

Annual Disclosures

Federal Law requires that Dartmouth provide each student with information about Financial Aid, Campus Safety, Peer to Peer File Sharing, the financial aid consequences of illegal drug possession and a variety of other topics. Please find the information below.

1. Information about undergraduate Student Financial Assistance Programs can be found at:

- a. Dartmouth College Financial Aid Handbook.
http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/docs/financial_aid_handbook.pdf.
- b. Dartmouth College Consumer Information for Financial Aid Recipients,
http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/docs/10-11_consumer_brochure.pdf.

Copies of these documents can be obtained from the Dartmouth College Financial Aid Office. Contact information for Financial Aid can be found below.

2. Information about the methods used to distribute financial assistance to undergraduate students can be found on the Dartmouth College Financial Aid website at:

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/>.

Additional information can be found in two documents prepared by that office:

- a. Dartmouth College Financial Aid Handbook.
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- b. The Dartmouth College Consumer Information for Financial Aid Recipients,
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3. Information about the means, including forms, by which application for student financial assistance is made and the requirements for accurately preparing the information can be found on the Dartmouth College Financial Aid website at: <http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/>

Additional information can be found in two documents prepared by that office:

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4. The rights and responsibilities of students receiving financial assistance. Under Dartmouth College policy, parents and students have the following responsibilities:

- a. to complete in a timely, thorough, and accurate manner all application forms and to submit them to the appropriate agencies;
- b. to provide the Financial Aid Office with all requested documentation;
- c. to read, understand, and retain copies of all forms that are distributed;
- d. to read, understand, and retain copies of all loan repayment agreements;

- e. to apply or reapply for any scholarship or grant from sources outside the College and to report directly to the Financial Aid Office all awards received.

Parents and students have the right to expect that all records will be maintained in a confidential manner and that financial aid staff will provide information about how aid is determined and distributed upon request. Information students submit to the Financial Aid Office may be shared with other agencies and institutions providing funds for financial aid, with authorization from students and/or parents. See:

http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/docs/10-11_consumer_brochure.pdf.

5. The cost of attending, including:

- a. Tuition and fees;
- b. Books and supplies;
- c. Typical student room and board expenses or commuting costs;
- d. Any additional costs of programs the student has enrolled in or expressed interest in.

Information about the cost of attendance can be found at:

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/fao/coa/>.

6. A statement of:

- a. The requirements of the refund policy;
- b. The requirements for the return of grant or loan assistance;
- c. The requirements of officially withdrawing from the institution.

The College policy for students withdrawing from the College, voluntarily or by dismissal, is available in the Dartmouth College Financial Aid Handbook

http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/docs/financial_aid_handbook.pdf and at

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~control/policies/tuitionrefundpolicy.html>.

7. The academic program of the institution, including:

- a. The current degree programs:
<http://www.nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/?q=dartmouth+college&s=all&id=182670#programs>;
- b. The instructional, laboratory and other physical plant facilities which relate to the academic program;
- c. The faculty and other instructional personnel;
A list of the faculty can be found here: <http://dfd.dartmouth.edu/>.
- d. Any plans for improving the academic program.

There are no specific plans to “improve” the academic program at Dartmouth College.

8. The people designated to provide information about financial assistance programs:

Questions about financial assistance programs available to students can be directed to:

Dartmouth College Office of Financial Aid.

9. Special facilities and services available to students with disabilities.

Information about accessibility services for students can be found at:

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~accessibility/>.

10. Dartmouth College is accredited by the New England Association of Colleges and Universities.
A copy of the accreditation report may be obtained from the Provost's Office.

11. The standards which the student must maintain in order to be considered to be making satisfactory progress towards his/her degree can be found at:

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~deancoll/student-handbook/standards.html#acadr> and at:
<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~reg/regulations/undergrad/degree-req.html>.

12. The completion or graduation rate of certificate- or degree-seeking, full-time, undergraduate students entering such institutions:

<http://www.nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/?q=dartmouth+college&s=all&id=182670#retgrad>.

13. The terms and conditions of the guaranteed and direct student loans available to Dartmouth students can be found here:

<http://www.direct.ed.gov/mpn.html>.

14. Information about when enrollment in a Dartmouth Off Campus-Program or an exchange or transfer program is considered enrollment Dartmouth for financial aid purposes can be found in the Dartmouth College Financial Aid Handbook:

http://www.dartmouth.edu/~finaid/docs/financial_aid_handbook.pdf.

15. The annual Dartmouth College Campus Crime report can be found at:

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~security/information/clery-act/>.

16. Dartmouth's policies and sanctions related to copyright infringement, including:

- a. an annual disclosure that explicitly informs students that unauthorized distribution of copyrighted material, including unauthorized peer-to-peer file sharing, may subject the students to civil and criminal liabilities;
- b. a summary of the penalties for violation of Federal copyright laws; and
- c. a description of the institution's policies with respect to unauthorized peer-to-peer file sharing, including disciplinary actions that are taken against students who engage in unauthorized distribution of copyrighted materials using the institution's information

technology system can be found at:

http://www.dartmouth.edu/~legal/pdfs/peer_to_peer_file_sharing_for_heoa_web_site.pdf.

17. Information about student body diversity at Dartmouth College, including information on the percentage of enrolled, full-time students who are male, female and/or self-identified as a member of a major racial or ethnic group can be found at:
http://www.dartmouth.edu/~legal/pdfs/he_a_disclosures_08_5_2010.pdf.

In addition, 12% of the students at Dartmouth receive a Pell Grant:

<http://www.nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/?q=dartmouth+college&s=all&id=182670#finaid>.

18. Information about the placement in employment of, and types of employment obtained by, graduates Dartmouth College can be found here: <http://www.dartmouth.edu/~csrc/life.html>.

19. Information about the types of graduate and professional education in which graduates of Dartmouth's four-year degree programs enrolled can be found here:
<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~csrc/life.html>.

20. Information about fire safety at Dartmouth College can be found in the Annual Campus Security and Fire Safety report, which is available at:

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~security/information/clery-act/>.

A printed copy of the report can be obtained by contacting Dartmouth's Department of Safety and Security, 5 Rope Ferry Road, Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire, 03755, (603) 646-4000. You can reach Safety and Security by email at: Safety.and.Security@Dartmouth.edu.

21. The retention rate of certificate- or degree-seeking, first-time, full-time, undergraduate students entering Dartmouth College can be found at:

<http://www.nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/?q=dartmouth+college&s=all&id=182670#retgrad>.

22. Dartmouth College's vaccination policies can be found at:

http://www.dartmouth.edu/~health/docs/2010_ug_on-line_immunization_list.pdf.

A written copy of the document can be obtained from Dartmouth College Health Services, 5-7 Rope Ferry Road, HB 6143, Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire, 03755. 603-646-9400. Email: Dicks.House.Health.Service@Dartmouth.edu.

23. General information about the transfer of credits can be found here:

http://www.dartmouth.edu/~legal/pdfs/transfer_of_credits_policy.pdf.

In addition, certain Departments have adopted rules regarding the use of transfer credits towards the requirements for obtaining a major. Students can check the transfer requirements of individual departments here: <http://www.dartmouth.edu/~reg/courses/desc/>.

Students seeking to transfer credits must complete this form in advance:

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~reg/studyaway/transapp.pdf>.

A list of the institutions which have an established exchange program with Dartmouth can be found here: <http://www.dartmouth.edu/~reg/regulations/undergrad/off-campus.html>.

24. Notice concerning penalties for drug violations: New Hampshire and federal laws prohibit the possession and distribution of controlled substances. Criminal sanctions for violations of these laws range from fine to imprisonment. The severity of the penalty depends upon factors such as the nature and amount of the controlled substance and may be compounded for repeat offenses.
- FEDERAL LAW NOW MAKES STUDENTS CONVICTED OF POSSESSION OR DISTRIBUTION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES INELIGIBLE FOR ANY FEDERALLY SPONSORED LOAN, GRANT OR WORK ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.** The period of ineligibility varies according to the type of offense and the number of prior offenses, as do the requirements for reinstatement. Students with concerns regarding the scope and effect of this law should consult their financial aid officer. More information about local, state and federal laws concerning illicit drugs may be obtained at the Office of the General Counsel. Information about the period of ineligibility can be found here: <http://ecfr.gpoaccess.gov/cgi/t/text/text-idx?c=ecfr&sid=67586cbe0ac6d10bcf4b904a9fe9d0bf&rgn=div8&view=text&node=34:3.1.3.1.3.4.3.39.10&idno=34>.

Additional information, including written copies of Dartmouth policies referenced in this announcement can be obtained from the offices reached through the hyperlinks in the document. In addition, the Office of the General Counsel at Dartmouth College can provide assistance if you have general questions about Dartmouth's efforts to comply with applicable law. Please contact us if you have any questions.

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