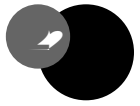


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Student applies and is accepted to an SEVP-certified grade nine through 12 public high school. Please note, F-1 students are not permitted to attend public school in grades kindergarten through eight.

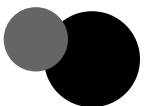
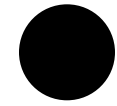


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A student's Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS) record is created and the student is then issued a Form I-20 by the designated school official (DSO) at the SEVP-certified school they have chosen to attend.

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Student must pay the I-901 SEVIS Fee at FMJFee.com and the full, unsubsidized per capita cost of attending public school. Payment of these fees must occur before the prospective student applies for an F-1 visa.



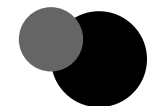
Student arrives no more than 30 days before their program start date and presents their Form I-20 and valid student visa to U.S. Customs and Border Protection at the port of entry. If admitted, the student receives an electronic Form I-94, "Arrival/Departure Record," and should verify that the "Admit Until" date lists "D/S" for Duration of Status.



Student may study at a public high school for a maximum period of 12 months. Student must meet the minimum number of hours per week the school determines is necessary for normal progress toward graduation or completion of the grade level.



Student may transfer to a private SEVP-certified high school or a post-secondary SEVP-certified school. Student may also transfer to another public high school within their 12-month time limit but cannot



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Minor F-2 and M-2 students (dependent children of F-1 or M-1 students) may attend school at the appropriate grade level without any additional permission or documentation from SEVP. State education laws may require that F-2 and M-2 students attend the appropriate grade level until a certain age. The elementary or secondary school an F-2 or M-2 student attends does not need to be SEVP certified.