



Financial Aid New Applicant Form

Student Name: _____ BU ID: _____

Email: _____ Phone #: _____

Parent/Guardian: Enter your full name if you are requesting this reconsideration on behalf of a student: _____ Relationship to student: _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

How to Submit this Appeal

Continuing Students:

Upload a complete appeal through the [BU FA Document Portal](#).

Do no email this appeal or any supporting documents. Appeals received through email will not be reviewed. We cannot access documents through IDOC.

Complete Appeal – A complete appeal includes the following:

- Financial Aid New Applicant Form
- CSS Profile & FAFSA for the academic year you are appealing.
- Federal Tax Returns and W-2s for the tax year used in the CSS Profile and for the year of impact of circumstances listed.

It is your responsibility to submit all required applications/documents and to verify that BU has received them. Incomplete appeals will be denied at the appeal deadline.

Section 1

Why did you not receive BU Financial Assistance in previous year(s)?

I submitted the applications late and was not awarded BU Need-Based Scholarship.

I applied on-time but was not eligible for BU Need-based Scholarship due to income or assets reported.

I was not eligible to apply (Ex: Non-Citizen), but am now an eligible applicant.

I was eligible to apply, but did not apply for BU Need-Based Financial Assistance.

Other (Please explain in Section 2)



Section 2

Since enrolling at BU, what changes have occurred in your family's financial circumstances? How have these changes affected your original plan for covering the cost of attendance without BU financial assistance?

Student and Parent Certification

- I certify that all information provided on this form is accurate and complete as of this date.
- I understand the verification of this information may be requested later and that my award may be adjusted as a result of the verification process.
- I understand that submission of the request does not excuse or extend any upcoming payment deadlines and does not guarantee an increase to my financial aid award.

I certify that I have read and understand the above statements:

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Student/Parent

Date: _____

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