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UNSW SYDNEY
Australia's Global University

Study Abroad and Exchange Guide

2020
“Most university programs in Australia go through to July and that would not allow me to do a summer internship back home in America. But since they just switched to the 3+ term system here at UNSW, it works out perfectly for me.”

ALLYSON EHLERS (USA)

“I love the vibe here. It’s near the beaches and I love surfing, so that’s awesome. Transportation is so good and I can get everywhere quickly and easily. It’s really simple to meet people - there are lots of different events going on, so it’s easy to fit in.”

YILIN YANG (TAIWAN)

“Sydney is so beautiful. I find it a very multicultural city which is great, especially with all the different food options! The people are really friendly and always smiling. Sydney is a wonderful city and UNSW is a great university. There are so many resources here for students.”

JUAN CAMILO ZAPATA-TRUJILLO (COLOMBIA)
Welcome to UNSW Sydney

Boasting spectacular harbour views and a sun-drenched coastline, Sydney is a vibrant global city with a culturally diverse population, burgeoning economy and world-famous beaches and landmarks. It is also home to one of Australia’s leading universities, UNSW Sydney.

UNSW Sydney is an internationally acclaimed teaching and research powerhouse, offering study abroad and exchange students a learning experience packed with academic programs, student activities and educational services. The University combines academics recognised as world-leaders in their fields, with modern facilities, rigorous education standards and a diverse community.

Sydney is where people come to expand their education, work and lifestyle opportunities, achieve their goals and reach their ultimate potential. It’s Australia’s largest city and offers endless experiences from festivals, food culture and international sporting events to shopping, sightseeing and surfing. Plus, Sydney ranks as the 9th best student city in the world.*

We look forward to providing you with the broadest opportunities to help you flourish Down Under and hope to welcome you to UNSW Sydney soon.

*QS Best Student Cities Index 2018

Your Australian adventure starts here
The business capital of Australia

Sydney is home to more global firms than any other Australian city. A gateway to Asian economies, the city attracts great minds and is known for its ideal climate, relaxed outdoor lifestyle and friendly locals. It’s no wonder Sydney was voted the 10th best city in the world to live and work. *

*Mercer Quality of Living Survey 2018

Student friendly

Sydney is a diverse and cosmopolitan city. It ranked 9th best city in the world in the QS Best Student Cities Index 2018. The Harbour City is not just a destination, but a life experience. World-class performances, spectacular events and stunning landscapes await you in a city where there is as much to do at 7am as 11pm.

Love Sydney for less

There are endless affordable indoor and outdoor activities to enjoy in Sydney. Visit free art galleries, watch a movie at the local cinema, set off on a coastal walk, enjoy a barbecue in the park, go snorkeling or surfing at the beach, or grab a cheap lunch or dinner in our neighbouring suburbs.

Surrounding areas

UNSW Sydney is located in the leafy Eastern Suburbs, minutes away from Coogee Beach and Centennial Park. The surrounding suburbs of Kingsford, Randwick and Maroubra are full of cafes and restaurants offering an impressive range of international cuisine, reflecting the area’s diversity.

Outside Sydney

Hop on a train to the Blue Mountains for some fresh air, go north or south along the coast for quiet and stunning beaches, or head inland for Australian rural life. And you can always take a plane to Melbourne, the Gold Coast, New Zealand or Bali – just like the locals.

For more information visit international.unsw.edu.au/sydney-worlds-best.
Modern campus, perfect location
We are ranked 45th overall in the world.
QS World University Rankings, 2019

26th EMPLOYER REPUTATION
We are ranked 26th in the world for employer reputation.
QS Graduate Employability Rankings, 2019

LEADING INNOVATION
UNSW is the #1 institution attended by Australian startup founders.
Startup Muster 2018

21 OF THE WORLD’S TOP 50 SUBJECTS
With Mineral & Mining Engineering (6th), Civil & Structural Engineering (12th), Law (14th) and Accounting & Finance (15th) all in the top 15.
QS World University Rankings by Subject, 2019

LEADERS IN EDUCATION
UNSW Sydney is a founding member of the prestigious Group of Eight (Go8) and the PLuS Alliance and we are a member of the Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU) and Universitas 21. We are also the only Australian university to be invited to join the Global Alliance of Technological Universities.

EXTENSIVE RESEARCH FUNDING
UNSW Sydney has been awarded the highest number of Australian Research Council Discovery Projects in Australia for three years in a row (2017, 2018, and 2019). Total funding awarded over that period was in excess of $91M.

37th ACADEMIC REPUTATION
We are ranked 37th in the world for academic reputation.
QS Global World Rankings, 2019

28th GRADUATE EMPLOYABILITY
We are ranked 28th in the world for graduate employability.
QS Global World Rankings, 2019

5 STARS +
UNSW Sydney was the first university in the world to be awarded the maximum QS Five Star Plus rating across teaching, research, employability, facilities and innovation categories. We continue to hold this rating in 2019.
QS Stars University Ratings, 2019

23rd INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY
We are the 23rd most international university in the world.
Times Higher Education, World University Rankings 2018

SOLAR POWERED BY 2020
UNSW Sydney is on track to be 100% solar powered and carbon neutral by 2020.

STUNNING SYDNEY
UNSW Sydney is located just 6km from the iconic Bondi Beach and only 8km from Sydney CBD, the business and financial capital of the country and home to more global firms than any other Australian city.

Why UNSW?

Take a 360° tour

Can you see yourself at UNSW? Here is a great way to find out.

Experience our Sydney campuses in 360° from your computer, tablet or phone. Get a taste of life at UNSW Sydney. Observe how our campuses function, get insider access to study and research spaces, and hear from world-leading academics.

When you start the tour, a guide will provide an introduction to the experience. Yellow buttons appear in the landscape as you move around. Click on a button to watch videos about our facilities and people, read about buildings and who is inside, and learn about our facilities, the university’s history, and life as a student on campus.

Imagining yourself at UNSW has never been easier.

360tour.unsw.edu.au
Take your experience to the next level and download the UNSW 360 Tour app.

UNSW3+

Our innovative academic calendar, called UNSW3+, gives students amazing flexibility. It better aligns with university calendars across the world to help students study at UNSW for either a semester-long or year-long experience.

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Flexible study plans

UNSW has an innovative academic calendar, called UNSW3+, which gives students amazing flexibility. It features three 10-week terms per year plus a 5-week term in January and/or August. UNSW3+ better aligns with university calendars in the Northern Hemisphere, eliminating overlap between the Australian terms and the Northern Hemisphere summer. This is great news for students wanting to study at UNSW for either a semester-long or year-long experience.

**Tailored Terms include examination period**

With a full time academic load remaining at 8 courses per year, students will have the option of electing to take 3 courses during a regular term or 4 courses during a tailored term.

**2020 Study Abroad and Exchange Term options and dates**

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From 2020 some programs will have a Term 2 intake. Contact the Study Abroad & Exchange office for more information.
Tailor your Term

As a comprehensive, research-intensive university, UNSW Sydney offers hundreds of courses across nine academic faculties during our terms and tailored terms.

Most of these are open to study abroad and exchange students. While students are encouraged to independently research course options, the following academic tracks may help focus course selections in your specific area of study.

These tracks are intended as a helpful guide and are not prescriptive. Students from the areas of studies listed below are welcome to research and enrol in courses outside of these courses.

For more information on these courses and a comprehensive list of course offerings, visit the UNSW Sydney Course Handbook at handbook.unsw.edu.au/current.

Design your timetable

1. Select your core courses
   Explore the full list of courses in the UNSW Sydney Online Handbook. Browse the suggested academic pathways to assist your selection. While every student’s academic needs are different, most students take two core courses while studying at UNSW Sydney.

2. Select your elective courses
   Explore the UNSW Sydney Online Handbook for our range of elective courses. The Australian Studies courses on page 19 are preapproved electives that offer a great way to learn about our diverse country and culture.

3. Submit your courses for Faculty approval
   Once you decide which courses you are interested in, submit them for Faculty approval following the instructions provided by UNSW Sydney staff. Additional courses can be submitted for approval at a later date.

Sample tailored term and term options

Tailored Terms are for those students taking 24 UNSW Credits (30 ECTS), while the Term options are for students who require 18 UNSW Credits (22.5 ECTS). Students have the flexibility to build their Study Abroad and Exchange program based on the number of credits they need to transfer back to their home institution.

For a full listing of tailored term intensive course offerings, please visit international.unsw.edu.au/study-abroad-at-unsw.

Marina – Term 1 – Business
Marina is interested in expanding her management, interpersonal and marketing skills during her Study Abroad. She could choose to take:

- Term 1: Managing Across Cultures, Indigenous Australia, Global Business Environment

Mark – Term 3 – Engineering
Mark is studying Engineering at his home university. For his Study Abroad at UNSW Sydney, he could take:

- Term 3: Computing for Engineers, Fluid Mechanics for Engineers, Psychology of Work

Irene – Tailored Term 1 – Computer Science
Irene is studying Computer Science. For her Student Exchange, she could opt to take:

- January: Artificial Intelligence
- Term 1: Data Structures and Algorithms, Operating Systems, Introduction to Film Studies

Henry – Tailored Term 3 – Social Science
Henry would like to learn something about Australian culture while he is on exchange at UNSW Sydney. He could opt to take:

- August: Seeing Australia, Welcoming Australia
- Term 3: Australian Politics, Introduction to the Australian Legal System, Abnormal Psychology
These are some of the options for Study Abroad and Exchange students. For a full listing please see the UNSW Online Handbook link handbook.unsw.edu.au.

Art & Design
Animation
Art history and theory
Ceramics
Curating
Critical theory
Design education
Design process
Design computing
Digital imaging
Drawing
Film
Graphic design
Interactive media
Jewellery
Metal casting
Museum studies
New media
Object design
Painting
Photography
Printmaking
Programmable design
Sculpture installation & performance
Spatial design
Sound
Studio lighting
Textiles
Video
3D modelling
3D computer-aided design
artdesign.unsw.edu.au

Arts & Social Sciences
Advertising
Anthropology
Art history and theory
Asian studies
Australian studies
Chinese studies
Communication
Creative writing
Cultural studies
Criminology and criminal justice
Dance studies
Development studies
Economics
English literary studies
Environmental humanities
European studies
Film studies
French studies
German studies
History
History and philosophy of science
Indigenous studies
Indonesian studies
International relations
International studies
Italian studies
Japanese studies
Journalism
Korean studies
Latin America studies
Legal studies
Linguistics
Literature
Media and culture studies
Modern Greek studies
Music
Philosophy
Politics
Psychology
Public relations
Screen and sound production
Social science and policy
Social work
Sociology
Spanish studies
Theatre and performance studies
Women's and gender studies
arts.unsw.edu.au

Built Environment
Architectural computing
Architectural studies
Construction project management
Industrial design
Interior architecture
Landscape architecture
Planning
Property and development
Sustainable development
Urban development and design
built.unsw.edu.au

Business
Accounting
Actuarial studies
Banking
Business law
Business strategy
Economics
Finance
Human resource management
Information systems
International business
Management
Organisation and management
Marketing
Risk management*
Social Impact*
Strategy and entrepreneurship*
Taxation
business.unsw.edu.au

Engineering
Aerospace engineering
Biomechanics
Biomedical engineering*
Ceramic engineering
Chemical engineering
Civil engineering
Computer science
Electrical engineering
Environmental engineering
Geothermal engineering*
Industrial engineering
Manufacturing engineering
Mechanical engineering
Mechatronic engineering
Mining engineering
Photovoltaic engineering
Production engineering
Renewable energy engineering
Software engineering
Solar energy engineering
Surveying
Spacial information systems
Telecommunications
ing.unsw.edu.au

Law
Australian legal system
Criminal law
Human rights law
Religion
Sport and law
To be eligible to enrol in the full range of courses in Law, students must be enrolled in a Law degree at home.
law.unsw.edu.au

Medicine
Anatomy
Exercise physiology
Health and exercise science
Neuroscience
Pathology
Pharmacology
Physiology
Public health*
Study Abroad students cannot enrol in clinical Medicine courses.
med.unsw.edu.au

Science
Anatomy
Archaeology
Aviation management
Biochemistry
Biomechanics
Biotechnology
Chemistry
Climate systems science
Conservation
Data science
Earth science
Ecology
Environmental management
Environmental science
Evolutionary biology
Food science and technology
Genetics
Geography
Immunology
Marine science
Materials science and engineering
Mathematics
Medicinal chemistry
Metallurgy
Microbiology
Molecular and cell biology
Molecular genetics
Neurobiology
Neuroscience
Nutrition
Oceanography
Pathology
Pharmacology
Physics
Psychotherapy
Quantum mechanics
Remote sensing
Solid state physics
Spatial information systems
Statistics
Sustainability
Toxicology
Zoology
science.unsw.edu.au

Spotlight on Australian Studies Courses

While you are studying abroad in Sydney, why not take the opportunity to learn more about the people, history, and landscape that make up this unique country?

UNSW offers elective courses intended to introduce students to a range of fascinating topics and enrich your international experience:

- ATS1012: Aboriginal Sydney
- ARTS1990: Sydney, History, Landscapes, People
- ATS1011: Indigenous Australia
- BEES6601: Introduction to Sydney Environment
- MSC1551: The Marine Environment

Experience the Great Barrier Reef for course credit

Sustainable Tourism in Regional Australia (SCIF3900) is a unique course designed to provide students with a broadened development of skills in comprehending and assessing the physical, social and economic sustainability of societal decisions in the context of the Great Barrier Reef marine park.

The course includes a field excursion to Lady Elliot Island.

Credit load: Six units of credit.

WHERE GREAT MINDS DO BUSINESS

UNSW Business School, a powerhouse of business education and research in the Asia Pacific region, is ranked first in Australia and 10th in the world for Accounting & Finance.

ENGINEERING EXCELLENCE

UNSW Engineering is the largest in Australia and offers the widest choice of engineering degree programs for students.
University students and Gap-Year students from anywhere around the world can come to UNSW Sydney through our Study Abroad Program. An official transcript will be issued to your home university upon conclusion of your studies at UNSW, and credit transfer back to your home institution is a possibility.

Study plans

Semester-long programs
Choose from:
- Term 1 | Term 3 | Tailored Term 1 | Tailored Term 3
- Term 3 + January Term | Term 1 + Term 2 | Term 3 + Term 1

Year-long programs
Choose from:
- Term 1 + Term 2 + Term 3 | Term 3 + Term 1 + Term 2
- Tailored Term 3 + Tailored Term 1

What you can study
You can study almost any course at UNSW Sydney as long as you have the required background knowledge. You may also be able to take a supervised internship to gain industry experience or research placement.

A complete list of courses can be found in the UNSW Online Handbook.

handbook.unsw.edu.au

We recommend you check our Online Timetable to ensure that your chosen courses are available.
timetable.unsw.edu.au

Enrolment is subject to course availability and your academic background. It is important to be flexible with your course choice as some fill up quickly or may not be offered in a particular term.

Internships
UNSW Sydney Study Abroad offers some internship opportunities. The internships are weighted at six units of credit or one course and students are expected to enrol in another 12 – 18 units of credit to make up the fulltime study load. Contact our office for further information and application forms.

Entry requirements
A cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 grading scale - or equivalent standard from your home institution.

English requirements
You may be asked to provide evidence of your English proficiency to study at UNSW depending on your educational background and citizenship. See page 34 for details.

Enrolment requirements
18 UNSW Credits per Standard Term (Typically 3 courses) – equivalent to 22.5 ECTS
24 UNSW Credits per Tailored Term (Typically 4 courses) – equivalent to 30 ECTS
48 UNSW Credits per Year (Typically 8 courses) – equivalent to 60 ECTS

Tuition fees
Tuition fees fall into three different brackets:

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Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)
Students are required to have OSHC for the duration of their student visa (except holders of Norwegian, Swedish and Belgian passports). Study Abroad will purchase OSHC on your behalf through Medibank Private.

Please check the UNSW Sydney Study Abroad website for the latest OSHC costs. Visit international.unsw.edu.au/study-abroad-at-unsw.

Research
There are limited places available for students to do research as part of their Study Abroad program. Contact our office for further information.

Application process

1. Create profile
www.openacademies.com/registerforstudyabroad

2. Start application
Ensure that the name on your application is the same as on your passport. Make sure that you choose all the Terms that you want to study at UNSW for.

3. Submit application
Prepare the following documents as a pdf to submit with your application:
1. Your most recent official academic transcript (with English translation)
2. The ID page of your passport
3. Proof of English Language Proficiency if required (see page 34)

4. Choose courses
Choose courses that you wish to study while at UNSW and submit them for approval by UNSW. Check that the courses you wish to study are offered in the term you will be at UNSW and will be approved by your home institution.

5. Receive offer
If your application is successful you will receive an offer letter by email.

6. Accept offer
Accept your offer online and pay your deposit and/ or OSHC fees if applicable.

7. Housing
If you want to apply for on-campus housing, apply as soon as you accept your offer.

8. Receive CoE and Apply for Visa
You will receive a confirmation of enrolment (CoE) after you accept your offer. This is required for your visa application.

9. Book flights
Ensure that you will arrive in time for our orientation program.

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W: studyabroad.unsw.edu.au
UNSW Social Media Ambassador Award

Are you interested in sharing your study abroad experience with friends and classmates back home? A limited number of Social Media Ambassador Awards of $1,000 each are available to international students completing an inbound Study Abroad program at UNSW Sydney.

These competitive awards provide an opportunity to showcase what life at UNSW Sydney is really like through posts made via your own personal social media accounts.

For more details on what’s involved and how to apply please contact the Study Abroad team at studyabroad@unsw.edu.au.

Eligibility
Applicants must:
• Be international students holding an offer for an inbound Study Abroad program at UNSW Sydney
• Have a public Instagram account
• Be active Instagram users and post on a regular basis
• Must not be a previous recipient of the award

Award Value
Recipients are awarded a $1,000 discount on their tuition fees in either Term 1 or Term 3 (including Tailored Terms) of their chosen inbound Study Abroad program at UNSW Sydney.

How to Apply
1. Candidates must submit either a 30-60 second video or three collated images to their public Instagram account on the topic ‘A Day in my Home City’ during the application period. The hashtag #UNSWSMAA2020 should also be included in this post
2. An application form will need to be requested from the UNSW Study Abroad Office via email at: studyabroad@unsw.edu.au
3. The completed application form should then be submitted to the UNSW Study Abroad Office via email (studyabroad@unsw.edu.au) during the application period outlining the student’s personal details and a link to their Instagram account/handle along with the date of when their entry was posted on Instagram

Application Deadlines
• Tailored Term 1 / Term 1 2020: applications are open from 1-30 November 2019
• Tailored Term 3 / Term 3 2020: applications are open from 13 June – 13 July 2020

For Further Information
For further information, please visit: international.unsw.edu.au/study-abroad-at-unsw or contact UNSW Study Abroad at studyabroad@unsw.edu.au.
Application process

1. Nomination
You need to be nominated by your home university, and they will choose one of our Study Plans for you. After being nominated, an email with application instructions and login details will be sent to you.

2. Start application
Ensure in your application that your name is the same as on your passport.

3. Submit application
Prepare the following documents as a pdf to submit with your application:
- Your most recent official academic transcript (with English translation)
- The ID page of your passport
- Proof of English Language Proficiency if required (see page 34)

4. Choose courses
Choose courses that you wish to study while at UNSW, and submit them for prerequisite approval by UNSW. Check that the courses you wish to study are offered in the term you will be at UNSW and will be approved by your home institution.

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If your application is successful you will receive an offer letter by email.

6. Accept offer
Accept your offer online

7. Housing
If you want to apply for on-campus housing, apply as soon as you accept your offer. Details will be issued with your offer.

8. Purchase your OSHC
You pay your usual tuition fees to your home university, not UNSW.

9. Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)
Students are required to have OSHC for the duration of their student visa (except holders of Norwegian, Swedish and Belgian passports). Details on how to purchase OSHC are provided on your acceptance.

Contact us
Student Exchange
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T: +61 2 9385 3179
E: exchange@unsw.edu.au
Study plans
There is flexibility in when you commence, with UNSW welcoming students weekly.

What you can study
You will create a research plan with your supervisor and home university before you arrive at UNSW. You will have access to services, libraries, campus amenities and liability insurance for UNSW premises.

UNSW’s research focus includes the following areas:
• Biomedical Sciences
• Water, Climate, Environment and Sustainability
• Next Generation Materials and Technologies
• Social Policy, Government and Health Policy
• ICT, Robotics and Devices
• Law, Business and Economics
• Fundamental and Enabling Sciences
• Contemporary Humanities and Creative Arts
• Defence and Security

Entry requirements
A cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 grading scale - or equivalent standard from your home institution.
You also need to find an academic at UNSW who agrees to supervise your research.

English requirements
You may be asked to provide evidence of your English proficiency to study at UNSW depending on your educational background and citizenship. See page 34 for details.

Tuition fees
Tuition fees of A$1,000 per term/4-month period.
One-off administration fee of A$330.

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Application process

1. Check you are eligible
You will need to ensure you meet the UNSW Entry and English Language requirements

2. Find a supervisor
Contact UNSW academics to find a suitable supervisor and negotiate start and finish dates for your practicum.

3. Nomination
The academic then emails practicum@unsw.edu.au with your full name, email address, host UNSW school and home university.

4. Application
UNSW will email you with details on how to fill in an online application.

5. Receive offer
If your application is successful you and your supervisor will receive an acceptance letter by email.

6. Purchase your health insurance
OSHC insurance is required if you are coming to UNSW on a student visa. Send the receipt to the Study Abroad Research Practicum Team.

7. Receive CoE and Apply for Visa
You will receive a confirmation of enrolment (CoE) after UNSW receives confirmation of your health insurance. This is required for your visa application. Make travel arrangements, book flights and accommodation once you receive your visa.

8. On arrival at UNSW
Ensure that you attend in-person to register your arrival at the Study Abroad and Exchange office before you start your research at UNSW. Contact us to find a suitable time.

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Live on campus, make friends for life

Sydney is a safe, accessible and vibrant city, with public transport connecting the UNSW campuses, beaches, and city centre. This means students living both on and off campus can enjoy all that Sydney has to offer.

The Study Abroad and Exchange program have reserved rooms on campus with a range of options available. Due to limited availability, please apply by the housing deadline to ensure your application will be considered.

Many students also live off campus and enjoy the beautiful surrounding suburbs. UNSW campus is located in the Eastern Suburbs and many students choose to live by the beach in places such as Coogee, Bondi Beach, Clovelly or Maroubra; or instead find accommodation closer to the bustling city centre of Sydney and our iconic harbour.

For more information, visit student.unsw.edu.au/accommodation.

### Accommodation at UNSW

**Colleges**

Colleges provide a choice of full-board, partly catered and self-catered style accommodation. There are male-only and female-only options, as well as mixed male and female accommodation. Most colleges cater for dietary requirements like halal, kosher and vegetarian.

**Apartments**

Apartments offer independent-style self-catering living for students. Costs vary depending on the number of rooms and the location.

**Applications**

Details on how to apply will be sent to students after they have been accepted into a Study Abroad or Exchange program. There is one application portal for all UNSW Accommodation options, but separate processes for the independent providers.

### Off campus housing

UNSW Sydney is located in the Eastern Suburbs district with close proximity to some of the most beautiful beaches in Sydney, and a short distance by public transport to the Sydney city centre. Many Study Abroad & Exchange students live in the suburbs surrounding UNSW campus including Coogee Beach, Randwick, Kensington, Maroubra, or iconic Bondi.

**Student accommodation providers**

Sydney has several providers catering specially to students. Accommodation is located around Sydney - generally around 30-50 minutes from the UNSW Campus. These options offer high-quality rooms with air conditioning and extra services. Options include Iglu, Urbanest and others.

### Rental property

There are many private rental properties available in the suburbs surrounding UNSW Sydney. Costs vary according to the number of bedrooms, condition and location. When renting, you can expect to sign a six- or 12-month lease and pay rent in advance, plus a security deposit called a bond. Rental properties can be offered either furnished or unfurnished - and additional expenses like electricity, gas, telephone and Wi-Fi are typically not included in the rental price. Costs vary but usually range from A$200 – A$300 per student per week in a shared house or apartment. Please note that students should never arrange private off-campus accommodation nor transfer money from overseas. To ensure you are renting a property that is legitimate and secure, only commit to a lease/tenancy agreement if you have viewed the property in person.

### Temporary accommodation

If you haven't confirmed your university accommodation before you arrive, we recommend you allow three to four weeks before classes begin to look for private housing to give you time to settle in and attend orientation sessions. Be sure to book short-term accommodation first, then look for long-term options in person. Short-term accommodation can include private hotels, motels, hostels, lodges or furnished apartments ranging from A$45 to A$300 per day.

### Under 18s

Arrangements must be made for students under 18 years of age. These requirements are in line with Australian Government regulations for the care and welfare of international students under 18. student.unsw.edu.au/vISA18

### Estimated cost of living off campus versus living on campus.

Costs listed in Australian dollars

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<td><strong>Set-up costs</strong></td>
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<td>Bond, furniture, utility connections etc.</td>
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<td>Food (groceries and eating out)</td>
<td>$80 to $280</td>
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<td>Transport to university</td>
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<td><strong>Weekly total</strong></td>
<td>$470 to $470</td>
<td>$455 to $495</td>
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<td><strong>Total annual cost</strong></td>
<td>$24,440 to $34,440*</td>
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<td>52 weeks</td>
<td>$22,100 to $44,980</td>
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Living costs are indicative only and will vary based on the location, number of people you live with and the condition of the housing.


*Costs will vary depending on the type of accommodation and catering offered.
Experience a warm and welcoming community

UNSW offers a village atmosphere that will make you feel right at home.

Campus facilities
UNSW Sydney’s Kensington campus has everything you need including dozens of cafes and restaurants, banks, ATMs, a post office, supermarket, food cooperative, pharmacy, medical centre and dentist, libraries, a fitness and aquatic centre, and sports fields and courts.

Study areas
Work on your assignments at one of our many indoor computer labs or outdoor study areas complete with power outlets to charge your devices. Stay connected to family and friends with free Wi-Fi throughout the campus.

Arc: Student Association
Arc is our student association – it’s run by students for students. Joining Arc is a great way to get involved in our many clubs and societies. Find out about parties and events, or get discounts from partner organisations, free legal advice, and assistance with finding a part-time job or volunteer work.

arc.unsw.edu.au

Clubs and societies
Through Arc join a club or society and make new friends. Choose from more than 300 student-led clubs and social societies across a range of interests for food lovers, sport, running, debating, biology conservation, the Exchange Society and more.

Social activities
Students have the opportunity to explore some of Australia’s natural wonders, take weekend trips to the Blue Mountains, Royal National Park and Hunter Valley, go whale-watching, surfing and more. See Study Abroad and Exchange for details.

Religious centre
Our interfaith religious centre is for all UNSW Sydney students. Chaplains conduct services and studies and offer spiritual counselling. The Islamic Society has an Imam in attendance with meeting and prayer rooms available.

Staying safe
To maintain our safe and enjoyable study environment, our security service provides a 24-hour comprehensive presence across campus. Our StaySafe@UNSW free app allows you to track the night bus and provides safety tips, contacts, a newsfeed, and more.

For more information visit international.unsw.edu.au/life-at-unsw
Get friendly and helpful support

Our students tell us we are one of the friendliest universities in Australia with a host of support services you can rely on.

Arrival support
From picking you up from the airport, running orientation events and taking you on campus tours, we make sure you feel orientated, safe and well connected.

Language and conversation skills
Improve your English language skills by taking up one of the many programs, workshops, weekly conversation classes or discussion groups available. We also offer one of Australia’s leading and most popular language exchange programs. Get matched with other people who speak a language you would like to learn and, in return, teach them a language that you speak.
For more information, visit student.unsw.edu.au/lep.

Academic support
As a UNSW Sydney student, you’ll get access to free online resources, exam preparation tips and more. The Learning Centre offers academic skills support for students, including individual consultations on academic writing, research, essays and reports.
For more information, visit student.unsw.edu.au/skills.

Student advisors
Our dedicated Study Abroad and Exchange teams are available to help you find all the information you need to settle in. You can visit the Study Abroad and Exchange Office for personalised advice, enrolment support and information on life at UNSW Sydney.

The Nucleus: Student Hub
Whether it’s advice on essential university processes or connecting you with UNSW support and development services, drop into The Nucleus: Student Hub on level 2 of the Library.
For more information, visit student.unsw.edu.au/studenthub.

Looking after your wellbeing
Through our Counselling and Psychological Services (CAPS), you’ll have the opportunity to talk to a professional counsellor who may be able to assist or help you resolve or manage your situation.
For more information, visit student.unsw.edu.au/counselling.

Support and development
Access support to help you make the most of your time at UNSW. Develop your academic skills, boost your wellbeing, access our disability services and open up new opportunities to grow.

Disability and support services
UNSW Disability Services can assist students who experience a disability, health condition, mental health issue or personal circumstances that impact their studies. The Disabilities team can arrange to put in place educational adjustments and services to assist you to manage your studies. Students who receive support services at their home institution should register with UNSW Disability Services prior to departing for UNSW.
For more information and to register please visit student.unsw.edu.au/disability.
### UNSW English language requirements

#### Test requirements
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<td>IELTS Academic version only</td>
<td>6.5 overall*</td>
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<td>TOEFL Internet-based Test (IBT)</td>
<td>90 overall</td>
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<td>TOEFL Paper-based Test (PBT)</td>
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*Law and post-graduate Business have a 7.0 minimum requirement.

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<td>Danish Studentereksamen (Higher Preparatory Examination)</td>
<td>Grade 7 in English in the final year (English B or English A)</td>
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<td>Vitnemål (Norwegian Certificate of Upper Secondary Education)</td>
<td>Grade 4 in the First Year of Upper Secondary English (if this is the only completed English subject); or average grade of 4 in all completed Upper Secondary English subjects</td>
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<td>Swedish Secondary School Leaving Certificate</td>
<td>Grade D in English in the final year (English 6/ English Course B)</td>
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*Other countries' high school qualifications accepted

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### UNSW Sydney quick links

#### Contact details
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- @university-of-new-south-wales
- http://i.youku.com/u/UNTc1OTlyMTQ4
- @unswabroad
- WeChat ID: UNSW_Australia

#### Applying to UNSW
- Online Handbook
  - handbook.unsw.edu.au
- Degree Finder
  - degrees.unsw.edu.au
- Online Timetable
  - timetable.unsw.edu.au
- Study Abroad Application Portal
  - unsw.openacademies.com/registerforstudyabroad
- English Language Requirements
  - unsw.edu.au/english-requirements-policy

#### More about UNSW Sydney
- UNSW Home page
  - unsw.edu.au
- International Centre
  - international.unsw.edu.au
- Student Life@UNSW
  - unsw.edu.au/studentlife
- UNSW Alumni
  - alumni.unsw.edu.au

#### Student services
- Accommodation
  - accommodation.unsw.edu.au
- University Library
  - library.unsw.edu.au
- Careers and Employment
  - careers.unsw.edu.au
- Arc@UNSW
  - arc.unsw.edu.au

#### Government resources
- Student visas
  - immi.homeaffairs.gov.au
- Australian diplomatic missions
  - dfat.gov.au/missions