

Request for Financial Aid for 5th Year of Study

2025-2026



NAME: _____ OBU ID: _____

Full-Time undergraduate students are expected to complete degree requirements at Ouachita Baptist University within 4 years (8 semesters) of study.

Approval to receive financial assistance beyond the fourth year of study is granted on a case-by-case basis. In order to be considered for financial assistance for additional semesters of study, please outline on the space provided below the credit hours/courses you lack in obtaining a degree, your expected graduation date, and the reason(s) for not being able to complete your degree requirements in four years. **You must also attach a copy of your Graduation Check from your graduation meeting with our Registrar's Office.**

Credit Hours / Courses Needed to Graduate: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Have you met with our Registrar's Office for your graduation appointment? YES NO
(You must schedule meeting with registrar's office before submitting this form)

Is your Graduation Check attached to this form: (You must attach) YES NO

Reasons for not completing your degree requirement in 4 years: _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO
OBU STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES
BOX 3774
Cone Bottoms Hall, Suite 130

TYPES OF AID THAT MAY BE AVAILABLE FOR 5th YEAR OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDY:

- Federal Pell Grant
- Federal Work Study
- Federal Supplemental Grant
- Federal Direct Loans
- OBU Scholarships – under exceptional circumstances (Choosing additional majors/minors and repeating courses are not considered exceptions)

TYPES OF AID THAT MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR 5th YEAR OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDY:

- Arkansas Academic Challenge
- Governor's Distinguished Scholarship
- OBU Need Based Grants
- Athletic Awards
- School of Fine Arts Awards

FINANCIAL AID OFFICE USE ONLY

_____ Approved through the _____ semester of _____.
_____ Denied. Reason for Denial: