



Australian Education Connection



AEC Semester & Year Abroad Program Fees (Included are details of housing fees and medical insurance.)

LIST IS IN PRICE ORDER (FROM LOW TO HIGH)

Please read the notes at the end of this document. Information about the approximate cost for travel, books and meal plans (where meals are not included in the prices) are also included at the end of this document.

AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITIES	A\$	US\$
University of South Australia		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 7800	US\$ 5916
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 15600	US\$ 13185
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$2500-3800	US\$ 2111-3212
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$10490-11790	US\$8179-9280
University of Tasmania		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 6350	US\$ 5364
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$12700	US\$ 10727
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3200-4000	US\$ 2702-3380
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$9740-10540	US\$8218-8896
University of Newcastle		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 7000	US\$ 5916
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 14000	US\$ 11831
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$2800-4000	US\$ 2367-3380
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$9990-11190	US\$8435-9448
Charles Darwin University		

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 7000	US\$ 5915
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 14000	US\$ 11833
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3000-4000	US\$ 2535-3380
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 161
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$10190-11190	US\$8611-9456

Edith Cowan University

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8000	US\$ 6754
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 16000	US\$ 13507
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$2500-3700	US\$ 2110-3124
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 180	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$10680-11880	US\$9016-10030

University of Western Sydney

Semester Abroad Tuition (Note #4 below)	A\$ 7548	US\$ 6380
Year Abroad Tuition (Note #4 below)	A\$15096	US\$ 12759
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3168-4800	US\$ 2678-4057
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$10906-12538	US\$9210-10589

La Trobe University

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 7750	US\$ 6545
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 15500	US\$ 13090
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3000-5900	US\$ 2534-4983
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$10940-13840	US\$9231-11680

University of Wollongong

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 7950	US\$ 6720
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 15900	US\$ 13441
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$2800-4000	US\$ 2367-3382
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$10940-12140	US\$9239-10254

Griffith University

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8280	US\$ 6992
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 16560	US\$ 13983
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$2500-5500	US\$ 2111-4644
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$10970-13970	US\$9255-11788

University of Canberra

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8000	US\$ 6754
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 16000	US\$ 13507

Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3000-4000	US\$ 2534-3380
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$11190-12190	US\$9440-10286
James Cook University		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8000	US\$ 6754
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 16000	US\$ 13507
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3200-4000	US\$ 2702-3380
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$11390-12190	US\$9608-10286
RMIT University		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8300	US\$ 7011
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 16600	US\$ 14022
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3000-4500	US\$ 2534-3799
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$11490-12990	US\$9697-10962
University of the Sunshine Coast		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8200	US\$ 6927
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 16400	US\$ 13855
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3200-4000	US\$ 2702-3380
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$11590-12390	US\$9781-10459
Deakin University		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8500	US\$ 7177
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 17000	US\$ 14351
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$2900-4500	US\$ 2448-3799
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 161
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$11590-13190	US\$9786-11137
University of Auckland NZ (here in price order) (Refer New Zealand section below)		
Curtin University		
Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 9600	US\$ 8109
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 19200	US\$ 16218
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$2400-3500	US\$ 2027-2955
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 161
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$12190-13290	US\$10297-11225
Australian National University		

Semester Abroad Tuition (Note #2 below)	A\$ 9250	US\$ 7824
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$18500	US\$ 15649
Housing Budget, allow per Semester (Note #1 below)	A\$ 3000-5200	US\$ 2537-4398
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 161
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$12440-14640	US\$10522-12383

University of Technology Sydney

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 8600	US\$ 7264
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 17200	US\$ 14527
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$3800-5000	US\$ 3212-4223
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$12590-13790	US\$10628-11639

The University of Western Australia

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 9500	US\$ 8026
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 19000	US\$ 16052
Housing Budget, allow per Semester (Note #1 below)	A\$3000-7500	US\$ 2534-6339
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$12690-17190	US\$10712-14517

Macquarie University

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 9116	US\$ 7698
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 18232	US\$ 15397
Housing Budget, allow per Semester (Note #1 below)	A\$3400-7500	US\$ 2871-6334
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$12706-16806	US\$10721-14184

The University of Sydney

Semester Abroad Tuition	A\$ 10560	US\$ 8923
Year Abroad Tuition	A\$ 21120	US\$ 17846
Housing Budget, allow per Semester	A\$4000-6000	US\$ 3380-5070
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 152
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)	A\$14750-16750	US\$12455-14145

Bond University

Semester Abroad Tuition(Note #3 below)	A\$10300	US\$ 8707
Year Abroad Tuition (2 semesters)(Note #3 below)	A\$20600	US\$ 17415
Year Abroad Tuition (3 semesters)(Note #3 below)	A\$30900	US\$ 26118
Housing Budget, allow per Semester (Note #1 below)	A\$ 4500	US\$ 3804
Medical Insurance per Semester	A\$ 190	US\$ 161
Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical	A\$14990	US\$12672

NEW ZEALAND UNIVERSITIES

NZ\$

US\$

The University of Auckland, New Zealand

Semester Abroad Tuition

Year Abroad Tuition

Housing Budget, allow per Semester

Medical Insurance per Semester

Total Semester Tuition, Housing & Medical (within range*)

NZ\$ 11090

NZ\$ 23080

NZ\$3500-5500

NZ \$246

NZ\$ 14838-16836

US\$ 7588

US\$ 15791

US\$ 2395-3763

US\$ 169

US\$10152-11520

Note #1 Depending on the option chosen, some or most meals may be included in the higher price reflected in the housing budget, where there is a range listed. If you choose an option which does not include a meal option, be prepared to pay A\$800-1500 towards one semester catered meals.

Note #2 At the ANU you are able to apply for a semester abroad or a semester with an internship. Refer the ANU profile page. The cost for semester or the internship is the same.

Note #3 Bond University runs a year long program. Therefore, semesters begin in January, May and September.

Note #4 The tuition cost at the University of Western Sydney may be adjusted if students undertake more than the customary full time semester subject load.

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

Tuition and Housing Fees data has been compiled in August 2009. Information for some universities has not been listed here because the data is still being compiled. The AEC will continue to add information about other universities on this page.

Exchange rates fluctuations: Fees can increase or decrease based on exchange rate fluctuations. Usually these are minor. However, to ensure that you have the correct US\$ fee, use the A\$ amount listed as the tuition fee for the relevant Australian university (or NZ\$ for the New Zealand university) and convert this amount to US\$ on <http://www.xe.com/> to ensure that you have the fees using the latest exchange rates. To ensure that you have the latest tuition fee for the university, you may check <http://www.mystudyaustralia.com/locateaust.htm> and link to the university website.

Price range for housing: Information about housing is listed as accurately as possible and reflects the housing that is available on and off campus. The final price for housing is dependent on the choice of housing and the allocation of housing.

Payment of fees: Students participating in the AEC semester/year abroad program or their Host School Financial Aid Offices can opt to pay the overseas university directly their tuition and housing fees. It is not a requirement to pay fees through the AEC Program. The AEC can however, provide students/Financial Aid Offices an option to pay through the AEC however, any bank charges or funds transfer fees will be charged to the student's account. The AEC offers the semester/year abroad program on the basis of direct enrollment (refer http://www.mystudyaustralia.com/direct_enrollment.html) whilst ensuring that students using the AEC program receive a full compliment of services (refer <http://www.mystudyaustralia.com/serviceAEC.htm>) free of charge.

Services you receive from the AEC free of charge are listed at <http://www.mystudyaustralia.com/serviceAEC.htm> . Information on why you should use AEC Direct Enrolment Service is listed at http://www.mystudyaustralia.com/direct_enrollment.html.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS YOU SHOULD BUDGET FOR:

Student Visa Fees:

FOR AUSTRALIA: All students with US and Canadian passports from North America undertaking study abroad will pay a visa fee of US\$425.

FOR NEW ZEALAND: Students holding US passports currently do not pay a student visa fee if applying for the visa whilst in the USA. Students holding Canadian passports will pay C\$170 locally within Canada to the NZ Embassy/High Commission.

Books: Allow for A\$ or NZ\$350 for books per semester.

Meals: AEC has listed a housing budget against each university's information above. Where the budget could include a meal plan, do not assume this price would cover all meals. To ensure that you have the right housing package and that meals are included or not included you should look at each university profile page at <http://www.mystudyaustralia.com/locateaust.htm> on this website. The profile page will provide a direct link to the university's housing information and it will then be possible for you to decide which housing suits your need. Generally, for self catering allow US\$600-1300 for semester meals.

Airfares: Usually allow US\$1100 for round trip airfares between Los Angeles/San Francisco and Sydney or to Auckland NZ. Additionally, you must allow additional funds to get from your home city to Los Angeles or San Francisco and also from Sydney or Auckland (depending on which country you are studying in) to your university city e.g. Brisbane, Perth, etc. The AEC will provide you advice and support with your travel plans.

Specialist Subject Charges: Some science, engineering, lab, music and specialist classes can incur additional surcharges.

Additional Spending Money: Suggest students allow \$1500 for a semester. Many students also consider part time work possibilities. Students are permitted to work no more than 20 hrs whilst school is in session.

Housing Application Fees and Refundable Deposits: Whether you live on campus or off campus you will have housing application fees ranging from \$25-100. Additionally, housing providers request refundable housing deposits of US\$200-600. These are refundable deposits as long as students leave their rooms/housing premises in a clean and tidy manner and meet the obligations of the housing contracts. The AEC will provide you with advice on all the housing options available through the university and beyond.

Telephone/Internet Connection/Linen Packs etc: Many housing providers do include internet and phone connections but you need to pay the charges for usage. Some provide free usage of the internet. Some housing providers give out linen packs for a fee. It is important you check the university's web site. The AEC will provide you information on your housing, once you apply for your program.

The AEC undertakes considerable research to provide you with information on all the options available to you - from housing to airfares and beyond. We realize that you may be a student that does not fall within the 'one size fits all' package.