

Instructions for Adding an F-2 Dependent

To Add a Spouse

- Copy of Spouse's passport
- Copy of marriage certificate/license (in English)
 - o If the document is not in English, please submit a certified translation copy to accompany your document
- A bank statement(s) to show proof of funds
 - o Bank statement should equal or exceed \$28,500.00 USD

To Add a Child

- Copy of Child's passport
- Copy of birth certificate (in English)
 - o If the document is not in English, please submit a certified translation copy to accompany your document
- A bank statement(s) to show proof of funds
 - o Bank statement should equal or exceed \$4,800.00 USD (per child)

Once documents are submitted

- We will review all documents submitted & keep copies in your LLU student file
- Your I-20 will be issued and ready for pick up within 24 hours
- You will need to sign your F-2's I-20 and you will also receive a new I-20 to show you have added a dependent
- You can take the F-2 I-20 and mail it to your dependent yourself or ask ISSS to mail it for you via FEDEX
 - o The FEDEX mailing fee will be charged to your LLU student account
- Once your dependent receives the I-20 they will need to apply for an F-2 entry visa at a U.S. Embassy out of the U.S.
 - o Canadians are exempt from this step
 - o If your F-2 needs to apply for an entry visa, we recommend you send them copies of your I-20, passport, F-1 visa, and I-94
 - o You should also send them copies of the bank statement you submitted to ISSS and marriage certificate