

# SEVIS PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS (for F, M, or J visa applicants)

## Option 1: Pay online using credit or debit card

## Option 2: Pay cash at Western Union

**IMPORTANT:** TO AVOID DUPLICATED PAYMENT, YOU SHOULD FIRST CHECK ONLINE WHETHER YOU/ YOUR AGENCY HAS ALREADY PAID THIS FEE.

To check the status of an existing I-901 Fee remittance form and fee payment, please visit : <https://www.fmjfee.com>. (Select menu item: **Check I-901 Status / Print Payment Confirmation** on the left side of the screen on the main page)

## Option 1: Credit or debit card

When paying online, Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) accepts payment by:

- Visa, MasterCard or American Express credit cards
- Debit cards (also known as check cards) that have the Visa or MasterCard logo

## How do I pay by credit or debit card?

You can pay your SEVIS fee by [credit or debit card](#) only when you complete the Form I-901 online at [www.fmjfee.com](http://www.fmjfee.com). When you have filled in the online form, you will be asked if you want to pay by credit or debit card or by check or money order. Choose the credit card option, enter your card information and submit the payment.

## Option 2: Western Union Quick Pay

Potential F or M students or J exchange visitors in more than 130 countries can pay the I-901 SEVIS fee using the Western Union Quick Pay™ service. This initiative allows Western Union to collect the I-901 SEVIS fee in local currency. Western Union transmits both the payment and the Form I-901, "Fee Remittance for Certain F, J and M Nonimmigrants," data to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE).

## How to pay by Western Union Quick Pay?

**Effective April 2014**, applicants choosing to pay their I-901 Fee by Western Union will be required to **fill out the Form I-901 on the website ([www.fmjfee.com](http://www.fmjfee.com)) prior to visiting Western Union**. You must have the coupon number in order to complete the payment at Western Union. Please follow the detailed payment instructions below:

**Step 1:** Fill out the Form I-901 online. The coupon will be generated.

**Step 2:** Print the coupon and take it to your local Western Union.

**Step 3:** Fill out the Quick Collect/Quick Pay Form according to the information found at the bottom of the printed coupon.

## Example below:

Company Name (or Code City):	SEVISFEE
Account Number:	010222013872390
Amount:	\$200.00

\*\*Please note that the payment amount may differ according to your specific visa type.

**Step 4:** Present the Quick Collect/Quick Pay Form and your payment to the Western Union Agent for processing.

Payment will be linked to your Form I-901 and your online Payment Confirmation will be available immediately at [www.fmjfee.com](http://www.fmjfee.com).

If you are paying on behalf of an F or M student or J exchange visitor, Western Union may require you to use your own name and address. If this happens, please make sure that you are entering the F or M student or J exchange visitor's SEVIS ID. After submitting the payment, please send an e-mail or have the student send an e-mail to [fmjfee.sevis@ice.dhs.gov](mailto:fmjfee.sevis@ice.dhs.gov) with INFO CHANGE in the subject line. Include the SEVIS ID for which the payment was made and any information requiring an update

**Remember: It takes two or three business days to process your I-901 SEVIS fee payment.**