

Program Extension Policy

Program extension for students in lawful status. An F-1 student who is unable to meet the requirements of the program may be granted an extension by the DSO if the DSO certifies that the student is unable to meet the requirements and the reasons are acceptable.

~~Delays caused by~~ . Delays caused by

~~are not acceptable reasons for program extensions.~~ are not acceptable reasons for program extensions.

A DSO may not grant an extension if the student did not apply for an extension until after the program end date noted on the Form I-20."

Reasons:

1. Delay caused by
2. Delay caused by lost credits upon transfer to our school
3. No unusual delay. The original length of time given to complete studies was not reasonable for an average student in this program
4. ~~Delays caused by~~ Delays caused by ~~unusual delay~~ unusual delay (e.g., illness(es)). Documentation must be ~~provided~~ provided if already on file
5. Course not offered every semester, thus student could not have taken it at another time
6. ~~Other/ must be academic or medical in nature~~ Other/ must be academic or medical in nature

Steps to be taken by student to request program extension:

1. ~~Apply for extension~~ Apply for extension
2. ~~Obtain documentation~~ Obtain documentation