

Suffolk University

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2019 – 2020 Appeal Application for Additional Aid

If you wish to appeal the aid decision rendered by the Office of Student Financial Services you must complete this application in full. Please remember the Office of Student Financial Services extended the best possible offer to you based on available funding and information reported on your application.

Appeals should only be based on new information or information that has changed since your 2019-20 FAFSA was filed. Appeals will not be considered until the student's file has been verified.

Note to new students: Suffolk University does not “match” offers from other schools. Appeals requesting an award match from another university will not result in an increased award package.

Student's Name _____ Student ID _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Home phone () - - Work phone () - - E-mail address _____

1. Indicate basis for appeal: check appropriate line(s):

- _____ Death of a family member (Indicate name and relationship to you) _____
 _____ Illness
 _____ Change in income for student (refer to item 4 below)
 _____ Change in income for parent(s) (refer to item 4 below)
 _____ Other _____

2. Indicate your grade level for 2019-2020

- _____ Freshman
 _____ Sophomore
 _____ Junior
 _____ Senior
 _____ Graduate
 _____ Law Student

3. Indicate the number of credits enrolled in/planning to enroll in for following semesters:

Fall 2019 _____ Spring 2020 _____

4. Your 2019-20 FAFSA reported 2017 tax information. If you are appealing based on a change in income from one year to next, please provide 2018 income/benefits below.

Student's (and spouse's) 2018 Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) \$ _____
 Student's (and spouse's) 2018 untaxed income/benefits \$ _____
 If applicable, your parents' 2018 Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) \$ _____
 If applicable, your parents' 2018 untaxed income/benefits \$ _____

(Over)

5. Explanations/Comments:

All appeals must be accompanied by supporting documentation. For example, if you are appealing as a result of illness, include copies of medical bills, doctor's statements, etc. If you are appealing on the basis of unemployment, you must submit verification such as a letter from your employer, copies of your last pay stub, verification of unemployment benefits, etc. **Please remember to attach supporting documentation.**

Note: If you receive any additional funding through the appeal process for this academic year, renewal of that funding may not be awarded for subsequent years. In other words, increased aid awarded now is not guaranteed for the future. ***Your signature below indicates that you understand this appeal process.*** If you are a dependent student, your parent must also sign this form.

X _____
Student's signature

Date

X _____
Parent's signature
(Parent must also sign if student is dependent)

Date