

Kyoto University

Financial Aid and Scholarships

Financial Aid

If you are eligible for financial aid, your aid will be readjusted towards the cost of your UCSC Exchange program. Before you apply, [request an estimate from UCSC Financial Aid](#) to determine how much and what type of financial aid you can expect to receive on your program.

In accordance with federal regulations, financial aid disbursement will occur no earlier than 10 days prior to the first day of instruction abroad at your host institution.

Scholarships

Recommended scholarships for this program include:

- Freeman Asia
- Bridging Scholarship

Learn more about [scholarships for study abroad](#).

UCSC Billable Fees

	Fall 2023 + Winter 2024	Spring 2024	Aca. Year 2023-24
UC Santa Cruz Tuition and Fees *	\$9,404	\$4,702	\$14,106
Program Fee**	\$604	\$588	\$859
UC SHIP***	\$784	\$392	\$1,176
Subtotal	\$10,792	\$5,682	\$16,141

UCSC Billable Fee Notes

The fees above will be billed to your UCSC account. **All fees are subject to change.** It is your responsibility to pay these costs by the stipulated deadlines. If you receive Financial Aid, these fees will be factored into your aid award.

*The tuition and fees indicated above are calculated based on the cohort of students who entered UCSC during the 2021-2022 Academic Year or before. If you entered UCSC after the 2021-2022 Academic Year, please confirm what cohort tuition and fees you will be billed on [this webpage](#). Tuition and fees are charged per quarter enrolled in a UCSC Exchange. Tuition and fees indicated here are estimates based on currently approved amounts. These figures may not be final. Students who pay Non-Resident Tuition (NRT) at UCSC must also pay [Non-Resident Tuition](#) per quarter enrolled in a UCSC Exchange. Actual tuition, fees, and charges are subject to change by the Regents of the University of California and could be affected by State funding reductions. Accordingly, final approved levels, and thus a student's final balance due to UCSC, may differ from the amounts shown.

Includes the \$300 Non-Refundable Application Fee, and International Health Insurance. The International Health Insurance fee **is estimated and subject to change. The Non-Refundable Application Fee will be billed to your UCSC account about 1 month after you apply in the Global Learning Portal. You agree to pay this fee by the deadline as set by [Student Business Services](#). The International Health Insurance is billed in one lump sum and due at the same time as your quarterly tuition & fees. In some cases, you may be charged an additional International Health fee again at a later date if insurance fees amounts/terms are adjusted in accordance with your actual program dates and your insurance fee increases. See the [Student Business Services](#) billing schedule.

***The UCSC Student Health Center requires all students to be covered by a domestic healthcare plan while abroad, and thus, all students are automatically enrolled in UC SHIP for each term they are enrolled in a UCSC Exchange Program. This fee will be assessed at a reduced rate on a student’s UCSC account and must be paid according to the UCSC Student Business Services billing schedule. If a student is already enrolled in another domestic health insurance program (such as through a family plan) and that insurance meets the UC SHIP requirements, the student can [waive out](#) of the UC SHIP insurance. Financial aid will not cover the health insurance cost for students who choose to waive out of UC SHIP. The cost is estimated and subject to change.

Estimated Out-of-Pocket Expenses

	Fall 2023 + Winter 2024	Spring 2024	Aca. Year 2023-24
Roundtrip Airfare (estimated from SFO)	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,300
Meals	\$1,141	\$1,014	\$2,535
Accommodations	\$1,205	\$1,071	\$2,677
Other Program-Related Expenses	\$1,071	\$990	\$1,960
Subtotal	\$4,717	\$4,375	\$8,472

Estimated Out-of-Pocket Expenses Notes

Estimated out-of-pocket expenses are incurred by student. Estimates are provided for financial aid and planning purposes only; **actual expenses vary**. "Other Program-Related Expenses" include: Books, Local transportation, Passport, Japan National Health Insurance, KyotoU University CO-OP Personal Liability Insurance for Students (Gakubai), Health Clearance, Incidentals, Ground Transportation upon Arrival, Transportation to/from SFO.

Estimated Total Cost

	Fall 2023 + Winter 2024	Spring 2024	Aca. Year 2023-24
UCSC Billable Fees	\$10,792	\$5,682	\$16,141
Estimated Out-of-Pocket Expenses	\$4,717	\$4,375	\$8,472
ESTIMATED TOTAL	\$15,509	\$10,057	\$24,613

Expenses Not Covered

- Estimated personal expenses not outlined in the table above
 - Personal travel during and outside of program dates
 - Entertainment including shopping, souvenirs, and other personal purchases
 - Out-of-pocket expenses for medical and other emergencies
 - Uncovered medical expenses for special needs
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Cost of Living Resources

- [Japanese Government Guide to International Student Living Expenses](#)
- [JASSO Student Guide to Japan](#)