



2017-2018

BUDGET INCREASE - COMPUTER

STUDENT NAME: _____ ID#: _____ PHONE: _____

(Please note: We are unable to process these requests from Aug. 7 to Sept. 5, 2017 and Dec. 18, 2017 to Jan. 24, 2018)

Deadlines for submitting this form:

Nov. 15, 2017 for fall 2017 semester

April 1, 2018 for spring 2018 semester

Deadline for summer – whichever date is earlier: 3 weeks before the end of your last session, or July 15, 2018

Eligibility requirements:

- A budget increase for the purchase of a computer is allowed once during your academic career at Boise State.
- You must pay for the computer purchase yourself. (It cannot be reimbursed by another agency or person). The computer must be used for school activities/projects. If your major demands an above average computer, you can discuss your specific needs with a financial aid counselor and additional documentation will be required.
- The computer purchase should occur during the school year in which you are enrolled. Exceptions can be made on a case-by-case basis, such as if you purchase a computer during the summer but are not enrolled during the summer, then you may request a computer budget increase for the fall semester.
- A computer budget increase will not be approved if you are attending less than half-time (fewer than six undergraduate credits or five graduate credits).
- A computer budget increase will not be approved during your last semester of enrollment.

Instructions:

1. Attach an itemized receipt for the computer you purchased during your term of enrollment. (Budget increase will not exceed \$1,500.)
2. Total Computer Expense: \$_____ Date purchased: _____
3. Your request is for which semester? Fall 2017 Spring 2018 Summer 2018
4. If approved, what type of additional aid are you seeking? Please indicate your intent:
 Direct Loan increase PLUS Loan* Alternative Loan Work-study increase
 Scholarship reinstatement for previously reduced/cancelled award (scholarship name: _____)

Direct Loan limits for the academic year (not all students qualify for these maximums):

Dependent students: freshman \$5,500; sophomore \$6,500; junior/senior \$7,500

Independent students: freshman \$9,500; sophomore \$10,500; junior/senior \$12,500.

Graduate students \$20,500

I certify the information provided above is true and the above expenses are not being reimbursed by any other agency/person. I understand that this budget increase may be the last year my budget will be adjusted in this manner.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

*For Parent PLUS loan only – If requesting a PLUS loan increase, parent who applied for the PLUS loan must sign this form:

Parent Signature _____ Printed Name _____ Date _____