

Information for Students on Exchange

A. University	The University of Warwick https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/ Warwick Video
B. Country	United Kingdom
C. Academics	
i) Module Mapping & Credits Transfer	<p>Please ensure that your Study Plan is approved by the academics at your home faculty before the exchange.</p> <p>Modules approved in the past might not be offered by the host university or approved by your faculty when it is time for your exchange. Please check the latest course offerings at the host universities while you are preparing your Study Plan.</p>
ii) Academic Calendar	<p>Semester 2 (Spring & Summer): Early January to late June (including examination)</p> <p>https://warwick.ac.uk/study/termdates</p>
iii) Exchange Duration	<p>Full-year or semester 2 (Spring & Summer) exchange is strongly recommended due to overlapping academic calendar and the design of curriculum for certain modules.</p> <p>In order to earn sufficient credits to map back to NUS, NUS students should complete the Semester 2 (Spring and Summer term at Warwick) before returning to NUS.</p>
iv) Examination	<p>'VA' (visiting assessment) is not available for all subjects. Formal examination are held in the summer.</p> <p>Failure to select an approved method of examination or assessment will result in a zero mark on the transcript provided at the end of your placement here at Warwick.</p> <p>https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/inbound/modules/partyearstudents-examinationmethods/</p>
v) Curriculum Structure	<p>Most of the modules at Warwick are designed for year-long exchanges.</p> <p>Please use the following guide to calculate the part-year credit for each module listed:</p>

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Autumn term (1 Oct to 8 Dec 2018) - 40% 2. Autumn and Spring (1 Oct 2018 to 16 Mar 2019) - 80% 3. Spring (7 Jan to 16 Mar 2019) - 40% 4. Spring and Summer (7 Jan to 29 Jun 2019) - 60% <p>Full-year or semester 2 (Spring & Summer) exchange is strongly recommended if you wish to map credits back to NUS.</p>
<p>vi) Entry Requirements</p>	<p>You should:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. have completed a minimum of one year's undergraduate study at NUS; 2. Have a minimum 'B' average grade or 60% to 65% average marks; and no single grade below 'C' in the current/intended discipline/major 3. not be in the graduating semester of studies while on exchange; 4. propose an appropriate programme of study at the host university; 5. be proficient in English and able to communicate effectively in both academic and social settings; 6. show the aptitude, motivation and maturity, to thrive in the environment at the host university; and 7. have sufficient funds for all fees, personal and living expenses for the duration of the study abroad at the host university.
<p>vii) Language Proficiency Requirements</p>	<p>Applicants from NUS may be accepted without an English Language qualification. More information about English proficiency can be found on https://warwick.ac.uk/study/international/countryinformation/seasia/singapore/</p> <p>If you need to assure the UK Visa and Immigration office of your English language ability, it is recommended that you have at least one of the following documents to show it to the UK Visa and Immigration office:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singapore Cambridge O-Levels certificate with English language of grade C or better • International Baccalaureate (IB) with the respective grade for English • IELTS Academic - score of 6.5 and above
<p>viii) Modules Compatibility</p>	<p>Only UG modules are available to NUS exchange students.</p> <p>As Exchange students do not finalise their module choices until after they arrive at Warwick, Warwick cannot guarantee any specific modules to you before then. However the Warwick's Study Abroad team will give other guidance on module choices where possible.</p> <p>In order to avoid clashing timetable, you should take same level modules offer by the same department while on exchange at Warwick.</p>

	<p>For module catalogue, please refer to https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/inbound/modules/</p> <p>It is the student's responsibility to choose relevant modules at Warwick for mapping back to NUS in the semester of exchange.</p> <p>Suitable for students from the following faculties:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="472 607 1460 1010"> <tr> <td data-bbox="472 607 627 808">FASS</td> <td data-bbox="635 607 1460 808"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English Literature For other humanities modules, please check whether Warwick offers them for exchange student at https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/inbound/modules/ </td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="472 819 627 1010">FoE</td> <td data-bbox="635 819 1460 1010"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Material Science Engineering - Semester 2 or full-year exchange is possible Mechanical Engineering - Semester 2 or full-year exchange is possible </td> </tr> </table>	FASS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> English Literature For other humanities modules, please check whether Warwick offers them for exchange student at https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/inbound/modules/ 	FoE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Material Science Engineering - Semester 2 or full-year exchange is possible Mechanical Engineering - Semester 2 or full-year exchange is possible
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<p>ix) Module restrictions and pre-requisites</p>	<p>Postgraduate modules are not open to undergraduate exchange students.</p> <p>Modules from the following faculties/departments are NOT available to NUS students with no matching major (this list is not exhaustive):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Warwick Business School Warwick School of Law <p>Your base academic department at Warwick can affect which modules you can take e.g. in many cases you will be expected to select most of your modules from your base department.</p>				
<p>D. Application</p>					
<p>i) Procedures</p>	<p>NUS Registrar's Office will consolidate the nominations from NUS Faculties and Schools before submitting to Warwick. Nominated students must apply for exchange via Warwick's online application system before the stipulated deadlines.</p> <p>Student should apply as Worldwide Exchange student. https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/inbound/how/. Warwick will send the application instruction to nominated students.</p> <p>All semester 2 nomination should be received by NUS Registrar's Office on <u>30 June 2018</u> for onward transfer to Warwick before 31 July 2018.</p>				

<p>ii) Deadlines</p>	<p>All NUS student must abide by the internal application deadline set by their home faculty for exchange participation in the following academic year. After clearing the internal application and selection process, students have to take note of the application deadline set by the host university</p> <p>Failure to submit a formal application to the host university will result your exchange being forfeited even if you have been selected by NUS for the exchange.</p> <p>Warwick’s online application deadline for semester 2 exchange is 28 September. However, if you need Warwick’s accommodation, you are supposed to apply to Warwick for the exchange and for their accommodation before <u>31 July 2018</u>.</p>
<p>E. Accommodations</p>	
<p>i) University Accommodation</p>	<p>Warwick accommodation is not guaranteed and semester-based exchange students will have priority to get on-campus accommodation.</p> <p>https://warwick.ac.uk/services/accommodation</p> <p>Semester 2 exchange students should apply online for Warwick’s accommodation before 31 July 2018.</p>
<p>ii) Private Accommodation</p>	<p>Warwick Accommodation have a portfolio of private accommodation (off campus) accommodation. It is more usual for exchange students to live on campus. However, for students wishing to live off campus there are options available.</p> <p>More information is available here: https://warwick.ac.uk/services/accommodation/studentaccommodation/</p>
<p>F. Visa</p>	
<p>Consular/Visa Regulation</p>	<p>UK Visa and Immigration updates their immigration policy regularly. It is the student’s responsibility to check on the requirements via their website before they leave for the exchange.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-visas-and-immigration</p> <p><u>Short-term Study Visa for Semester Exchange</u></p> <p>If you are a Singapore citizen or a citizen of another country on the UK non-visa nationals list, and if your course of studies is less than 6 months, you can apply for:</p>

	<p>(1) single-entry Short Term Study Visa to the UK at the port of entry (free) or;</p> <p>(2) multiple-entry Short Term Study Visa prior to leaving your home country (£93).</p> <p>The single-entry Short Term Study Visa is free but if you leave the UK during your home university registration period you will need to re-apply as a short-term student when you re-enter; for this reason you should always travel with your short-term study visa support letter.</p> <p>Alternatively if you think you are likely to leave and re-enter the UK during your course you should apply for a multiple entry short-term study visa in advance of travelling to the UK.</p> <p>Non-visa nationals who enter the UK on a short-term study visa are required to leave the UK after the course end date given on your Short-term Study visa support letter. If you wish to travel within the UK after your studies you will need to exit the UK and re-enter as a Standard Visitor which you can do at port of entry.</p> <p>Citizens from a country that needs a visa to enter the UK should apply for the multiple-entry Short Term Study Visa prior to leaving for your overseas exchange. You can contact the external visa office approved by UK Visa and Immigration to apply for multiple-entry Short Term Study Visa.</p> <p>Applying for a single-entry Short-Term Study Visa is usually an easier and cheaper process than applying for a Tier 4 Student Visa, if you <u>do not</u> need a Tier 4 Student Visa, please do not apply for it.</p> <p><u>Tier 4 Student Visa for Full-Year exchange</u></p> <p>For students who need Tier 4 Student Visa, Warwick will issue the necessary CAS statement for Tier 4 Student Visa application. Applicants should ensure that they are fully aware of what they will need to do in order to successfully apply for a Tier 4 Student Visa. The CAS statement will contain a number that allows student to apply for a Tier 4 Student Visa. The application for Tier 4 Student Visa can take up to three months and students are advised to apply for the visa in advance of their intended date of travel to the UK.</p> <p>Your exchange at the host university depends on the clearance by the immigration of the host country.</p>
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G. Safety, Health & Medical Insurance

<p>i) Health/Medical Insurance</p>	<p>Students who are on exchange in UK for less than six months are not entitled to subsidised NHS treatment. Therefore semester based exchange students are encouraged to purchase additional insurance to cover medical costs,</p>
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	<p>hospitalisation expenses and emergency evacuation costs which might be incurred while they are on exchange.</p> <p>All registered NUS students are covered under the university health insurance and the blanket travel insurance. For more information on the university health insurance coverage, please refer to http://www.nus.edu.sg/uhc/services/billing-insurance/insurance-matters.html</p> <p>For more information on the blanket travel insurance, please refer to http://www.nus.edu.sg/finance/InsuranceCoverforOfficialNUSTrips.html</p> <p>If the insurance coverage is not enough, students are advised to purchase additional health and/or travel insurance from their preferred agent.</p> <p>Warwick's information about insurance can be found here: https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/frequentlyaskedquestions/inboundpreparingtotravelfags/</p>
<p>ii) Emergency Numbers</p>	<p>https://warwick.ac.uk/study/studyabroad/contact/emergencycontacts/ Tel: +44 (0)24 7652 2083</p>
<p>H. Cost of Living</p>	
<p>Estimated Monthly Living Expenses</p>	<p>It is important that you budget carefully during your studies at Warwick. As a minimum, you would need £800 per month to cover accommodation and living expenses. This does depend upon whether you live on or off campus, and your own lifestyle. It can be hard to calculate how much things will cost in the UK, but using the estimates on the International Student Office pages you should be able to work out your weekly expenditure.</p> <p>You also need to factor in the costs before you arrive, such as visa fees, health insurance fees, travel insurance, Orientation Programme, and travelling to and from the UK. If you are coming as a fee-paying visiting student, you will also need to consider tuition fees.</p>
<p>I. Useful Links</p>	
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