



NON-DEGREE FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION

Student's Name	UNM ID No.	Phone Number / E-Mail

Non-degree seeking students are not eligible to receive federal financial aid, however, you may appeal your financial aid status via an allowable exception in the financial aid regulations [668.32(a)(1)(ii)].

Section A: Student Certification- Please read and initial beside each statement below to indicate you have read and understood the terms and requirements	
Initial	Eligibility Requirements
	I am currently seeking entry into _____ graduate degree program.
	I certify that I have not previously received Federal Direct Loan funds for preparatory coursework to be admitted to a degree program. This includes the University of New Mexico and any other school I have attended.
	I will only be considered for Federal Direct Loans based on undergraduate loan limits. This completed form DOES NOT guarantee eligibility for financial aid. Each situation must be reviewed individually for eligibility.
	I understand the period of funding may not exceed 12 consecutive months and if I do not take classes or receive aid for any term during that 12 month period, I will not be able to receive it later.
	I must submit this Non-degree Financial Aid Application each semester I am seeking aid as a non-degree student, not to exceed a 12 month period.
	I must be enrolled at least half-time, and I must be enrolled in the courses listed below that are deemed prerequisites for admission into my program. I must otherwise meet and maintain eligibility requirements to receive financial aid.

Section B: Academic Department Certification - To be completed by Department Chair (or authorized representative)	
Please indicate the reason the student is attending UNM as non-degree. <i>Note not all the reasons below are eligible for aid:</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Missed application deadline	<input type="checkbox"/> Missing transcripts
<input type="checkbox"/> Waiting on acceptance to program	<input type="checkbox"/> Missing recommendation letters
<input type="checkbox"/> GPA is too low to apply to program	<input type="checkbox"/> Needs specialized undergraduate coursework
<input type="checkbox"/> Needs to take GRE	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
<i>Note: To be eligible, the student must be taking classes that are a prerequisite for admission. If the student is only taking classes to raise his/her GPA in order to be admitted, the student would not qualify for federal financial aid.</i>	
Prerequisite Courses	
Semester prerequisite classes will be taken:	
Program student is seeking admittance to:	

I certify that the courses listed above for which the student is enrolled are prerequisites for his/her admission to the graduate program indicated above, and are not required to raise his/her GPA in order to be admitted.

Department Chair's Signature (or Authorized Representative)	Printed Name
Telephone No. Email Address	Date Signed

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