



Boston University Financial Assistance

**2009/2010
SPRING SEMESTER APPLICATION
FOR UNDERGRADUATE FINANCIAL AID**

Complete this application if:

- ⇒ **You are applying to be a first-time Boston University grant recipient**
You have never received BU grant in the past, although you may or may not have applied for it previously
- ⇒ **You are returning from a Leave of Absence (LOA)**
You would like to be considered for aid in the spring semester
- ⇒ **You are regaining Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**
Please visit www.bu.edu/finaid/eligibility/sap.html for more information.
- ⇒ **You believe your financial aid eligibility has increased**
Please visit www.bu.edu/finaid/eligibility/calculated_need.html for more information.

Do NOT complete this application if:

- ⇒ **You are a freshman or transfer student entering (or deferring to enter) in January 2010**
Please visit www.bu.edu/finaid/apply/incoming.html for more information.
- ⇒ **You received a BU CONTINGENT GRANT in the Fall 2009 semester**
Please visit www.bu.edu/finaid/eligibility/sap_contingent.html for more information.

How to apply:

Please complete the back of this form and submit the following documents, if not previously filed.
The priority deadline is November 2, 2009.

- 2009/2010 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
Please visit www.bu.edu/finaid/apply/profile_fafsa.html for more information.
- 2009/2010 CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE
Please visit www.bu.edu/finaid/apply/profile_fafsa.html for more information.
- 2009/2010 Noncustodial Parent PROFILE (If biological/adoptive parents are separated, divorced, or never married)
Please visit www.bu.edu/finaid/special/ncp.html for more information.
- 2008 Parent federal income tax return (signed, incl. all W-2s & schedules), if required to file or Income Verification Form (found at www.bu.edu/finaid/forms/appforms.html), if not required to file
- 2008 Student federal income tax return (signed, incl. all schedules), if required to file or Income Verification Form (found at www.bu.edu/finaid/forms/appforms.html), if not required to file
- 2008 Business Tax Returns (if you or your parents hold an ownership interest in a business or are self-employed)

Your BU Student Account must be settled (please visit www.bu.edu/comp/saweb/index.html for more information).
Decisions will be mailed during the month of December.

Contacting Boston University Financial Assistance:

For information about financial assistance at Boston University, visit us online at www.bu.edu/finaid. Correspond with BU Financial Assistance via e-mail at finaid@bu.edu, call us at **617-353-2965**, or fax us at **617-358-2792**. Please include your name and Boston University ID number in any written communication. Our address is:

Boston University Financial Assistance, 881 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston, MA 02215

SPRING SEMESTER APPLICATION

STUDENT NAME: _____ BU-ID: U ____ - ____ - _____

E-MAIL: _____ DAYTIME PHONE: _____

PLANNED ENROLLMENT: Full time (12+ credits) Halftime (6-11 credits) Less than halftime

TYPE OF APPLICATION (please check):

Never Received BU grant in the Past

Returning from Leave of Absence (LOA)

If you were enrolled at another college/university during the Fall 2009 semester, please specify the name and location of that institution):

Name _____ Federal School Code: ____ - ____ - ____ - ____

City _____ State _____

Regaining Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)

Increased Financial Eligibility

- If there are changes in your family's financial circumstances such as increased non-discretionary expenses, **you must attach a letter of explanation and supporting documentation**. Include relevant dates and itemize costs.
- If there has been a reduction in family's income for 2009 compared to 2008, please complete estimate below. **You must attach supporting documentation**, such as most recent pay stub, letter of termination, etc.

STUDENT ESTIMATED 2009 INCOME

PARENT ESTIMATED 2009 INCOME

Student Earnings from Work Self-Employed? \$_____/year Yes No

Parent #1 Earnings from Work Self-Employed? \$_____/year Yes No

Spouse Earnings from Work Self-Employed? \$_____/year Yes No

Parent #2 Earnings from Work Self-Employed? \$_____/year Yes No

Interest/Dividend Income \$_____/year

Interest/Dividend Income \$_____/year

Business Income \$_____/year

Business Income \$_____/year

Other Taxable Income Source? \$_____/year _____

Other Taxable Income Source? \$_____/year _____

Other Non-taxable Income Source? \$_____/year _____

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Assets/Savings Source? \$_____/year _____

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CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

I certify that all information provided above is complete and accurate, that I have read and understand the spring semester aid criteria and that I understand that failure to comply with instructions and/or deadlines may result in the denial of aid.

Name (please print)

Relationship to Student if other than the Student

Signature

Date