students share living accommodations and expenses with a roommate.

**It is mandatory that all University of Denver students have health insurance.** Students are required to participate in the University of Denver Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP), or to waive this plan by providing proof of other adequate health insurance coverage. The definition of adequate health insurance is listed on the Health & Counseling Center website: <http://www.du.edu/health-and-counseling-center/coveragecosts/waiver.html>.

Most students are also required to bring or purchase a **laptop computer**. For information on required specifications, leasing and purchasing options, please visit the website: <http://www.du.edu/uts/laptops/specs.html>. The average cost of a laptop computer is \$1,200 to \$1600 USD. Please plan your finances accordingly.

The academic year consists of three quarters or **nine months**. If you choose to remain in the United States during the summer quarter (three months), you will be responsible for additional living expenses/books/supplies. If you take classes in the summer, you will also be responsible for additional tuition and fees. Please prepare your finances accordingly. Additional information can be found at <https://www.du.edu/admission-aid/financial-aid-scholarships/undergraduate-financial-aid/price-and-affordability/cost-attendance>. **ALL RATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.**

	<u>Quarter</u>	<u>Year (3 Quarters)</u>
Tuition (12 to 18 credit hours*)	\$17,532	\$52,596
Student Fees (maximum, annual)	\$393	\$1,179
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<b>Annual Tuition and Fees (SUBTOTAL)</b>	<b>\$17,925</b>	<b>\$53,775</b>
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Living Expenses (estimated at on-campus costs)	\$5,836	\$17,154
Books/Supplies/Health Insurance**	\$1,383	\$ 4,150
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<b>Annual Expenses (SUBTOTAL)</b>	<b>\$7,219</b>	<b>\$21,304</b>
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$25,144</b>	<b>\$75,079</b>

\*A traditional undergraduate student takes 12-18 credits of classes during the fall, winter and spring quarters of the academic year.

**This is the minimum amount the University of Denver is required to verify in order to issue the I-20 or DS-2019.**

\*\* Based on the 2019-2020 annual health insurance rate (\$3,150)

If you plan to bring your family, you will be required to verify additional funds for their living expenses. The estimated expenses **for each accompanying dependent** are as follows:

**Spouse:** \$5,200 per academic year (9 months)  
**Each Child:** \$3,960 per academic year (9 months)