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Funding

There are a wide range of scholarships available to help make your education abroad program a reality. It is important to review all of your options carefully, plan ahead and apply early. Explore scholarships according to your major or special interest, as well as scholarships offered internally through Ohio State, and sources outside of the university.

Selected your education abroad program, but wondering how to pay for it? Ohio State students receiving financial aid may be able to apply that funding towards their program.

You must be formally accepted into a education abroad program through the Office of International Affairs before aid eligibility can be determined, and OIA will provide you with a budget letter once you have been accepted. The [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#) and the [Ohio State Scholarship Application](#), will be used to calculate the amount of money you will be awarded for the semester or term in which you plan to study abroad.

Once you have completed and submitted both the FAFSA and Ohio State Scholarship Application, submit your budget letter and decision letter to [BuckeyeLink](#). BuckeyeLink is available on a walk-in basis, no appointments necessary. Make sure to

sign up for direct deposit as well, as this will allow you to receive any eligible funding two to three days prior to the start of your program, instead of waiting for a mailed check.



Explore funding

FAQs

- What types of aid can I use to fund my education abroad program?
- Are there any types of aid I can't use?
- How do most students fund education abroad?
- Will my grants and scholarships increase because I'm studying abroad?
- What is the deadline for filing the FAFSA?
- What is the deadline for filing the OIA global education common application?
- I'm participating in an education abroad independent program — what financial aid can I receive?
- I need to buy my plane ticket a month prior to leaving the country — can I access my financial aid early to pay for it?
- How can I put together a successful scholarship application?

Global Education

Explore Programs

Getting Started



Getting Started Sessions

Ways to Go Abroad

Choosing a Program

Getting Started Academics

Funding

Accommodations and Disabilities

Application and Policies



Preparing to Depart



Health and Safety

Coming Home



Planning a Program



FAQ



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