



PARTNER INFORMATION SHEET





GENERAL INFORMATION

Full name of our university	Ashesi University
Website	www.ashesi.edu.gh Campus virtual tour
Number of students	1505 students 1430 Undergraduates, 75 Graduates 26% International Students
Nearest airport	Kotaka International Airport, Accra www.gacl.com.gh
Free Airport Pickup	Students must send their flight information by the deadline indicated by the Office of International Programs and Campus Cohesion. Provided you meet this deadline, irrespective of your arrival time, arrangements will be made for your transportation and an Ashesi personnel to pick you up from the Kotoka International Airport to campus upon arrival.
Contact for your students coming to Ashesi	International Programs and Campus Cohesion Office Location: Radichel Hall Rooms 207, 209 & 210 Mobile/WhatsApp: +233(0) 50 126 0277 Email: cohesion@ashesi.edu.gh



HOUSING

Is housing guaranteed?	On campus housing is guaranteed for all exchange students.
Types of housing	On campus dorm with 2-4 in a room occupancy, depending on availability at the time of exchange. Here's a link to students' experiences in Ashesi dorms https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y4PuXK-SRy0
Are meals included with housing?	For exchange partnerships (tuition, room and board) a meal plan is included in the program so students will receive a meal plan card that covers all three meals of the day served at any of the three cafeterias on campus. For other study abroad programs with no meal exchange component, students will have to either sign up for a meal plan of their choice at their own cost (costs will be shared during the application process) or buy meals out of pocket at the cafeterias. ***Please note that cooking is not allowed in on campus housing. There is however a kitchen that has a fridge and microwave in every hostel *** Students are expected to eat from the cafeterias on campus or warm up stored food at the hostel kitchen.
How do I sign up for a room?	Rooms are assigned to study abroad students as part of the application process. You do not need to sign up separately for your room. The type of room assigned is based on availability of room type at the time of the exchange program.
How many people share a bathroom and a kitchen?	2-4 people share a kitchen and bathroom, depending on your hostel and room allocation.
What means of transport are available?	The campus is a small campus so students can walk from the hostel to classes in 2-3mins. There are shared taxis outside the school gate to get into town. You can also order a ride through different providers (eg: Uber, Bolt)



DATES

Application Deadlines	Fall Semester: March 15th Spring Semester: October 15th Summer Semester: March 15th
Academic Calendar	Calendar: https://ashesi.edu.gh/academic-calendar/
Study Abroad Orientation	Dates and details will be communicated in offer letter.
Is the Study Abroad Orientation Mandatory?	Yes, students must arrive ahead of this date and on the arrival dates indicated in your welcome letter.
How do I register for Courses?	Your course registration is done on your behalf with your application and confirmed during the study abroad application. It is important to indicate more courses than you need in your application as back up for if you cannot get into a course you selected.



APPLICATION MATERIALS

Application link	Students can apply to study abroad at Ashesi after they have been nominated to Ashesi by their home institutions. Students' first step should be consulting their home institution's study abroad office Ashesi Study Abroad Application: Applicant Link
Documents to submit	• Completed <i>and</i> signed Application Form (above) • Official transcript from current University • 1 Passport photograph • 2 Recommendation Assessment Forms and Letters (faculty and non-faculty) • Dean of Students Reference Form • Proof of Medical Insurance Coverage • Application Essays • Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better • Course Request Form • Interview Scheduling Form



ACADEMICS

Areas of study available to exchange students

All majors are open to exchange students. Students just need to take majority of their courses at Ashesi in their majors back home. Students must ensure they meet the prerequisite for the courses they select to take. Students must also take a full course load of 4 courses and not more than 5.

Course Catalogue

Course Catalogue: <https://ashesi.edu.gh/course-catalogue/>

Academic Calendar

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Estimated Living Expenses? (excluding meals)

Approximately \$1200 for the semester



HEALTH INSURANCE AND IMMUNIZATION

Health Insurance

We require all study abroad students to either sign up on Ashesi's third party health insurance provider or sign up to a comprehensive plan with [Worldwide Travel Insurance Plans](#) | [Cultural Insurance Services International \(CISI\)](#) which is largely accepted in health facilities in Ghana and world wide.

What are the immunization requirements to travel and study in Ghana?

Yellow Fever Vaccination
Recommended: Tetanus shot
Must have started Malaria prophylaxis and have enough for the period of exchange or a plan to cover period of exchange.



SCHOLARSHIPS

Is there scholarship for study abroad students to study at Ashesi?

Ashesi provides scholarship which may cover either flight costs, housing or meal plan costs at Ashesi for **Canadian students only** to study with us for a semester.



INDEPENDENT STUDY

Is it possible to have an independent study as part of my study abroad at Ashesi?

Yes. Study abroad students can indicate their independent study interests as part of their study abroad application. Once the topic for the independent study details are received and there is availability of faculty to supervise this, students will be paired with a supervisor.



ACCESSIBILITY SUPPORT SERVICES

Is there support for Persons with Disability at Ashesi (PWD's)

Yes, there is an office of Accessibility Support Services that provides a host of support services for PWD's on our campus. View services here: [Accessibility Support Services](#)



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