

ALVIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SERVICES

**INTERNATIONAL APPLICANT CHECKLIST
CHANGE OF STATUS B1/B2 TO F1**

<u>Admission Deadline</u>	<u>Semester of entry</u>
June 1	Fall
October 1	Spring

Submit the following documents by the appropriate deadline:

- _____ Submit Alvin Community College application at applytexas.org
- _____ Pay \$100.00 [application fee](#)
- _____ Submit Official [TOEFL](#) scores of 525 or above (paper-based test), 79 or above (internet-based test), or BAND score of 6.5 or above on the [IELTS](#) (All scores must be within last two years). Testing is not required if native language is English and official language of home country is English.
- _____ Submit notarized [Sponsor Declaration](#) or Affidavit of Support ([Form I-134](#) for sponsors within the USA) accompanied by **six months of consecutive** official or notarized bank statements showing an ongoing consistent daily balance of no less than \$20,000 USD as PDF. If you are bringing dependents, add another \$3,500 USD per person.
- _____ Submit official transcripts from college/university, or other institutions that you attended accompanied by an evaluation from an [approved U.S. agency](#).
- _____ Submit copy of passport photo page, Visa, and [I-94](#) as separate PDF.

The I-20 form and acceptance letter will be prepared once all the above has been submitted.

You may proceed with the Change of Status application ([I-539](#)) once you have received your I-20.

Minimum of 2 Months BEFORE You arrive in The United States:

- _____ Take the [TSI Assessment](#) through ACC testing department
- _____ Satisfy Bacterial Meningitis [vaccination](#) requirement (students under the age of 22)
- _____ Proof of Medical Insurance (recommended)
- _____ Complete New Student [Orientation](#).

Send all documents to:
International@alvincollege.edu or
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