

F-1 Change of Major Procedures

When a student changes degree levels, majors, or adds a secondary major but remains at the same institution, the Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services must be notified. When you change your program of study (major) at Northeast Community College, the International Student Advisor needs to be informed so that SEVIS can be updated and a new Form I-20 can be issued.

A new financial verification statement must be submitted for the new program prior to issuance of a new I-20 reflecting the change of major.

If the change will impact your ability to complete the new program(s) by the end date listed on the I-20, the Designated School Official must approve a program extension. Please see the information related to program extensions.

Students changing from English Language training to a degree-seeking program of study must also follow the same procedure.