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## University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

### Financial requirement

Financial guarantee amount      University of North Carolina requires written financial guarantees for at least US \$7,090 per semester.

### Brief overview of the university

Founded in 1793, UNC is the oldest public university in the United States and remains one of the most comprehensive institutions in North Carolina with a student body of over 26,000. The 729-acre central campus has offerings which span more than 100 fields.

Chapel Hill's population is around 50,000 people. The local Triangle area of Raleigh, Durham and Chapel Hill has 1.5 million people. UNC Chapel Hill has both a small college town atmosphere and the advantage of being in a dynamic metropolitan area.

<http://www.unc.edu/about/>

### Academic matters

Academic strengths	See <a href="http://www.unc.edu/about/">http://www.unc.edu/about/</a>
Restricted/closed Departments	<p>You can take classes from any program in the College of Arts and Sciences. Further details: <a href="https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xcourses.cfm">https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xcourses.cfm</a></p> <p>Participation in courses offered in UNC's "professional schools" (i.e. Journalism, Business, Education, Social Work etc.) is not permitted.</p> <p>Students cannot take more than two courses per semester in Economics or Psychology.</p>
Can I pre-register for classes before arrival?	Yes
If yes, please give details	You will receive access to view the upcoming semester schedule when it is available. Post-acceptance, you will be given access to the registration system and will register for classes at the same time as UNC students. This generally happens in April for Fall entry. It is imperative that you register as soon as you are instructed as classes fill up quickly.
Links to detailed subject or course descriptions:	<p>Each department has its own website, for a list of departments visit: <a href="http://www.unc.edu/academics/depts-a-z/">http://www.unc.edu/academics/depts-a-z/</a></p> <p>Please note that the course offerings for the spring semester will be put online in mid-September and will be added in late February for the fall semester, and information on how to access the course schedule will be provided at that time.</p> <p>The University Bulletin has a brief description of each course: <a href="http://www.catalog.unc.edu/">http://www.catalog.unc.edu/</a> but note that not all courses listed in the Bulletin will be available in the upcoming semester.</p>

### Semester dates

Fall Semester: mid- August- early December  
Spring Semester: early January- early May.

For a campus calendar please visit: <http://registrar.unc.edu/academic-calendar/>

### Housing

Guaranteed housing?	Housing is not guaranteed, but preference is given to year-long students in on-campus locations. Additional housing is available in Granville Towers, and university owned but independently operated residence hall. For more information, see <a href="https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xhousing_options.cfm">https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xhousing_options.cfm</a>
If no, is on campus housing readily available?	N/A
When is housing information sent?	Mid-summer
Link to housing website	<a href="https://housing.unc.edu/">https://housing.unc.edu/</a>
Brief details	See above website
Allocation process	You will be notified by email before you arrive.
<b>Application information</b>	
Which month of the year are applications processed?	Between March and April
Which month of the year do you send out offer letters?	Between March and April
<b>Immigration information</b>	
Which month of the year do you hope to send immigration documents?	Immigration documents will be sent by the end of June.
Where can I find further information about immigration?	<a href="https://uk.usembassy.gov/">https://uk.usembassy.gov/</a> <a href="https://www.ice.gov/sevis/students">https://www.ice.gov/sevis/students</a>
<b>Pre-arrival information</b>	
Which is your nearest airport?	Raleigh-Durham International Airport (RDU)
Do you offer an airport pick up programme?	No, not through our office
Brief details	The student organization EASE (Easing Abroad Students' Entry) attempts each year to coordinate airport pickups for new exchange students, but airport pickups are <b>not</b> guaranteed.
Do you have an orientation programme?	Yes
Is it mandatory?	Yes
How much does it cost?	No fee
What are the dates?	A daylong session held the day before classes start.
Link for a website for further details	<a href="http://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/">http://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/</a>
<b>Health Insurance</b>	
Do you have mandatory health insurance?	Yes
Brief details	<a href="https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xhealth_insurance.cfm">https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xhealth_insurance.cfm</a>
Approximately how much does it cost?	US \$2,222 per year

Can this be waived by my own policy?	Yes – please visit <a href="https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xhealth_insurance.cfm">https://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming/xhealth_insurance.cfm</a> and more information on the process will be provided post-acceptance.
<b>Additional costs</b>	
Do I have to pay any mandatory costs?	Yes
If yes, please provide details and costs	US \$100 administration fee. This will be billed to your account after you arrive on campus.
<b>General Information</b>	
Links to tourist information	<a href="https://www.visitchapelhill.org/">https://www.visitchapelhill.org/</a>
Link to the Study Abroad office pages	<a href="http://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming">http://studyabroad.unc.edu/incoming</a>
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