

Application for International Students

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY



International Student Services

The following items make a complete application:

1. **Application for International Students**, which includes the **Confidential Financial Statement** signed by you or your sponsor.
2. **\$30 application fee** paid in ___ Check ___ Cash ___ Credit Card.
3. **Official transcripts, both in original language and in English.** Original documents become property of Ferris State University and cannot be returned.
4. **Copy of identification page(s) of your passport.**
5. **Original Official Bank Statement** from you or your sponsor representing funds for at least one academic year.
6. **Official TOEFL score from ETS** (Ferris State University Code # 1222).
7. **GRADUATE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:** Resume, statement of purpose, three letters of reference.
* GRE or GMAT score required for MS in ISM.

Personal Data (Please type or print in ink)

Name: _____
(As it appears on your passport) Last Name (Family / Surname) First Name (Given) Middle Name

Gender: Male Female **Date of Birth:** ____ / ____ / 19 ____
(Western Calendar) Month Day Year

Permanent Mailing Address: Complete mailing address exactly as it should appear on the envelope.

Street Number and Street Name or PO Box Number

City Province / State

Country Postal Code

E-mail address: _____
Print clearly. Please check your e-mail regularly as this is how we will communicate with you.

Telephone Number: _____
Country Code City Code Home Number

Fax Number (if available): _____
Country Code City Code FAX Number

Country of Citizenship: _____ **Country of Birth:** _____

Do you currently have a US Visa? ___ Yes ___ No **If yes, Visa type:** _____

If you are currently studying in the US on an F-1 or J-1 Visa, please submit a transfer form certified by your current school: <http://www.ferris.edu/international/Future/TransferForm.pdf> (Requires Adobe Reader)

How did you hear about Ferris State University?

___ Ferris Student ___ Family Member ___ Friend ___ Ferris Web Site ___ Sponsor
___ Articulation ___ Embassy/Consulate ___ Ferris Professor ___ Recruiting Agency _____
___ Advertisement ___ Education Fair ___ Ferris Coach ___ Other: _____

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Education Record

List names and dates of all secondary schools, colleges, universities and specialized institutions you have attended.

Original or certified/attested copies of your **transcripts/grade reports/mark sheets** are required. If the original documents are not in English, we need the original language document, as well as a translated document. The translated document must be a complete, literal, word-for-word translation into English and must be in the same format as the original.

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Name of Institution	City & Country	Dates of Attendance		Degree / Diploma
		FROM: month / year	TO: month / year	

Are you currently attending any of these institutions? ___ Yes ___ No If yes, which one: _____

Will you be seeking transfer credit? ___ Yes ___ No If yes, provide descriptions (in English) of each course you would like to transfer with your application.

Language Proficiency

Proof of proficiency in the English language is required before you begin your academic studies.

Is English your native language? ___ Yes ___ No If no, what is your native language? _____
 Have you taken the TOEFL? ___ Yes ___ No If yes, what is your TOEFL score? _____
 If no, when will you take the TOEFL? _____

Minimum TOEFL score for Ferris State University is 500 (paper-based test) or 173 (computer-based test). Please have ETS send the results directly to FSU. **The TOEFL must have been taken within the last three years. (Ferris State University Code # 1222)**

Program Preference

This application is for: Academic Program

Please refer to the Ferris State University web site or the attached list for available programs.

Academic Program you wish to apply for: _____ (Must be filled in)

Big Rapids Campus Regional Campus – City _____

Semester you wish to enter: Fall 200___ Winter 200___ Summer 200 ___
 Application deadlines: June 15 October 15 February 15

NOTE: Most academic programs have Fall or Winter entry only. Summer entry may extend your length of study time and put your schedule out of sequence.

Person to contact in case of emergency (English speaking person is preferable):

Name: _____ Phone: _____
 Address: _____
 _____ Relationship: _____

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Confidential Financial Statement

This Confidential Financial Statement **must** be completed by the person who will be sponsoring or paying for your education. The Bank Statement you send will reflect this person's funds.

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| 1. Itemize the financial resources you have available for educational expenses at Ferris State University. You must show sufficient funds for at least the first year on the official bank statement. | A. Student's Savings (in US \$) \$ _____ |
| | B. Family Support (in US \$) \$ _____ |
| 2. If you receive financial support from salary or governmental sources, please include official documentation from your employer or governmental office. (C and D) | C. Salary while on leave to study (in US \$) \$ _____ |
| | D. Government support (in US \$) \$ _____ |
| 3. Are the regulations of your government such that the funds can be released to you in United States dollars? _____ Yes _____ No | |
| 4. Do you have sufficient funds for each year of study at Ferris State University?
_____ Yes _____ No | Total Support (in US \$) \$ _____ |

To be signed by a parent, guardian, other sponsor, or applicant (if self-funding).

I am prepared to furnish the funds listed above to meet the expenses of the applicant named below.

Name of Applicant: _____
Family Name (Surname) Given Name(s)

My Relationship to this Applicant: _____

Name of Sponsor: _____

Address of Sponsor: _____

Signature of Sponsor/Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Certification Statement

I CERTIFY THAT ALL INFORMATION ON THIS APPLICATION FORM IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. I understand that withholding information requested on this application or giving false information may make me ineligible for admission or subject to dismissal.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Dependents

I plan to come **without** dependents (spouse/child).

I plan to come **with** dependents (spouse/child).

Spouse:

Last Name (Family / Surname)	First Name (Given)	Middle Name	Birth Country	Date of Birth
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Child:

Last Name (Family / Surname)	First Name (Given)	Middle Name	Birth Country	Date of Birth
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Gender: Male Female

Legal Incident Report

- (a) Other than a minor traffic offense, have you ever plead guilty (or no contest) to or been found guilty of a criminal offense, or have you ever been adjudged to be a juvenile delinquent? ___ Yes ___ No
(b) Do you have any criminal charges pending against you? ___ Yes ___ No
- Have you been expelled, suspended for a week or longer, placed on disciplinary probation, or been subject to any other disciplinary action at any secondary school (high school) or college or university you have attended (including Ferris State University)? ___ Yes ___ No

A positive answer to Question 1 or 2 will not automatically result in denial of your application. **Please provide a brief explanation and the date of each incident for every incident that would require you to answer "yes" to either Question 1 or 2.** Include in your explanation the charges for which you were convicted or determined to be delinquent, and the circumstances for which you were disciplined by another school or university. The University may ask for further information from you regarding your history to aid in determining whether you should be admitted into Ferris and whether certain programs should be avoided by you due to your criminal and/or disciplinary history.

Return this completed application to:

**Ferris State University
Admissions and Records, CSS 201
International Student Services
1010 Campus Drive, FLT 408
Big Rapids, Michigan 49307-2737 USA**

Other contact information:

**Telephone: 1-231-591-3915
FAX: 1-231-591-2423
E-mail: international@ferris.edu
Web Site: <http://www.ferris.edu/international>**