

## 3. RECEIVING YOUR FORM I-20 AND F-1 VISA

Once your Form I-20 is issued, follow these steps to prepare for your F-1 student visa and arrival in the U.S.

STEP 1

### CONFIRM YOUR INFORMATION

When you receive your I-20, carefully review all personal information.

- Ensure your name, date of birth, and address match your passport exactly.
- Notify the International Admissions Office immediately if any corrections are needed.

STEP 2

### PAY THE SEVIS I-901 FEE

Before applying for your F-1 visa, you must pay the SEVIS I-901 fee.

- Once your I-20 is issued, we will provide the official payment link and instructions.
- Missouri Valley College's school code is KAN214F00360000.
- Print and keep the payment receipt, as it is required for your visa interview.

STEP 3

### SCHEDULE YOUR VISA APPOINTMENT

After paying the SEVIS fee:

1. Schedule your F-1 visa appointment at the nearest U.S. Embassy or Consulate.
2. Bring the following documents to your appointment:
  - Form I-20
  - Passport
  - SEVIS fee receipt
  - Financial documents
  - Any additional documents required by the consulate

Please notify us once your appointment is scheduled and share the date and time.

STEP 4

### PROVIDE A COPY OF YOUR F1 VISA

Once your F-1 visa is approved, email a scanned copy of your F1 visa to [dea0306@moval.edu](mailto:dea0306@moval.edu) or [international@moval.edu](mailto:international@moval.edu).

STEP 5

### PLAN YOUR TRAVEL

- You may enter the U.S. up to 30 days before the start date listed on your I-20.
- Share your arrival details with us as soon as they are confirmed.
- For airport transportation from Kansas City (MCI) to Missouri Valley College, visit [moval.ticketleap.com](http://moval.ticketleap.com) to reserve your shuttle.

**You've completed all the steps! Next Stop: Missouri Valley College**