

Cost Comparison Worksheet

This document is to help students compare the cost of attendance at two different study abroad programs, as well as compare the cost of these programs against the cost of attending VCU. This resource can also help students identify necessary costs when budgeting for studying abroad. Please be mindful of your exchange rate, and whether prices online are in U.S. dollars (USD) or local currency. Exchange rates can be calculated at https://www.xe.com/

Program Costs	Semester at VCU	Program 1 in USD	Program 2 in USD
Tuition & Fees			
Housing/Accommodation			
Meals			
Books & Supplies			
Study Abroad Specific Costs			
Education Abroad Administrative Fee (\$250.00)			
CISI Insurance			
Passport (if applicable)			
Visa (if applicable)			
Immunizations (if applicable)			
Transcript Fees (if applicable)			
Residency Fee (if applicable)			
Travel Related Expenses			
Round Trip Airline Ticket			
Transportation to/from Airport			
Local Transportation			
Extra Trips (for fun)			
Living Expenses			
Personal Spending Money			
Phone plan			
Laundry			
Other			
TOTAL			