Change of Status

- If you are already in the US with a valid nonimmigrant visa status, you may be able to apply for a change of status to F1.
- You must be maintaining a valid nonimmigrant status in order to apply for a change of status. Applications for a change of status are made to USCIS (United States Citizenship and Immigration Services) by filing form I-529 (Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status). The application must be accompanied by a Form I-20. (Visit www.uscis.gov for more information).
- Students are responsible for paying the SEVIS I-901 Fee (You can request our school's assistance on how to pay the fee or go to www.ice.gov/SEVIS for more information).