WINTHROP UNIVERSITY
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID

2011 SUMMER FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION

Student's Name ___________________________________ Student ID Number ____________________

E-mail Address _________________________________ Student's Phone Number __________________

To be considered for summer financial aid, please complete and return this form to the Office of Financial Aid. Note that completing this form does not guarantee eligibility for summer financial aid. Please check your Wingspan account for award information and messages concerning your summer eligibility.

FINANCIAL AID
From the list provided below, please check the aid programs for which you are requesting consideration. Pell-eligible students will automatically be evaluated for Federal Pell Grant funds.

☐ Federal Direct Student Loan – Your eligibility will be determined based on your grade level after the spring 2011 term.

☐ Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loan – A summer Parent Loan application must be completed by the parent and returned with this application or faxed by parent. The application is available at http://www.winthrop.edu/finaid/default.aspx?id=3548.

☐ Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan – A summer Graduate PLUS Loan application must be completed and returned with this application. The application is available at http://www.winthrop.edu/finaid/default.aspx?id=3548.

☐ Private Loan - You must submit a separate loan application to the lender. Please state the date you completed the private loan application ____________.

ENROLLMENT
You must finalize your summer registration BEFORE submitting the summer financial aid application. Changes in your enrollment may affect your eligibility for summer financial aid.

Please list the session and names of your registered courses below (you may also attach a copy of your schedule):

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SCHEDULE VALIDATION
Your schedule will only be validated ONCE during the summer session. If you later decide to drop a summer course within the appropriate add/drop guidelines it is YOUR responsibility to drop the class.

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT
I certify that the information submitted above is true and correct. I have read and understand the information presented on the attached Eligibility Information document. I understand that completing this form does not guarantee eligibility for summer financial aid. I understand that any changes to my summer enrollment may result in the reduction or elimination of financial aid eligibility. I realize that I am responsible for paying the summer tuition and fees even if I do not receive financial aid.

Student’s Signature __________________________ Date ________________
To be considered for summer financial aid, you must:

- Have a 2010-2011 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on file at Winthrop University
- Be a Winthrop University student enrolled in an approved degree program
- Meet the Satisfactory Academic Progress policy requirements at the end of the spring 2011 term

Types of Aid

- Due to limited funding, the types of financial aid typically available for summer are the Federal Pell Grant (undergraduate students), Federal Direct Student Loans, Federal PLUS Loans, and Private Loans.

Federal Direct Student and/or PLUS Loans

- To receive Federal Direct loans, you must enroll at least halftime (six hours) during the summer term.
- Because summer 2011 is a trailer for the 2010-2011 academic year, generally you will only qualify for Federal Direct Student Loan funds if you have not used your maximum yearly award during fall 2010 or spring 2011.

Disbursement of Funds

- Financial aid funds will not be disbursed to your account until the beginning of the session in which you become enrolled at least halftime. For example: If you enroll in three hours A session and three hours C session, your aid will disburse at the beginning of C session.

Registration

- You must finalize your summer registration before submitting the summer financial aid application. Should you change your summer registration after submitting the application, you must notify our office immediately. Changes in summer enrollment may result in a delay in disbursement or cancellation of your award.

Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)

- Your academic progress will be evaluated at the end of the spring 2011 term. If you do not meet SAP requirements, you will not be eligible for summer financial aid unless you submit a SAP appeal by the deadline date and your appeal is approved. Any summer financial aid awarded prior to the SAP review will be cancelled if you are not meeting SAP requirements after the spring term. Satisfactory Academic Progress Standards may be accessed online at http://www.winthrop.edu/finaid/default.aspx?id=3548.

Payment

- You are responsible for paying the tuition, fees, and housing/meal plan (if applicable) charged to your account for the summer term(s) even if you do not receive financial aid.
- You are responsible for paying any charges on your student account that result as a change of enrollment status.

Withdrawing

- Should you fully withdraw from the University, you are responsible for contacting the Office of Records and Registration to complete the appropriate steps for official withdrawal.
- You are responsible for paying any charges on your student account or repaying financial aid that may result due to your withdrawal.