

# International Application Packet

2020–2019



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## APPLICANT'S NAME AS SHOWN ON YOUR PASSPORT

FIRST MIDDLE FAMILY NAME PREFERRED NAME

Gender:  M  F Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
MM/DD/YYYY

Applying to Grade: 9 / 10 / 11 / 12 Starting: \_\_\_\_\_  Day  Boarding Applying to: Full Year / Short-term  
(MONTH/YEAR) (less than one year)

To study less than a full year, specify proposed attendance dates: \_\_\_\_\_

Visa/Immigration Status:  I-20 Required  I have my own VISA: \_\_\_\_\_  
(PLEASE DESCRIBE)

Permanent Resident (Green Card holder)

Student Address – Required only if different than Parent / Guardian Address: (see next page)

STREET ADDRESS 1 APARTMENT #

CITY STATE POSTAL CODE COUNTRY

PHONE FAX

APPLICANT'S EMAIL

COUNTRY OF BIRTH CITIZEN OF

NATIVE LANGUAGE HOW LONG HAS THE APPLICANT STUDIED THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE?

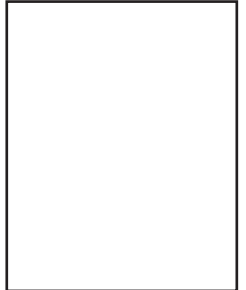


Photo (Optional)

## EDUCATION

Name and address of school(s) attended during the last three years

CURRENT SCHOOL PHONE

STREET ADDRESS

CITY STATE POSTAL CODE COUNTRY

YEARS ATTENDED GRADE LEVELS

What languages are used by teachers in the classroom? \_\_\_\_\_

Is English the primary language of instruction?  Yes  No

PREVIOUS SCHOOL PHONE

STREET ADDRESS CITY STATE COUNTRY

YEARS ATTENDED GRADE LEVELS

Have you known or are you related to anyone at Seattle VocTech? Please give the name(s) and relationship(s):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## FAMILY CONTACT INFORMATION

Applications which do not provide complete address information will be considered incomplete.

Parent/Guardian 1:

TITLE:  Mr.  Mrs.  Ms.  Dr.

Parent/Guardian 2:

TITLE:  Mr.  Mrs.  Ms.  Dr.

FIRST		FAMILY NAME	
PREFERRED NAME			
RELATION TO APPLICANT			
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE	ZIP	COUNTRY
HOME PHONE			
CELL PHONE			
EMAIL			
OCCUPATION / TITLE			
COMPANY			

FIRST		FAMILY NAME	
PREFERRED NAME			
RELATION TO APPLICANT			
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE	ZIP	COUNTRY
HOME PHONE			
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COMPANY			

Siblings: (list all brothers and sisters below)

NAME	GENDER	AGE/GRADE LEVEL	PRESENT SCHOOL
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Guardians in Seattle Area: \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST		LAST (FAMILY NAME)		
STREET ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE		EMAIL	

Is this an educational agency application? If yes, please write the name of the agency and assisting agent in the spaces below. (Required: Applications submitted via agency that do not provide agency contact information will be considered incomplete.)  YES  NO

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Agent: \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME		FAMILY NAME		
STREET ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE		EMAIL	

**PARENTAL STATEMENT**

1. Please tell us about your family’s interest in Seattle VocTech. Please describe your goals for your child’s education through High School.

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2. Please tell us about your child’s interests or activities both in and out of school. A parental perspective helps us to know each student more completely.

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3. Please describe any special circumstances or prolonged absences from school which may have affected the student’s work. Include specific testing and/or academic support the student has received. You may also generally describe your student’s greatest challenges.

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SIGNATURES

My signature below indicates that all the information submitted to Seattle VocTech is factually correct, complete and honestly presented

_____ PRINT NAME OF APPLICANT	_____ DATE
_____ PRINT NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN	_____ DATE
_____ SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	_____ DATE
_____ SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN	_____ DATE

\$100 Non-refundable Application Fee Required

Please return to:



International Admissions  
 ATTN: Admissions Coordinator  
 15015 Main St. Suite 208  
 Bellevue, WA 98004

Phone: (425) 698 -1966  
 Email: [contact@seattlevt.com](mailto:contact@seattlevt.com)  
 Website: [www.seattlevt.com](http://www.seattlevt.com)

Seattle VocTech does not discriminate on the basis race, color, creed, religion, sexual orientation, of gender, gender identity, disability, use of service animals, national or ethnic origin, or any other trait or characteristic protected by law in admission of otherwise qualified students; in providing access to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at Seattle VocTech; or in its administration of educational policies, admissions policies, financial aid, athletics, and other school-administered programs.

## STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

The student should complete the following portion of this application. Please answer the following questions in your own words and in your own handwriting. Please do not receive any assistance or editing. Please do not type your answer.

1. What would be your perfect U.S. high school experience? Please describe.

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2. What are the most attractive features of Seattle VocTech?

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3. Please describe an experience you have had with a person (or people) that were very different from you.

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## CONFIDENTIAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
FIRST MIDDLE LAST (FAMILY NAME) PREFERRED NAME

Applying for: \_\_\_\_\_  
YEAR

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

How do you intend to finance your child's education at Seattle VocTech?

- Student and Family Funds
- Funds from outside sources

## PERSONAL\* OR FAMILY SPONSOR INFORMATION

Name of Applicant's Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_  
FAMILY NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE NAME

Seattle VocTech requires F-1 visa students to show a minimum support of U.S. \$50,000 for boarding students, and \$38,000 for day students per year. By signing this affidavit of support, I will be financially responsible for the applicant indicated above for tuition, fees, living expenses, and other relevant expenses in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per year. (Choose one of the amounts above).

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

### IMPORTANT:

Sponsors who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents also must complete an affidavit of support.

### The form is available by request from the International Admissions Coordinator

Applicants with several sponsors must have each sponsor complete the International Student Financial Statement and affidavit of support if applicable.

\*PERSONAL FUNDS: If you are funding your education using your own resources, please have your bank provide verification of your personal account.

(Both Part 1 and Part 2 needs to be completed, signed, scanned and emailed to [contact@seattlevt.com](mailto:contact@seattlevt.com) before the Student can be placed in a Homestay.)

## PART 1 (To be completed by the student)

I, \_\_\_\_\_

(Full Name)

agree to the following terms and conditions whilst enrolled as a full time International Fee Paying student at Seattle VocTech (SVT) in Bellevue, Washington U.S.A.

### Code of Behavior

All students under the age of 18 and their families must be aware, that, by-choosing to study at SVT, both Student and Family agree that the student will comply with behavior guidelines. These are in place for the welfare of the students during their time in the United States. Students who do not obey these guidelines will be counseled in the first instance. If the problem persists, the student's Homestay and/or enrollment at SVT may be cancelled. Homestay families are required to notify SVT when any of these guidelines have been breached by a student in their care.

1. While enrolled as a Student at SVT in United States, I acknowledge that it is compulsory for me to attend school. If I am absent for any reason, my homestay caretaker is obliged to contact the school to explain why I am absent. If am sick or unable to attend school I will bring to the school an explanatory note provided by my host family and/or doctor on my first day back at school.
2. I must complete all homework and in-class tasks to the best of my ability and follow the school homework policy. I understand that failure to do this will result in the Admissions Coordinator contacting my homestay caretaker and/or my parents and agent.
3. I must behave appropriately, follow school rules and expectations at all times and not be late for school.
4. I must achieve a total of 400 hours (100 per year) of community service to not only meet Washington State graduation requirements, but to fulfill SVT standards.
5. I understand I may **NOT** take a paid job even when I have permission from my parents.
6. I may not change homestay without the permission of Seattle VocTech and my parents.
7. At the beginning of my stay, I understand that my homestay hosts will negotiate specific rules regarding daily life, including but not limited to the following:
  - 7.1 Having friends over, going to friends' houses
  - 7.2 Returning home after school
  - 7.3 Weekend activities and curfew
  - 7.4 Personal care such as hygiene, laundry and food
  - 7.5 Personal safety
  - 7.6 Household chores, such as keeping your room tidy, doing the dishes
  - 7.7 Use of telephone and internet.



8. I agree to purchase a mobile phone on arrival in Washington and pass my telephone number to my school and my homestay family. I agree to have this mobile phone on my possession at all times.
9. I agree to be interactive in the family and to do my best to fit into their lifestyle. This means eating with the family when appropriate and not spending too much time away from the family or in my room.
10. I understand I am not allowed to stay in another residence overnight without prior permission from my homestay host. The homestay family must be given the full address and telephone number of where I will be staying and my host family must have spoken to the person delegated as a legally responsible caretaker for that period of time. I understand I must provide this information to my host family in ample time.
11. I understand that my homestay family will have curfew times for after school and on the weekend. If unforeseen circumstances occur and I am going to be late home, I will contact my homestay hosts and let them know the reason for the delay and ask for assistance if necessary.
12. I am fully aware that I must not enter licensed premises unless in the company of a responsible adult and only for the purpose of having a meal.
13. I understand that no smoking or drinking alcohol is allowed at either the school or the homestay. All Washington Local & Federal Laws must be adhered to.
14. I understand I must not put myself at risk by:
  - (a) Undertaking driving lessons without prior permission from my parents and host family. I understand that if permission to learn to drive is granted I will seek a recognized instructor that is approved by my host family.
  - (b) Being a passenger in a car that has not been approved by both the school and my host family.
  - (c) Being alone on the streets while dark
15. I understand that to make the most of my time in Washington I should at all times be honest, respectful and communicative to my host family and my school. I will endeavor at all times to discuss any problems that arise with my host family in a respectful manner and where necessary I will discuss unresolved or sensitive issues with my school coordinator.

**I have read and understood this contract and know that I must respect and abide by these rules. I understand that if I choose not to abide by the agreed upon rules, my Homestay Host will contact the Admissions Coordinator of the School and discuss the concerns and I will be required to outline the reasons why I did not comply. I understand that by breaching this contract I put my Visa status, school enrolment and accommodation in United States at risk.**

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

### PART 2 (To be completed by the student's natural parent/s or Legal Guardian/s)

I/We \_\_\_\_\_

**(Full Name of Natural Parent/s or Legal Guardian/s)**

agree to follow the following terms and conditions whilst our child is enrolled as a full time International Fee Paying student at Seattle VocTech in Bellevue, Washington United States

I/We agree:

1. To make regular contact with my/our child and raise any concerns I may have with my/our child's welfare with the Host Family and school.
2. To speak regularly or keep in email contact with the host family  
(This needs to be through a translator or designated welfare officer if language barriers prevent adequate communication)
3. To be sensitive to International time differences and prearrange appropriate times for making contact with the chosen host family and/or with my/our child
4. To be supportive of host family rules
5. To never negotiate fees once established. Homestay rent is payable as detailed in the Payment Schedule attached herein.
6. To provide enough financial support for my/our child so as the child is able undertake extra-curricular activities and live comfortably within Washington State e.g. money for clothes, school materials, extra food, transportation, toiletries and entertainment.
7. Disclosure of any physical or mental conditions my/our child may have
8. To provide the host family with a reliable means of contact in the form of mobile phone, landline and email address.
9. If communication issues are apparent I/we will appoint a third party contact or guardian who will be in the position to make decisions on our/my behalf and provide contact details for this person to both the child and the host family.
10. To make alternative arrangements (outside of the homestay home) when accommodation is needed for members of the biological family visiting Washington State.
11. To make sure homestay and placement fees are always paid at least 1 week in advance.
12. To cover any extra expenses incurred on a host family due to excess use of facilities such as internet, phone and/or incidental damages and to make alternative or supplementary arrangements and to pay any excess fees associated with our child remaining in United States.

- 13. To recognize that my/our child needs to return to their home country during the Christmas and summer break and will report to SEVIS if circumstances prevent.

**I have read and understood this contract and know that I must respect and abide by these rules. I understand that by breaching this contract I put my child's Visa status, school enrollment and accommodation in United States at risk.**

**Parent 1**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent 2**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

HOMESTAY AGREEMENT

Between \_\_\_\_\_  
"Host"

AND

\_\_\_\_\_  
"Student"

In consideration of the Host providing a homestay room and board (up to three meals per day) the parties agree as follows:

- 1.) To abide by all rules of the "Homestay Contract" attached here in.
- 2.) Student agrees to pay \$\_\_\_\_\_ per month for the ten (10) months of the school year from September to June.

Host agrees:

- 1.) To provide a room and three (3) meals a day.
- 2.) To provide structure and a friendly family environment for student.

**Phase one**

You will:

- a) Fill out and submit the Application and Bank Verification forms.  
(email to [contact@SeattleVT.com](mailto:contact@SeattleVT.com), Subject: International Admissions (student's name))
- b) Have official transcripts sent from all schools you have attended in the last two years.
- c) Pay the \$100 (non-refundable) application fee (Paypal or Wechat)
- d) Schedule and participate in a video interview with one of our staff.

We will:

- a) Acknowledge receipt of your completed Application and assign an account number.
- b) Acknowledge receipt of your completed Bank Verification, Transcripts, and Fee.
- c) Schedule the video interview.
- d) Evaluate your application and make a decision within 14 days of receipt of the completed materials.
- e) Inform you of our decision about admissions.

**Phase two (if you are admitted),**

We will:

- a) Send you your I-20 documents, and a visa application checklist and advice for applying for your visa, within 14 days.

You will:

- a) Assemble all required documents and apply for the visa at the nearest US Embassy.
- b) Inform us of the success or failure of your application.
- c) Pay tuition (First year tuition is due in full, prior to your student's first day of school)

**Questions?**

If you need assistance with any part of the application process, please contact the Admissions Coordinator at [contact@Seattlevt.com](mailto:contact@Seattlevt.com)