

# **[FAQ] SUNY Korea Scholarship & Financial Aid**

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## **Application**

### **Q1. May I apply for both Scholarship and Financial Aid?**

**A1.** Yes, you may apply for both scholarships and financial aid. Please note that the applications are separate, so you must submit each application individually.

### **Q2. What are the required documents for Financial aid?**

**A2.** Please find the detailed information below.

#### **<Required Documents>**

- Proof of Family Relation (가족관계증명서)
- Resident Registration (주민등록등본)
- Certificate of Income Statement (소득금액증명원/소득사실증명원)
- Certificate of National Health Insurance Fee (건강보험납입증명서)
- Certificate of Local Tax Assessment (지방세 세목별 과세증명서)

#### **<Optional>**

- Certificate of National Basic Livelihood Recipients (기초생활수급자증명서)
- Certificate of Semi-vulnerable Hierarchy (차상위계층확인서)
- Certificate of One-Parent (한부모가정확인서)
- Certificate of Divorce (이혼증명서)
- Proof of bankruptcy, job loss, insolvency, disability, medical certificate, etc

### **Q3. I am on a leave of absence for Spring 2026 and will be returning in Fall 2026. Can I apply for the Scholarship/Financial Aid?**

**A3.** If you were on leave during Spring 2026, you are **ONLY** eligible to apply for Financial Aid. The new scholarship is available only to students who are enrolled in Spring 2026.

If you have already been awarded a scholarship/financial aid before taking a leave, you must submit the [Scholarship Reinstatement Form](#) to reinstate your scholarship/financial aid.

### **Q4-1. I was awarded a renewable admission scholarship/financial aid at the time of admission. Do I need to reapply to renew it?**

**A4-1.** No, you do not need to reapply. The Scholarship Committee automatically reviews renewal eligibility, and the results will be announced after all reviews are completed.

※ *Renewable Admission Scholarship Types: Shared Prosperity Scholarship, Presidential Scholarship, Merit Scholarship, Sibling Scholarship, Admission Financial Aid*

**Q4-2. If I am receiving the admissions scholarship, can I apply for a new scholarship or financial aid?**

**A4-2.** Yes, you may apply for additional scholarships or financial aid even if you are receiving an admissions scholarship. However, please note that the total amount of scholarships and financial aid cannot exceed the full tuition.

### **[SBU Only] SBU Visit**

**Q5. I will visit the SBU Home Campus in the U.S. in the Fall semester. Can I apply for the scholarship / financial aid?**

**A5.** Yes, you may apply for a scholarship or financial aid for the Fall semester. If awarded, the scholarship or financial aid will be applied toward your SBU tuition fee.

**Q6. I am currently visiting the SBU Home Campus in the U.S. and will be returning to SUNY Korea. Can I apply for the scholarship / financial aid?**

**A6.** Yes, you may apply for a scholarship or financial aid at SUNY Korea, even if you studied at the SBU home campus.

**Q7. As the SBU issues bills earlier than SUNY Korea, how should I pay the tuition for the SBU Fall 2026 semester?**

**A7.** The SBU billing period is from July 15 to August 15. However, SUNY Korea scholarship results will be announced in mid-to-late July. Therefore, we recommend choosing one of the following two options:

- 1) Wait until you receive the final scholarship results via email.** Once you get the result, you can subtract the scholarship amount from the tuition balance and proceed with payment, as it may take additional time for the scholarship to be reflected on your billing statement.
- 2) Pay all tuition first and request a refund.**
  - SBU Refund Request Link: <https://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/sfs/contact.php>
  - Please note that it may take time to receive a refund from SBU.

***\*Please note that if any late fee is incurred due to the delay in the scholarship or financial aid announcement, we will contact SBU to request a waiver of the late fee.***

## Fall 2026 Part-time

**Q8. I will be a part-time student next semester (under 12 credits). Can I apply for the scholarship?**

**A8.** If you are in the graduating semester in Fall 2026 and are a part-time student, you can apply for the scholarship/financial aid. However, to get a scholarship/financial aid as a part-time student, you must submit the [underload petition](#) to your department and get approval. Please note that the total amount of scholarships and financial aid cannot exceed the full tuition.

## Reinstatement

**Q9. If I am planning to take a leave for the Fall 2026 semester, should I apply for the scholarship/financial aid now or after I return?**

**A9.** Students who are planning to take a leave for Fall 2026 must apply for the scholarship/financial aid NOW and complete the review process. Once the scholarship/financial aid is awarded, it can be reinstated in the semester in which you plan to return.

- [Scholarship Reinstatement Form for Rematriculating Students](#)

**Q10. If I did not meet the scholarship/financial aid continuation requirements, what should I do?**

**A10.** Students who do not meet the scholarship/financial aid continuation requirements should submit a petition for scholarship reinstatement. The petition must be submitted by July 5, 2026. The detailed information is available at the following link.

- [Reinstatement Petition for Admission Scholarship/Financial Aid](#)

## Result Announcement

**Q11. When can I know the results of the Scholarship/Financial aid application?**

**A11.** You will be notified via email around mid-to-late July. If awarded, the scholarship or financial aid amount will be automatically applied to your Fall 2026 tuition bill.