



# EASE Application

Effective Access to Student Education  
Program (EASE)

Please complete, sign, and return to: Warner University -  
Student Financial Services - 13895 HWY 27 - Lake Wales, FL 33859  
863-638-7225 - sfs@warner.edu

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## Student Information

Student's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Street Address : \_\_\_\_\_ Student's DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Include Apt #)

City

Zip Code

Student's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternative Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

What is the beginning date of the student's permanent resident in Florida: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you seeking your first Bachelor's degree? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you a U.S. Citizen? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Answer these questions if you are a dependent student (you are dependent if you are under the age of 24, are not married, do not have children, are not a ward of the court, and are not a veteran):

Student's Date of High School Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Year

Name of High School/City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the student's mother or father a legal  
Florida Resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Beginning date of parent(s)' permanent residency in Florida : \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Year

## Student Certification

I have read and understand the conditions of this application. The information on the application is true, complete, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I am eligible for the Effective Access to Student Education Program as defined under the Florida Statutes (Section 10009.89.) and the State Board Rule 6A-20.007. I also understand that proper documentation must be provided in order to meet eligibility requirements.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if student is under 18)

## List of Acceptable Forms of Identification

THE STUDENT MUST PROVIDE TWO (2) FORMS OF DOCUMENTS SUPPORTING THE PROOF OF FLORIDA RESIDENCY. If you are a dependent student, your PARENT must provide the two (2) documents supporting Florida residency. All documents must be dated, issued, or filed at least 12 months prior to the first day of the student's first semester at Warner University and must not be expired.

First Tier (at least one of the documents must be from this list):

- Florida driver's license of State of Florida Identification card
- Florida voter's registration card
- Florida vehicle registration
- Proof of permanent home in Florida which is occupied as a primary residence by the claimant
- Proof of homestead exemption in Florida
- Transcript from a Florida high school for multiple years if the Florida high school diploma or GED was earned within the last 12 months
- Proof of permanent full-time employment in Florida for at least 30 hours per week for a 12 month period

Second Tier (may be used in conjunction with one document from 1st Tier):

- Declaration of domicile in Florida
- Florida professional or occupational license
- Florida incorporation
- Proof of membership in a Florida-based charitable or professional organization
- Documents evidencing family ties in Florida
- Utility bills and proof of 12 consecutive months of payments
- Official state, federal, or court document evidencing legal ties to Florida



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### INITIAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS TO RECEIVE

**FUNDING:** The student will: Be a Florida resident and a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen. A student's residency and citizenship status are determined by the postsecondary institution. Questions regarding such status should be directed to the financial aid office or admissions office of the institution the student plans to attend. • Not owe a repayment or be in default under any state or federal grant, loan or scholarship program unless satisfactory arrangements to repay have been made. • Not have previously received a baccalaureate degree. • Enroll for a minimum of 12 credit hours per term, or the equivalent, at an eligible Florida college or university. • Be an undergraduate student who is in the process of attaining a first bachelor's or baccalaureate degree. • Meet Florida's general eligibility requirements for receipt of state aid. • Not be enrolled in a program of study leading to a degree in theology or divinity

**STUDENT AWARD RENEWAL:** A renewal applicant must have earned a minimum institutional cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale, and earned the equivalent of 12 credit hours for each term an award was received during the academic year. • Eligibility is determined at the end of the second semester or third quarter of each academic year. Credit hours earned during the previous summer may be counted toward the total number of credit hours required. • A student should consult the postsecondary institution for additional renewal requirements which are established by the institution.

### FAILURE TO MEET THE MINIMUM RENEWAL GPA:

If a student does not meet the minimum institutional cumulative GPA, a probationary award may be granted for two semesters or three quarters. • To be eligible for renewal the following year after probation, the student must have earned the required credits and institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

### FAILURE TO MEET THE MINIMUM RENEWAL CREDIT

**HOURS:** A student who does not meet the required minimum 12 hours per semester (or equivalent) may not receive funding the following academic year. • To be eligible for funding in a subsequent year, the student must apply for restoration and meet the general eligibility requirements for restoration and have earned an institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale. **STUDENT AWARD RESTORATION** A student may be eligible for restoration if the student earned an institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale at the end of the second semester or third quarter of the academic year preceding the year the award is sought. • The student may apply for restoration with the postsecondary institution after two semesters or three quarters.

**STUDENT AWARD REINSTATEMENT:** A student who met the requirements for a renewal award, but did not receive an award during a full year of eligibility and wishes to reestablish use of the grant, may apply for reinstatement with the postsecondary institution in a subsequent year provided the student has earned an institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale as of the end of the second semester or third quarter of the academic year preceding the year the award is sought.

**TERMS OF ELIGIBILITY:** A student is eligible to receive an award for a maximum of 9 semesters or 14 quarters. • Undergraduate students participating in college-preparatory instruction, students requiring additional time to complete the college-level communication and computation skills testing programs (CLAST), or students enrolled in a 5-year undergraduate program are eligible to receive financial aid for a maximum of 10 semesters or 15 quarters. Five-year eligibility does not extend to a program of study which leads to the simultaneous award of a graduate and undergraduate degree. • Unused terms may not be used for further course funding after a student earns a baccalaureate degree.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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