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## **ONLINE OVERSEAS APPLICATION GUIDELINES 2020/2021**

### **Creating an account**

1. Log in to the website at <https://overseas-kygov.fluidreview.com/>  
(Also found on Scholarship Website at [www.education.gov.ky/scholarships](http://www.education.gov.ky/scholarships))
2. **Sign up** for an account by completing the registration information:  
**Note: This information pertains to the applicant only!**
  - a. First Name
  - b. Last Name
  - c. Email (that you have immediate access to)
  - d. Password/Confirm Password. Your password must contain at least:
    - i. 8 characters (including letters, numbers, and special characters)
    - ii. One uppercase letter
    - iii. One lowercase letter
    - iv. One number
    - v. One special character (!@#%&\* etc.)
3. You will be sent an email to the address you entered on sign up to confirm that it is a valid email address and that it belongs to you.

Note: If a user account with the same email address already exists, you will need to sign in with the same password. If you have forgotten your password and are unable to login you can reset your password through email.

### **Questionnaire - Eligibility**

1. Complete the questionnaire by selecting “**START**” and completing the relevant check boxes.
2. Read each question carefully as this will be used to filter the applications according to level of scholarship and current level of education/schooling.
3. If you select the wrong type of scholarship you can be deemed ineligible or be placed in the wrong subgroup of applicants which will delay the review and processing of your application.
4. Once your questionnaire is complete, you will be provided with the available scholarship. If you fail to see any scholarships listed, please click on **View Scholarships** and select the correct scholarship by clicking on **Apply Now**.
5. You shall now proceed to complete the online application by completing each of five stages and uploading the documents necessary for that stage.

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The application process has 5 stages as itemized below. You will receive an email after each stage you complete. Please check your email frequently.

To move from one stage to another, you have to complete the uploads and details for each stage and click on the link at the top which is as shown:

This application is eligible for the next stage. [Click here to move this application.](#)

### **Stage 1: Demographic Information**

1. Applicant details – fill out a form
2. Recent Photo – upload file : recent full face, clear photo; can be a selfie
3. Birth Certificate – upload file: scanned copy of applicant birth certificate.
4. Proof of Right to be Caymanian – upload file; showing Caymanian status, acknowledgement letter or copy of Caymanian parent birth certificate
5. Proof of Domicile in the Cayman Islands – upload file: job letter or school letter stating attendance. (Applicants must be domiciled in the Cayman Islands for at least five years prior to application. Domicile can be established even if you are abroad for education purposes)
6. Academic Reference - upload file (form found on [www.education.gov.ky/scholarships](http://www.education.gov.ky/scholarships))
7. Personal Reference – upload file (form found on [www.education.gov.ky/scholarships](http://www.education.gov.ky/scholarships))  
Note: references must be within 12 months of application. References can be sent by referees directly to the Scholarship Secretariat at [scholarships@gov.ky](mailto:scholarships@gov.ky) but it is in your best interest to collect and upload yourself.
8. Cover Letter – upload file; must be addressed to the Scholarship Secretariat and must be signed and dated.
9. Overseas Scholarship Application – upload file (form found on [www.education.gov.ky/scholarships](http://www.education.gov.ky/scholarships))

### **Stage 2: Personal Statement** – fill out a form

It is important to answer the questions accurately and provide all the relevant information as this is used both in the review process to ensure that the degree major match your interest and it is provided to the interview panel for those applicants who are shortlisted for an interview as part of the processing and approval. If you have any learning or emotional issues you must declare it and submit the supporting documentation. It will not limit your ability to receive a scholarship if approved but it will better help the Scholarship Secretariat to assist you with advice and support.



### **Stage 3: Academic Details**

1. Academic History Details – fill in a form with details of
  - a. Secondary and Post-secondary schools attended. If you do not have a GPA select “No GPA” on the last column of the table.
  - b. Examination results achieved should be listed on the required tables. Also include examinations to be completed before the award of the scholarship in Fall 2020.
  - c. SAT scores, if applicable (academic criteria requires minimum score of 1500 (old SAT) or 1100 (new SAT)).
  - d. ACT scores, if applicable (academic criteria requires minimum score of 22).
  - e. International Baccalaureate (IB) results, if applicable.
  - f. Tertiary Institutions attended and degree information.
  - g. Extracurricular activities/community service/awards received.
2. Academic History Details: Additional (PhD) – fill in a form with details to reflect the **last degree completed** and the final GPA. If you are currently completing a Masters with the intention to follow directly on to a PhD or other doctoral level studies, there is no need to complete this form.
3. Secondary transcripts – upload a file; necessary for applicants applying for undergraduate studies. Not required for post-graduate applicants.
4. Post-secondary transcripts – upload a file; necessary for applicants applying for undergraduate studies. Not required for post-graduate applicants.
5. Tertiary transcripts – upload a file; necessary for applicants currently in undergraduate studies.
6. Post-grad transcripts – upload a file; necessary for applicants who have completed undergraduate study and who are seeking to pursue or currently pursuing postgraduate studies. This does not apply to applicants who seeking to pursue undergraduate studies.
7. Copies of degrees and certificates achieved – upload a file; necessary for ALL applicants. Includes evidence of passes achieved as well as any degrees conferred for completed studies.
8. Proof of completion of work experience relevant to course – upload a file; Postgraduate applicants ONLY. Applicants can include a resume as part of their proof of completion of relevant work experience.

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**A transcript is different from your certificates. Certificates are awarded from a body such as an examination body or institution. A transcript shows the progress of the programme that lead to the award of the certificate. You need to upload both sets of information. Always ensure that your name is clearly visible, the dates are clearly visible and the awarding body is clearly visible. You should be familiar with the academic criteria for your scholarship so ensure that the documents you are uploading show that you have met the required academic criteria. Failure to do so will delay the review and processing of your application.**



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#### **Stage 4: Institution and Programme Details**

1. Institution and programme details – fill out a form; applicants have to complete the programme details and the institution details. You are allowed up to three options. Please complete ALL the information for each institution.
2. Additional Programme Details (Postgraduate studies) – check box form; indicates whether studies are online or on campus.
3. Letter of acceptance – upload a file; can upload correspondence to show an application was submitted or evidence of a conditional offer if no firm acceptance is available at time of submitting the application.
4. Degree plan, outlining schedule of courses throughout programme – upload a file; can supply screen shots of the schedule of courses from the institution(s) website if no firm correspondence is available at time of submitting the application. Applicants must ensure that the institution (s) name and logo are clearly visible and that the degree plan and course schedule(s) submitted refers to their area and level of study. The completion date of the programme must match the information entered in the table for the institution.
5. Correspondence from the institution regarding successful transfer of credits – upload a file; optional; can upload correspondence to show the progress of discussions regarding credit transfers if no firm correspondence is available at time of submitting the application.
6. Official documentation from college/university stating specific costs per semester – upload a file; can supply screen shots of cost information from the institution (s) website if no firm correspondence is available at time of submitting the application. Applicants must ensure that the institution (s) name and logo are clearly visible and that the costs information submitted refers to their area and level of study and their status – in-state fees, home fees, international fees, etc.
7. University Cost Sheet – upload a file; applicants MUST upload in excel format. There should be a tab to match each institution recorded. Costs are reflected in USD. If there is a conversion, you are to include the conversion rate used.

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### **Stage 5: Financial Details and Means Testing**

1. Financial Information – fill out online form; complete the details for each parent/guardian.
  - a. Applicants must use the spreadsheet found on the portal to complete the **Income and Expenditure Information** table.
2. Job letter– upload a file; the job letter must be dated within 6 months of application, signed and be on letter head of the organisation with address clearly visible. The letter must be addressed to the Scholarship Secretariat and must contain a dollar value for the salary. The remuneration can be expressed weekly/monthly or annually as appropriate.
3. The Means Purpose & Supporting Information Form - upload a file; (form found on [www.education.gov.ky/scholarships](http://www.education.gov.ky/scholarships)) is to be signed and dated by the parent/guardian providing the job letter. These two documents are to be scanned and uploaded TOGETHER as one file.

You have now completed the application process. Please select **SUBMIT** to submit your application. You will receive an email confirmation of your submission.  
The SUBMIT button will be inactive until you have completed all the sections and uploaded all the mandatory documents and all the relevant details.

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