

F-1 Visa Travel Signature Form

F-1 students who will travel outside of the United States for a temporary absence must obtain a travel signature before leaving the United States. We recommend F-1 students have the following documents when re-entering the United States:

- I-20 signed by NWTC Designated School Official on page 2 within the last year (for continuing students) or within six months for students on OPT
- Valid passport (valid for at least six months)
- Valid F-1 visa
- Evidence of financial support
- Copy of enrollment summary
- Name and contact information for NWTC Designated School Official who signed your I-20
- EAD and letter from the current employer (for students on OPT)

Student's Name: _____

What date will you leave the United States? _____

What date will you re-enter the United States? _____

Passport expiration date? _____

Visa expiration date? _____

Will you be renewing your visa while abroad? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If your visa is expired or you changed visa status while in the U.S., you must obtain a new visa prior to re-entry. It is recommended that you apply for a visa in your country of residence. Contact the U.S. Consulate where you will apply for a visa for information on visa appointments, document requirements and application processing times.

To ensure that your travel signature is completed before your departure, please submit this form and your most recent I-20 to the International Programs office (SC118) at least 1 week before your departure.

If you have questions about international travel, please contact NWTC International Programs:

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