

2025-26 FACT SHEET for Exchange Partners

** All dates and information is subject to change.

Institution	Wichita State University	
Institution Website	<u>www.wichita.edu</u>	
(URL)	View book:	
, ,	https://issuu.com/wichitastateuniversity/docs/viewbook?fr=sMDU2MTU	
	<u>wODEzNzA</u>	
Website for Short-Term	www.wichita.edu/exchangestudents	
Program Students	Exchange Student Application: www.wichita.edu/exchangestudentapplication	
Office in Charge of	Office of International Education	
Incoming International	Phone: 1.316.978.3232	
& Short-Term Program	Physical Address: Shocker Success Center;	
Students	Lower Level 003	
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Academic Information

Maximum Exchange Period	One academic year.
Language Requirements	REQUIREMENT:
	All students studying in the U.S. on a J-1 visa and
	all exchange student applicants will need to provide proof of this
	proficiency by providing an English Proficiency Certification letter issued
	by their home institution.
	See the exchange student application for more details and/or email
	studyabroad@wichita.edu for specific guidelines.
Minimum Hours of Credit	All exchange students must enroll for full time study.
Required and Maximum	Undergraduates: 12 U.S. credit hours for most programs.
Credits Allowed Per Semester	Generally, if students would like to take more credit hours, then they
	will need to pay for any hours above 12 credit hours.
	Graduates: 9 credit hours

Course Catalog	Undergraduate: http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/
	Graduate: http://catalog.wichita.edu/graduate/
	https://www.wichita.edu/services/registrar/schedule_of_courses.php Please note: The schedule of courses for fall semester (August-Dec.) is
Schedule of Courses (for	released the previous March and for the spring semester (January-May),
particular semester)	in mid-October.

Academic Calendar

Se	mester One (Fall 2025): August 18-December 11, 2025
Application Deadline	Priority deadline: April 1, 2025; Actual deadline: May 1, 2025
	PLEASE NOTE: Students who apply by the priority deadline will be able to
	pre-enroll and have a better chance to register in desired courses.
	Graduate programs may have a deadline specific to their program area. Those
	deadlines are published in the Program Deadline section:
	http://webs.wichita.edu/?u=gradschool&p=/ApplicationandAdmission/Deadlines/
New Student	Tentative dates: Thursday-Friday, August 14-15, 2025
Orientation	
Registration for	WSU makes special provisions for incoming exchange students to pre-enroll,
courses	along with our current students starting mid-April for fall.
Classes Begin	Monday, August 18, 2025
Classes End	Thursday, December 4, 2025
Examination Period	Saturday, December 6 - Thursday, December 11, 2025
Vacation Periods	Fall Break: Saturday, October 11 (after 2pm) - Tuesday, October 14, 2025
	Thanksgiving Break: Wednesday, November 26 - Sunday, November 30, 2025
Se	mseter Two (Spring 2026): January 20-May 14, 2026
Application Deadline	October 15, 2025
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	deadlines are published in the Program Deadline section:
	http://webs.wichita.edu/?u=gradschool&p=/ApplicationandAdmission/Deadlines/
New Student	Tentative dates: Thursday-Friday, January 15-16, 2026
Orientation	
Registration for	WSU makes special provisions for incoming exchange students to pre-enroll,
courses	along with our current students starting mid-November for spring.
Classes Begin	Tuesday, January 20, 2026
Classes End	Thursday, May 7, 2026
Examination Period	Saturday, May 9 – Thursday, May 14, 2026
Vacation Period	Spring Break: Monday, March 16 – Sunday, March 22, 2026

Other Information

Official Arrival Dates				
First Term/Semester/Full Year	Tentative: Wednesday, August 13, 2025			
Second Term/Semester	Tentative: Wednesday, January 14, 2026			
Official Departure Dates				
First Term/Semester	Tentative: Residence halls will close on			
	Friday, December 12, 2025			

Second Term/Semester/Full Year	Tentative: Residence halls will close on
	Friday, May 15, 2026
Airport Pick-up Service	Free pick-up service is provided through the Office of International Education for when you arrive to Wichita(ICT). Students should ask for this service at least two weeks prior to their arrival date. More information will be emailed to you. However, for departure at the end of the semester, all students must find their own transportation to the airport at their own expense.
Mandatory Health Insurance	Students will automatically be charged for health insurance unless they show proof of insurance that is EQUAL to that required by Wichita State University (and mandated by the federal government) and complete a waiver form online that has been approved by WSU. http://webs.wichita.edu/medicalinsurance

Housing

Housing Covered Under Our Exchange	Accommodations on campus:
Agreement	1. The Flats (apartments)
rig. coment	2. The Suites (residence hall)
	3. Shocker Hall (residence hall)
	http://www.wichita.edu/housing
	*Generally, exchange students will live in The Flats,
	based on age and availability. Check with the
	Housing Office for more details about staying in a
	particular accommodation. Single private rooms are
	very limited in the residence halls and are generally
	not available.
	Exchange students are recommended to live on-
	campus, just as all first year students at WSU. If you
	wish to live off-campus, please email us for more
	information on this process (please note that we do
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Move-in Dates & Dining Hall Dates of Operation

Off-campus rates vary and is your responsibility to know the fees and due dates.

FALL SEMESTER:

Exchange students may be required to arrive prior to the official move-in date for housing in order to attend the mandatory orientation. Given this, they will need to plan for a few extra days for housing fees and should contact the WSU Housing Office for specific costs. Please see the housing contract for the official move-in/move-out dates and check the pre-departure information for the arrival date for exchange students.

Dining services will be closed during Fall Break in October and over Thanksgiving Break in November. Visit the housing website for specific dates and details: http://www.wichita.edu/housing

SPRING SEMESTER:

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Students who wish to stay in the residence hall through spring break may be required to pay additional housing fees. Please contact the WSU Housing Office for specific costs and more information.

Dining services will be closed during Spring Break in March. Visit the housing website for specific dates and details:

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*Exchange students who will stay for both fall and spring semesters will be able to continue living in on-campus housing during the break for an extra fee. The on-campus food services will not be available during the winter break (mid-December to mid-January). Please check the housing contract for specific details.

Move-out Dates & Recommended Dates of Departure

FALL & SPRING SEMESTER:

Generally, students will be required to move out of the residence halls by the Friday after final exams. We would recommend booking your flight for that Friday.