

Financial Aid Policies and Information

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Policy:

The Hun School of Princeton assumes families will provide the maximum financial support for the costs of their child's educational expenses as their economic situation allows.

For families who cannot afford any, or a portion, of their child's educational costs, financial assistance from The Hun School is available. Hun Financial Aid is awarded solely based upon "need" as determined by the Financial Aid Office and based upon a formal application filed with <u>School & Student Services by NAIS</u> (<u>SSS</u>). The Hun School does not provide Merit-based aid for academic, athletic, artistic or other talents.

Financial Aid from The Hun School is reviewed and awarded on an annual basis. Families are required to reapply annually prior to January 31. Grants are not guaranteed from year to year, as families are required to demonstrate need annually. However, assuming there has not been a significant change in a family's needs assessment as determined by the Financial Aid Office, families can reasonably assume that Hun's financial support will continue at a similar level annually.

The Hun School assumes that families who do not receive financial aid upon their child's initial enrollment will continue to fully financially support their child through that student's graduation from Hun.

Should there be an unanticipated significant change in financial circumstances that may have an impact on the future enrollment status of the student, families should contact the Financial Aid Office as soon as possible to discuss options.

Confidentiality:

Grants of financial aid and the associated documentation are deemed to be held in confidence between the Hun School Financial Aid Office and the family. Hun will not disclose details of applications or grants, and asks families to maintain that same confidentiality.

Application Form: <u>SSS</u>

Deadline: Applications are due by January 31, 2022

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Divorced or Separated Parents

The Hun School Financial Aid Office assumes that an applicant's natural parents or legal guardians have the primary responsibility for supporting their children throughout their Hun careers. Applicants whose parents are divorced, separated, or never married are required to provide financial data for both parents. In the event that parents discontinue or deny support of the student, Hun will not assume the parental responsibility for support of the student.

The Hun School will not be bound by any divorce or separation agreement which delineates tuition responsibility between parents.

Tax Forms

Upon filing your initial financial aid application, you will be asked to upload your 2020 IRS 1040, complete with all schedules and forms. Additionally, on the financial aid application, you will be asked to estimate your 2021 information. The Hun School Financial Aid Office will process this information and make preliminary financial aid awards in February. Financial Aid awards are not finalized until your 2021 tax forms have also been uploaded. 2021 Tax forms need to be uploaded to SSS prior to April 15, 2022.

Tuition Verification

If Hun families have other children at tuition charging institutions (independent or parochial schools, colleges, universities, graduate schools etc.), families are required to apply for financial assistance from those institutions as well in order to be eligible for aid from Hun. Please document additional applications and grants on the attached Tuition Verification Form and return to the Financial Aid Office.

International Applicants

Non US Citizens who are applying for Financial Aid should use the <u>SSS</u> application service. In addition, families should fill out the Supplemental International Student Financial Aid Form provided by Hun or by SSS. This form can be scanned and emailed directly to <u>financialaid@hunschool.org</u>.

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