

FAQs

Financial Aid FAQs

Q: Who is eligible to apply for International House Room and Board Financial Aid?

A: Students must have been continuously registered for two academic semesters at UC Berkeley immediately prior to the awards period. Financial aid is not awarded to foreign exchange students.

Q: Is preference given to current I-House residents?

A: No, all students are welcome to apply.

Q: When do we hear of the award results?

A: Award results are usually announced 7-8 weeks after the application deadline, giving the students approximately two weeks to accept the offer.

Q: Where can I receive an application?

A: Applications are available online at ihouse.berkeley.edu

Q: Where do I submit my application?

A: Online applications should be emailed to edfinaid@berkeley.edu, for international students, or to usfinaid@berkeley.edu, for US citizens and permanent residents

Q: Do I need to file a FAFSA report?

A: Only US citizens and permanent residents are required to file a FAFSA, and attach the report to their application.

Gateway Fellowship FAQs

Q: How do I apply for a Gateway Fellowship?

A: Students do not apply for Gateway Fellowships. After being accepted as a student by UC Berkeley, academic units nominate students to the Graduate Division for consideration.

Q: How many recipients are selected for each Gateway Fellowship award?

A: Only one student is awarded a Gateway Fellowship for one time only.