Looking to Attend University Abroad?

This sector of education is changing often, but it is true that certain countries offer a great education for international students at a cost that is far below US prices. As you research, know that many of the universities do not necessarily distinguish between ‘international’ students like we do in the US.

***Key Considerations***

You will need to follow the application process closely for your specific university as

there is no “common application’.

Many countries expect you will be proficient in the language of the country.

Consider the cost of living in your desired country

Classes are often run in a more graduate level style than US undergraduate

Costs of trips home

Remember student visas

Top countries offering low or no cost education to US students (mostly EU countries). The costs greatly

depend on which university—so you will need to continue your research beyond the country itself.

Germany, England, Norway, Austria, Finland, Czech Republic, France, Belgium, Greece, Spain.

[Here is an site that lists](https://www.topuniversities.com/student-info/student-finance/how-much-does-it-cost-study-europe) some information—but you will want to double and triple check the information with research specific to the schools you are considering.

Japan has a great system, [see link](https://www.thecompleteuniversityguide.co.uk/international/asia/japan/) for explanation of low fees and multitude of scholarships.

Here is an example of the cost, requirements etc from one of France’s prominent universities, [Sorbonne Universite’](https://www.sorbonne-universite.fr/en/international-students/registration-everything-you-need-know/international-student-enrolment) It’s free if you are admitted.

Most/All UK schools require that you apply through <https://www.ucas.com/>

Get a Student Visa <http://www.nafsa.org/Professional_Resources/Browse_by_Interest/Education_Abroad/Visas_For_Education_Abroad/>

The most popular schools for US students studying abroad from [College Choice](https://www.collegechoice.net/popular-international-universities-us-students/)

Top countries for US Students Abroad, [From IEE](https://www.iie.org/Research-and-Insights/Open-Doors/Fact-Sheets-and-Infographics/Fast-Facts) (Institute of International Education)

1 United Kingdom

2 Italy

3 Spain -- $1500

4 France ---Free

5 Germany ---Free

6 China --- general cost for international students topping out at $10,000

7 Ireland ---- general cost for international students -$10,000-$20,000 depending on school

8 Australia ---general cost for international students $23,000

9 Costa Rica

10 Japan

11 South Africa

12 Mexico

13 Denmark

14 Czech Republic

15 India

16 Argentina

17 New Zealand