

1: You're Accepted!



Congratulations! We are excited to have you as part of our student body. Summit's DSO will send an I-20 form which is the document used to apply for the student visa. Once your I-20 is received, you can start working on the visa process!



5. Travel to US

You may arrive in the States **30 days** before your program start date. Be sure to travel with all of your documents!

4: Getting Ready



When you cross the border, you will receive your F1 student visa stamp. The following items, as noted on [this website](#) will be required at your port of entry:

- Canadian passport
- Original I-20
- Certificate of Admission (acceptance letter from Summit)
- I-901 Receipt for SEVIS payment
- Evidence of financial support (ability to pay school fees and living expenses in the US)
- Summit scholarship letter, if applicable
- Proof of ties to Canada

SECURING AN F1 STUDENT VISA

Obtaining an F-1 Student Visa can be a lengthy process. This information is meant to provide assistance as you navigate the process. Please contact the Admissions Office at Summit with any questions!

2: Preparation



You will need to gather the following documents:

- **1-20 & Acceptance Letter** from Summit
- **Valid Passport** (good for at least 6 months past Summit start date)
- **Evidence of financial support** (ability to pay school fees and living expenses in the US)
- **Summit scholarship letter**, if applicable

3: I-901 SEVIS Fee



Each student who applies for a student visa is required to pay a **\$350 fee** to SEVIS. [Click here](#) for the direct link. The SEVIS fee does not replace the visa fee. Be sure to [print your confirmation](#).