



Information Sheet: Lehigh University 2023-2024

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Webpage for incoming exchange students	https://global.lehigh.edu/oiss/new-students/exchange

Nomination and Application

Fall Semester/ full academic year	<p>Fall semester: August 28 - December 20, 2023 Orientation generally begins one week prior</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Nomination deadline: 1 March 2023● Application deadline: 1 April 2023
Spring Semester	<p>Spring semester: January 24 - May 18, 2024 Orientation generally begins one week prior</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Nomination deadline: 1 October 2023● Application deadline: 1 November 2023
Nominated students list	Partners please fill-up the Online Nomination Form



Application	Nominated students should apply once their names are sent to Lehigh University via the online nomination form. Link will be provided directly to the student/s.
Eligibility	<p>Must be enrolled as full-time student at a partner institution of Lehigh University.</p> <p>Completed a minimum of 1 year of university level study (by the time s/he starts at Lehigh)</p> <p>A cumulative GPA of 2.7 or above on a 4.0 scale; or its equivalent</p>
Application documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Academic Transcript ● Statement of Purpose ● 1 Letter of Recommendation (LoR) ● English Proficiency requirements listed on above webpage for incoming exchange students

Admission and Course Registration

Admission process	<p>Application files are reviewed by the College/Department of study and acceptance letters are sent to students directly.</p> <p>Once accepted, students will be provided with a username, email, and Lehigh Identification number (LIN) as well as be connected with their academic advisor and the International Office.</p>
Semester course load	12 - 18 credits (4 - 6 courses)
Course registration	<p>Course registration is online. Students will be provided with instructions upon acceptance.</p> <p>During the application process, students will provide a sample of courses from the Course Catalog that they are interested in taking at Lehigh.</p> <p>Students will work with their academic advisor in selecting courses and to receive overrides where possible.</p>



Accommodation

Campus accommodation	<p>All exchange students are guaranteed campus accommodation in fully-furnished residence halls with laundry service.</p> <p>The housing office will send students information and instructions on how to apply for Upperclassmen Housing or upper-Class Themed Housing Communities.</p>
Meal plan	<p>Students can choose their meal plan based on their housing option.</p>
Campus facilities	<p>https://www2.lehigh.edu/student-life</p>

Visa and Health Insurance

Visa information	<p>Students will work with the International Students and Scholars office to determine visa requirements and documents needed.</p>
Health insurance	<p>Exchange students are required to have insurance during their stay in the U.S. and studies at Lehigh University. Coverage for a comprehensive set of services includes doctors' visits, hospital admissions, day surgery, emergency services, mental health and substance abuse, and prescription drug coverage. Lehigh requires all students on an F-1 or J-1 visa to be enrolled in the Student Health Insurance Plan, administered by University Health Plans, Inc.</p>