

Appeal Letter for Financial Aid Reduction

Subject: Appeal for Financial Aid Reconsideration - [Your Name], Student ID: [ID Number]

Dear Financial Aid Office,

I am writing to appeal the reduction in my financial aid package for the upcoming academic year.

The revised package will make it extremely difficult, if not impossible, for me to continue my education at [University Name], and I am hoping you will reconsider this decision based on my current circumstances.

According to my award letter, my financial aid was reduced from [previous amount] to [new amount].

This reduction is based on [reason if known: family income, FAFSA information, etc.]. However, this does not accurately reflect my family's current financial situation.

Since the FAFSA was completed, our family has experienced [describe significant changes: job loss, medical emergency, death in family, divorce, natural disaster, unexpected expenses, etc.].

[Provide specific details about the impact]. These circumstances have created substantial financial hardship that is not reflected in the data used to determine my aid package.

My family's current situation includes:

- [Specific financial change with approximate amounts]
- [Additional financial burdens]
- [Any exhausted savings or resources]

Education means everything to me. I have maintained a [GPA] and am [on track to graduate, pursuing a degree in, involved in, etc.]. Without adequate financial aid, I will be unable to continue my studies, which would be devastating not only to me but to my family, who has sacrificed so much to support my educational goals.

I have attached documentation supporting the changed circumstances, including [list: termination letters, medical bills, tax returns, pay stubs, etc.].

I respectfully request that you review my financial aid package and consider increasing my assistance based on these special circumstances. I am also willing to discuss any additional forms

of aid that might be available, including work-study opportunities or emergency grants.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my situation. I am happy to provide any additional information needed.

Sincerely,

[Your Name]

[Student ID]

[Contact Information]

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