

## **Verification of Financial Support**

The immigration regulations in the United States require international students to submit proof of ability to pay for educational and living expenses while they are pursuing an education. The Philadelphia English Language Institute requires students to demonstrate ability to pay for either one or two trimesters.

COST OF STUDY		
	1 trimester	2 trimesters
Tuition	\$4,200	\$8,400
Estimated living expenses	\$3,300 + \$995 per dependent	\$6,600 + \$1,990 per dependent
	\$7,500*	\$15,000*

Students must demonstrate ability to pay <u>no less than \$7,500</u> if applying for 1 trimester of study. Students must demonstrate ability to pay <u>no less than \$15,000</u> if applying for 2 trimesters of study.

Source of Financial Support	Documents Required	
Student Funds (Personal)	<ol> <li>Recent bank statement (less than 90 days old) OR Signed letter from the sponsor's bank on official bank letterhead stating the account balance</li> <li>Complete and sign form "Student Payment Agreement"</li> </ol>	
Family / Friend / Other Funds (Sponsor)	<ol> <li>Recent bank statement (less than 90 days old) OR Signed letter from the sponsor's bank on official bank letterhead stating the account balance</li> <li>Complete and sign form "Sponsor's Affidavit of Support"</li> </ol>	