

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS PLANNING TO ATTEND SUMMER SCHOOL – SUMMER 2009

Currently enrolled Princeton undergraduates who will be attending summer school may qualify for a University loan to help cover the cost of summer school tuition.

Following is a description of the eligibility requirements:

- 1. You must be an enrolled need-based financial aid recipient.**
- 2. You must be enrolled in one of the Princeton-sponsored programs listed below**

OR

You must have a course approval form signed by a departmental representative AND by your Dean or Director of Studies or Dean Kanach (for all courses taken abroad).

- 3. If you are not enrolled in a Princeton-sponsored program, you must have a copy of the tuition bill or a course catalog listing the cost of tuition.**

Loan Information for Princeton Programs

You may borrow up to the cost of the program (as determined by the Office of the Dean of the College), less any other funding you receive. Campus and external summer funding opportunities are listed on the Study Abroad Program's website, <http://www.princeton.edu/oip/sap>, and on the Office of the Vice President for Campus Life's website, <http://www.princeton.edu/campuslife/funding>.

Repayment of the loan begins nine months after you are no longer enrolled as a full-time student. There is a five percent interest charge during repayment.

Once you have been officially accepted into a Princeton program and are aware of all other funding you will receive, you should make an appointment to see an aid counselor to complete the loan paperwork. The loan funds will be released to you.

Loan Information for All Other Summer Programs

The loan is limited to the amount of **tuition**. Room, board, books, personal and transportation expenses will not be considered. If the program provides one figure for total costs, you must contact the college to determine the tuition charge before meeting with an aid counselor.

Once you have the course approval form and tuition information, you should make an appointment to see an aid counselor to complete the loan paperwork. The loan funds will be sent directly to the school you are attending unless you have a receipt confirming tuition has already been paid.

Summer Savings Shortfalls

Students who are unable to save the summer earnings amount listed on their award letter may apply for replacement aid in the fall. The shortfall is typically met with 50% University grant and 50% self-help aid (loan or campus job).

Once you are back on campus in the fall, contact the Financial Aid Office (258-3330) and schedule an appointment to have the shortfall in your summer savings replaced.

If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch with us.

Eligible Princeton-sponsored Programs

Aix-en-Provence Program for French Studies
Global Seminars in Brazil, Ghana, Russia, Turkey and Vietnam
Princeton in Beijing
Princeton in Dar es Salaam
Princeton in Ishikawa
Princeton in Munich
Princeton in St. Petersburg
Princeton in Spain
Macerata Program for Italian Studies
Observing the Marine Environment in Bermuda
Marine Biology in Bermuda