

# Colby



## STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES

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Dear Student,

In advance of the fall 2008 Student Account Statement which should be mailed by the second week in July, we would like to provide you with some financial information which we believe may be helpful in your planning process. Please share this information with anyone else who may be involved in paying for your fees at Colby.

- **Student Health Insurance Registration Form** – All students enrolled in a Colby-billed program must have health insurance coverage and all are **required to complete this online form**. The form either affirms coverage in the plan, or allows a student to waive the coverage and associated fee. The annual premium of \$645 will be billed to students in July. Students choosing to waive the fee must complete the form no later than **August 1, 2008**. For more information and to complete the form, please go to [www.colby.edu/sfs](http://www.colby.edu/sfs). For questions regarding coverage, please call the Cross Agency at 800-537-6444.
- **Student Financial Services 2008-09 Brochure (enclosed)** – This contains information regarding fees, payment deadlines, financial policies, etc...
- **Dewar Tuition Refund Brochure and Enrollment Envelope (enclosed)** – In addition to any applicable Colby refund, the College offers this optional tuition refund insurance to help reduce the loss caused by a **medical** withdrawal. Information about this plan is provided in the brochure and the envelope serves as an enrollment form. For information, please call Dewar at 617-774-1555 or go to [www.collegerefund.com](http://www.collegerefund.com) to enroll online.
- **SallieMae TuitionPay Plan Buckslip (enclosed)** – In addition to the standard payment by semester, monthly payment options are available through this plan. Please read more about this under “Payment Options” in the **Student Financial Services 2008-09 Brochure**. You can also call 800-635-0120 to speak with a TuitionPay consultant or go to <http://tuitionpay.salliemae.com> to enroll.
- **2008-2009 Federal PLUS Loan Certification Request Form** – This form can be found at [www.colby.edu/sfs](http://www.colby.edu/sfs) under “PLUS Loan Info.” Parents who are interested in borrowing a Federal Parent Loan can print the form, complete it, and return it to us for processing.
- **Federal Student Loans** – Students who complete a FAFSA will be notified by our office of their Perkins and/or Stafford Loan eligibility. At that time, if you choose to borrow, please go to [www.colby.edu/sfs](http://www.colby.edu/sfs) and complete the “Federal Loan Request Form.” These loans will not appear on the Student Account Statement until the form is completed. **Please see enclosed sheet regarding new Stafford Loan limits.**
- **Student Account Statement Recipients** – The Student Account Statement will be mailed in your name to your home address unless you have previously given us permission to do otherwise. If you have not done so earlier, but would like the statement to be mailed to your parent(s), please email your request along with their name(s) and address(es) to [sfs@colby.edu](mailto:sfs@colby.edu).

We hope this information will be beneficial to you as you prepare for the upcoming year. Please feel free to call or email us if you have any questions.

Respectfully,  
The Student Financial Services Team