

GENERAL INFORMATION

Thank you for your interest in Eastern Oklahoma State College (EOSC). Founded in 1908, Eastern is a two-year public college in the Oklahoma State system. Eastern is a friendly college, a place where classes rarely exceed 30 students and where instructors and students know each other well. Eastern offers 36 associate degree programs that prepare graduates for transfer as juniors into bachelor's degree programs. Eastern's current enrollment is composed of over 1,800 students, including International students representing different nations.

This packet is designed to provide prospective international students information necessary to complete the application process for studies at Eastern Oklahoma State College. For purpose of admission, an international student is defined as a student who is a citizen or permanent resident of a country other than the United States and who is or will be temporarily in the United States on a non-immigrant status.

ACCREDITATION

Eastern Oklahoma State College is officially accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools (since March 1954), the State Regents for Higher Education, the National League for Nursing, the Society of American Foresters and Oklahoma State School Accrediting Agencies. Eastern memberships include the American Association of Junior Colleges, the Council of North Central Junior Colleges and the Oklahoma Association of Junior Colleges.

LOCATION AND CLIMATE

The Eastern campus is located in Wilburton, Oklahoma, in the heart of a beautiful valley between the SanBois and Winding Stair Mountain Ranges. Forest-covered mountains, mountain streams and nearby Robbers Cave State Park provides a great outdoors playground for swimming, fishing, hunting, picnicking and driving year round. The community is located 2 hours from Tulsa, Oklahoma and 3 hours from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, two major metropolitan areas. Both cities have an international airport.

Oklahoma is in the south central part of the United States, where the winters are generally mild and the summers are hot and dry. During January and February, the temperatures are frequently 0 degrees C or lower. During July and August, the temperatures are often 38 degrees C.

CAMPUS HOUSING: Living on campus at Eastern is an integral part of a student's educational experience. The purpose of living on campus is to provide opportunities and services beneficial to a student's success. Studies show that students who live on campus attain a higher grade point average than those who do not. On-campus students have access to computers, study labs, the library and tutoring facilities as well as greater interaction with faculty. Eastern provides three dormitories and one meal plan to choose from.

Dormitory Room and Board charges per semester can be found on Eastern's website www.eosc.edu

ADMISSION

Documents required for admission to Eastern are listed below:

Application

It is very important that you complete all questions on the International Application for Admission. Failure to do so delays processing time.

Application Fee

The non-refundable application fee is US \$25.00. This fee can be paid either with a money order, a cashier's check that is drawn on a US bank or a bank based in the US. Money orders and cashier's checks should be payable to Eastern Oklahoma State College. Do not send cash or foreign postal money orders.

Educational Documents

List on your application each education institution that you have attended, regardless of program completion. If you are currently attending an educational institution, you must include the date that the certificate, statement of results or transcript will be available. Educational documents that must be submitted with your application include yearly secondary school reports, secondary-level certificates, records from each college or university attended and national examination results. An **official record** from each institution is required. If your certificates or transcripts are not in English, a certified translation is required. Any translated record should be literal, not interpretive, and must be accompanied by a copy of the original document. Students enrolled at U.S. institutions may have certified copies of their foreign documents sent by their current institutions. If you send a photocopy of your education records, you will be expected to bring the original records when you arrive at Eastern to enroll.

English Proficiency

Evidence of English Proficiency is required for all applicants for whom English is a second language (TOEFL or IELTS or IBT or US High School completion). An official TOEFL examination with a minimum score of 500 for a paper-based test, 173 for a computer-based test, 61 Internet-based test, 140 for a computer-based test and proof of attendance of 12 weeks (Level 9) of Intensive English at an approved site within the United States. Other examinations include IELTS with a minimum score of 5.5, PTE Academic with a minimum score of 46, or iTEP Academic with a minimum score of 3.5

Certification of Financial Resources

The applicant and their sponsor are required to submit supporting documents verifying the sponsor's financial capability to support the student while in attendance at Eastern Oklahoma State College.

E-mail or Mail all application material to:

Eastern Oklahoma State College
Attn: Sandra Robertson
1301 West Main
Wilburton OK 74578
USA

Telephone: 1-918-465-1828
Fax: 1-918-465-4435
E-mail: srobertson@eosc.edu
<http://www.eosc.edu>

EASTERN OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE

Financial Guarantee 2024-2025

Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) regulations require documentation that sufficient financial resources are available to meet a student's educational and living expenses while in the U.S. Therefore, Eastern Oklahoma State College requires a guarantee of financial resources from each applicant who expects to obtain or maintain Student (F-1) status. Applicants are required to submit financial documentation that equals or exceeds one full year of expenses for the program of study they are interested in pursuing. Adjustments in the financial certification cannot be adjusted based on a student's individual circumstances. This estimate is based upon 15 semester hours each semester for undergraduate studies. A Certificate of Eligibility (I-20) will not be issued until this information is provided.

The amounts listed below are determined by using the estimated cost figures for the 2024-2025 year. These costs are subject to change without notice. Historically, total costs have increased on an average of 5-10% each year.

Estimated Expenses

Estimated expenses or cost for study at Eastern Oklahoma State College for one academic year (two semesters):

• Tuition and Fees	\$6,200.00
• Room and Board	\$6,600.00
• Books and Supplies	\$1,000.00
• Personal Expenses	\$1,000.00
<u>Estimated Total</u>	\$14,800.00

APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION

Applicants Name: _____
(Please Print) (Family or Last) (Given or First)

Expected enrollment date:

Fall (August) 2024

Spring (January) 2025

I understand the expenses listed are average cost estimates. The actual costs may vary based on changes in tuition and fees, books and supplies, room and board and personal lifestyles. I guarantee that I will have sufficient funds available to meet the estimated educational expenses as listed previously for each year that I study at Eastern Oklahoma State College. I certify that I can make the necessary arrangements to have all funds transferred to the United States and that I will have adequate funds for my travel to and from the United States. I understand that tuition is payable at the beginning of each semester. Room and board will be payable monthly. These funds will be provided by (check one):

by my family

from my own savings

other (specify)

If you are married and your spouse and/or children will accompany you to the U.S., please provide the following information for each individual. Additional funds must be available to support your dependents amounting to \$8,000.00 for a spouse and \$5,000.00 for each child.

Last Name _____

First Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Country of Birth _____

Relationship _____

Last Name _____

First Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Country of Birth _____

Relationship _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Guarantor's Certification

Unless you are supported by your own savings, immigration documents cannot be issued without the guarantor completing and signing this section.

Guarantor's Name: _____
(Please print) (Family or Last) (Given or First)

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Guarantor's Country of Citizenship: _____

Mailing address of Guarantor:

Is the Guarantor currently residing in the United States: Yes No

If yes, is the Guarantor a U.S. citizen? Yes No

If no, is the Guarantor a Permanent Resident Alien? Yes No

If the Guarantor is residing in the U.S. and is not a U.S. citizen or Permanent Resident Alien, what is his/her current visa classification? _____

If your financial guarantor is residing in the United States, INS Form I-134 must be duly completed.

As the applicant's guarantor, I understand:

- The estimated expenses or cost of study at Eastern Oklahoma State College expenses, as listed on this form are estimated of average costs.
- The actual cost for study at Eastern Oklahoma State College may vary based on changes in tuition and fees, books and supplies, room and board and personal lifestyles.
- Tuition is payable at the beginning of each semester.
- Room and board will be payable monthly.

As the applicant's guarantor, I certify:

- That I will provide (applicant's name) _____ with sufficient funds to meet the actual expenses incurred, as estimated on these forms for each year the applicant is enrolled at EOSC.
- That I can make the necessary arrangements to have all funds transferred to the United States and that I will provide adequate funds for the applicant's travel to and from the United States.
- If there are dependents that plan to accompany the applicant, I will provide the additional funds necessary to meet the needs of the applicant's dependents.

Signature of Guarantor: _____

Date: _____

BANK'S CERTIFICATION

A bank letter or affidavit must be submitted verifying the student and/or sponsor's ability to financially support the student while in attendance at Eastern Oklahoma State College.

The letter should be on bank letterhead, signed by a bank official and specifically verify the following:

- Name of account holder
- Date account was opened
- Current account balance or specific acknowledgement that the referenced account has a minimum balance to cover the student's estimated expenses and any additional dependents as listed on these forms.
- Monetary values listed should be converted to the U.S. dollar.

**EASTERN OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT
APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION**

Personal Information

This application must be completed and signed by the student. Please do not leave any section blank. (This information is used for Federal and State Reporting and will not be a factor in the admissions process.)

Name: _____

(Please Print)

(Family or Last)

(Given or First)

Date of Birth: _____

Male

Female

Month

Day

Year

City and Country of Birth: _____

Country of Citizenship: _____

Permanent Mailing Address: _____

Current Address: _____

Permanent Telephone: _____

Current Telephone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Educational Background:

High School/Secondary School
(Full Name)

Location
(City, State, Country)

Attendance (month/day/year)
Beginning Ending

List all college/universities you have attended in chronological order since leaving high school, including current enrollment, if applicable.

Institution
(Full Name)

Location
(City, State, Country)

Attendance (month/day/year)
Beginning Ending

Financial Support

Dependent Information

List any dependents who will accompany you to the United States:

Name	Date of Birth	Relationship to Applicant
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Parents/Emergency Contact

Name: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Phone: () _____

Phone: () _____

Alternate Phone: () _____

Alternate Phone: () _____

Relationship: _____

Relationship: _____

Academic Information

Term you plan to enter:

Fall 2024

Spring 2025

Intended Major (Circle only one)

Agriculture

- Agricultural Economics
- Agricultural Communications
- Agriculture Education
- Agronomy
- Animal Science
- Food Science
- Pre-Veterinary
- Forestry
- Environmental Science/Natural Resources
- Wildlife Ecology
- Forestry Technology
- Horticulture
- Ranch Management- Stocker Operations
- Meat Processing and Food Safety

Business

- Business Administration
- Computer Information Systems
- Computer Technology
- Enterprise Development

Behavior & Social Sciences

- Child Development
- Criminal Justice
- Criminal Justice COP
- History and Political Science
- Psychology and Sociology

Health Sciences

- Nursing
- Respiratory Therapy

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Language, Humanities and Education

Pre-Elementary Education
English
Mass Communications
Enterprise Development
General Studies
Health, Physical Education & Recreation
Music

Science and Mathematics

Physical Science
Mathematics
Life Science

TOEFL Score _____ (Please attach an official copy of TOEFL Score)

If you do not have a TOEFL Score of at least 500 (and not less than 460) or IELTS score of 5.5 or TOEFLibt score of 61 or PTE Academic score of 46 or iTEP Academic score of 3.5, or better you must attend 12 weeks of intensive English at an approved site before being admitted to Eastern.

Where do you plan to get this training? _____

E-mail or Mail Completed Application to:

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Attn: Sandra Robertson, Registrar/Coordinator
1301 West Main
Wilburton OK 74578
USA

Telephone: 1-918-465-1828
Fax: 1-918-465-4435
E-mail: srobertson@eosc.edu
<http://www.eosc.edu>

I hereby certify that all information provided in this application is true and accurate.

Students Signature _____ **Date:** _____