**MPOWER** FINANCING

# Document checklist if you're admitted or recently enrolled

## 1. Always required documents

☐ **Government-issued photo ID**

**Documents you might need:**
- Passport | National ID | EAD | PR card

**Document tips and requirements:**
- Share a valid photo ID that's not expired.
- ID with your full name, date of birth and citizenship country

**Note:** If you're not an international student and your photo ID doesn't show your citizenship status, please provide any valid government-issued photo ID plus a document confirming your status. Examples:
- DACA: USCIS Form I-766 or I-821D
- U.S. citizen: Birth certificate or Certificate of Naturalization
- Asylee/refugee: USCIS Form I-589 (submitted) or I-590 (approved)

☐ **Proof of home country address**

**Documents you might need:**
- **Dated within the last 90 days:** Utility bill | bank statement | loan/insurance statement | payslips |notarized letter from a local government
- **Valid:** Admission letter/Documents from school | Standardized/English proficiency test scores | Lease or rental agreement | Government-issued ID showing your home country address (passport, national ID).

**Document tips & requirements:**
- **If the document isn't in your name, we'll need:**
  - A Relationship Declaration Form (**attached**)
  - A valid photo ID of the person whose name is on the document

**Note:** If you are a U.S. citizen, DACA recipient, permanent resident or refugee, please provide proof of a U.S. address.

☐ **Proof of study program**

**Documents you might need:**
- Admission letter from your school | official letter from your university | Form I-20 (for F-1 visa students)

**Document tips and requirements:**
- Shows your full name
- Includes the name of your school and campus (if applicable).
- Shows your program and degree
- Includes program start date or term
- **STEM program note:** If you've marked your program as a STEM degree, please double-check that it qualifies as one. If we can't verify this, we may ask for additional proof.

## 2. Required documents if you have additional sources of funding

💡 **Pro tip** Share all your funding sources to support your studies, like personal savings and scholarships. Having more sources may increase the likelihood of loan approval. If you don't have additional sources, that's fine. We'll review your application as it.

☐ **Scholarships or grants**

**Documents you might need:**
- Admission letter | scholarship award letter | grant letter

**Document tips and requirements:**
- Includes your name, school and program details.
- Shows the scholarship/grant amount for the current and upcoming terms.
- Indicates if its renewable and any conditions that apply.

☐ **Personal savings**

**Documents you might need:**
- Savings | certificate of deposit (CD) | fixed deposits (FD)
- *Note:*
  - Only bank statements are accepted.
  - Investment statements are not accepted.
  - Business accounts are not considered.

**Document tips and requirements:**
- Shows the account holder's full name
- Shows the closing balance (in INR, NGN, USD, etc.)
- Ensure the document is dated within the last 90 days.

## 3. Do you have a job offer after graduation?

☐ **Job offer letter**

**Documents you might need:**
- Job offer letter | letter from employer

**Document tips and requirements:**
- Includes your name, job start date and job title.
- Specify whether the job is full time or part time.
- Mention the employment type (internship, permanent or contractual).
- Include your gross annual salary and the currency (INR, NGN, USD, etc.).
- Make sure the document is on company letterhead and shows the company name and location.
- Ensure the date of the job offer is included.

## 4. Do you have existing debt other than an MPOWER loan?

☐ **Debt documentation**

**Documents you might need:**
- Loan disclosure | most recent bill

**Document tips and requirements:**
- Includes the loan type (e.g., car, mortgage).
- Specifies the outstanding balance, terms and interest rate
- Includes your name and the lender's name.
- Dated within the last 90 days.

## 5. Documents required before disbursement

💡 **Pro tip** If you already have a valid immigration document, you can submit it for verification however, you don't need one to start an application. Your immigration status is verified before funds are sent to your school, so if you're approved, you can use MPOWER funding for your visa.
If you're not an international student: Refer to the "Government-Issued Photo ID" section for further guidance.

☐ **Immigration document**

**Documents you might need:**
- Visa | study permit | EAD | PR card | I-589 | I-797

**Document tips and requirements:**
- Include a valid immigration document to confirm your status in the country where you'll be studying.
- Make sure the document clearly shows your name and date of birth.

## 6. Additional documents we might need

☐ **Depending on your profile, we might need a few more documents. Don't worry — we'll reach out and let you know exactly what's needed as soon as we review your application.**