

List of supporting documents for financial aid application

Singapore Citizens

- A clear copy of front and back of applicant's National Registration Identity Card (NRIC- Pink).
- Parents' income tax documents showing gross* income earned 2 years ago** (for students applying for financial aid for Academic Year 2020-21, tax documents should show income earned in 2018. For Singapore taxpayers, this document is the Notice of Assessment 2019 (which shows income earned in 2018)). Please refer to Appendix A below for more details.
- If parents received dividend income and this income is not reflected in the tax document, please submit a statement from the Central Depository and/or share/mutual fund administrator as of 31 December 2018.
- If parents received interest income (from bank savings, bond holdings etc) exceeding S\$5,000 and this income is not reflected in the tax document as of 31 December 2018, please submit supporting bank statements and bond holding statements. If total interest income did not exceed S\$5,000, no supporting documents have to be submitted.
- Income tax documents from all working family members living in applicant's household showing income earned 2 years ago (For Singapore taxpayers, this document is the Notice of Assessment 2019 (which shows income earned in 2018)). Please refer to Appendix A below for more details.
- Any other relevant documents deemed necessary to provide a better understanding of your family financial situation.
- Please submit translations of all documents not provided in English. Self-translations are acceptable. Applicants should upload both the original document in its native language and the translated copy.

Singapore Permanent Residents

- A clear copy of front and back of applicant's National Registration Identity Card (NRIC- Blue).
- Parents' income tax documents showing gross* income earned 2 years ago** (for students applying for financial aid for Academic Year 2020-21, tax documents should show income earned in 2018. For Singapore taxpayers, this document is the Notice of Assessment 2019 (which shows income earned in 2018)). Please refer to Appendix A below for more details.
- If parents received dividend income and this income is not reflected in the tax document, please submit a statement from the Central Depository and/or share/mutual fund administrator as of 31 December 2018.
- If parents received interest income (from bank savings, bond holdings etc) exceeding S\$5,000 and this income is not reflected in the tax document as of 31 December 2018, please submit supporting bank statements and bond holding statements. If

total interest income did not exceed S\$5,000, no supporting documents have to be submitted.

- Any other relevant documents deemed necessary to provide a better understanding of your family financial situation.
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International Applicants

- A clear copy of the particulars page of the applicant's passport.
- Parents' income tax documents showing gross* income earned 2 years ago** (for students applying for financial aid for Academic Year 2020-21, tax documents should show income earned in 2018). Please refer to Appendix A below for more details.
- If parents received dividend income and this income is not reflected in the tax document, please submit an alternative supporting document which shows the dividend received in the income period requested for.
- If parents received interest income (from bank savings, bond holdings etc) exceeding S\$5,000 and this income is not reflected in the tax document as of end of tax year (for example, 31 December 2018, 31 March 2019 or 30 June 2019), please submit supporting bank statements and bond holding statements. If total interest income did not exceed S\$5,000, no supporting documents have to be submitted.
- Any other relevant documents deemed necessary to provide a better understanding of your family financial situation.
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*Gross income refers to income prior to any deductions for tax or other purposes. Gross income includes:

- income from self-employment;
- income from salaried employment (include basic salary, bonuses, allowances, overtime pay and tips);
- income from trade;
- income from business;
- income from pension;
- rental income;
- dividend income;
- interest income;
- alimony received by custodial parent (if parents are divorced);
- child support received by custodial parent (if parents are divorced);
- any other income.

** Yale-NUS requests income documents pertaining to income earned in 2018 (not 2019) so as to capture complete year-end earnings from all tax jurisdictions regardless of tax cycle.

Appendix A

Tax Document examples:

- Singapore: IRAS Notice of Assessment (NOA) 2019 (the NOA 2019 is issued for income earned in 2018). If an NOA is not available, then the Form IR8A or Form IR8E provided by the employer (or multiple employers if there was a job change) for year ending 31 December 2018 must be provided.
- United States: 1040, all relevant W-2s and corresponding schedules for income earned in 2018.
- Australia, New Zealand, India, Pakistan (and all other countries where the tax year crosses two calendar years, for example, April 2018 – March 2019): Please provide tax documents for income earned in 2018 – 2019. The Notice of Assessment, or its equivalent, will have been issued in 2019.
- All countries where the tax year coincides with the calendar year i.e. January – December: please provide tax documents for income earned in 2018. The Notice of Assessment, or its equivalent, will have been issued in 2019.

If tax documents cannot be provided, alternative documentation, such as statutory declarations on gross income earned in the period requested for, must be submitted.

If the statutory declaration is made in Singapore, the declaration should be signed in the presence of a Commissioner for Oaths or Notary Public as witness.

If the statutory declaration is made in a Commonwealth country, the declaration should be signed in the presence of a Notary Public, Justice of the Peace or other authorised person under the law of that country as witness.

If the statutory declaration is made in a country that is not part of the Commonwealth, it will have to be made before a consul, vice consul or other authorised person under the law of that country as witness.