

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME (SEP)

Information for Students on Exchange

A. University	Australian National University
B. Country	Australia
C. Academic Calendar	Semester 1 (Fall term): Mid February to Late June Semester 2 (Winter term): Mid July to Late November http://www.anu.edu.au/directories/university-calendar
D. Exchange Duration	One semester
E. Course Load	Students need to study a full-course load while on exchange at ANU. A full course in ANU is 24 ANU units per semester (usually 4 courses at 6 units each). Students can apply to undertake a reduced study load of 18 units (equivalent to 3 courses) with the permission of their home faculty. Kindly note that the maximum workload at ANU is 24 units per semester. ANU's teaching system is a combination of lectures, tutorials and laboratory classes. The amount of time students spend in classes will vary depending on the course. A full-time student should be prepared to spend 40-45 hours of study per week. ANU Programmes and Courses: https://programsandcourses.anu.edu.au/
F. Accommodation	On-campus housing is guaranteed for exchange students who apply for accommodation by the relevant deadlines. https://study.anu.edu.au/accommodation Please refer to the information provided by ANU for latest updates regarding housing availability.
G. Visa	Once you have purchased the Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC), your host university will issue an Electronic Confirmation of Enrolment (eCoE), which is required for your Australian Student Visa Application. All exchange students must obtain an Australian Non Award Student Visa (sub-class 500) before arriving in Australia. Students are advised to apply for the necessary visa immediately after they received the official offer letter/email from their host university. This is to ensure that you can obtain your visa in time before the start of your exchange term. Your exchange at the host university depends on the clearance by the immigration of the host country. For more information on visa applications, please refer to https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/student-500 .



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H. Insurance	All full-time NUS students are covered under the university's Student Group Personal Accident & Medical Insurance and the Student Travel Insurance. For more information on the university medical insurance, please refer to https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/student-insurance/all/ .
	All international students studying in Australia are required to purchase an approved Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) policy. OSHC is a condition of the Overseas Student Visa issued by the Australian Immigration authorities. The cost is approximately A\$350 for 6 months. Students can purchase OSHC through your host university.
	It is recommended that you purchase a comprehensive travel insurance for the full duration of your stay abroad, including your personal travel within/outside Australia. Please review the insurance coverages to ensure that they meet your needs. Students can purchase additional health and/or travel insurance from their preferred agent.
I. Useful Links	Student Exchange Information:
	https://www.anu.edu.au/study/related-information/exchange-and-study-abroad
	Study Abroad and Exchange at ANU presentation: https://youtu.be/0N1uJb6rTIM