

Sample Student Budget: Global Learning Semesters (GLS)

Program Term: Fall 2009
 Program: Semester in Mexico

Students: Please read the instructions on the second page of this document. Note: A range is provided for expenses that fluctuate based on student spending habits

Program Fees and Student Expenses

Global Learning Semesters Fees	Low-End	High-End	Notes
GLS Program Fees	\$7,750	\$7,750	Detailed GLS fee breakdown is below if needed for financial aid
GLS Insurance (mandatory)	\$200	\$200	
Total Fees Payable to Global Learning Semesters	\$7,950	\$7,950	

With Program Discounts			Notes
By 1st Early Deposit Deadline January 15th, \$500)	\$7,450	\$7,450	Discounts apply for students who submit their \$1,000 non-refundable confirmation deposit by the discount deadline
By 2nd Early Deposit Deadline March 15th, \$250)	\$7,700	\$7,700	

Student Expenses	Low-End	High-End	
Airfare	\$300	\$600	Book early to lock in low prices
Additional Meals	\$400	\$1,200	Home stays have meal plans
Passport/Visa	\$100	\$160	Passport and visa costs on this program
Books and Supplies	\$100	\$150	Art, music or lab courses might have higher supply costs
Personal Transportation	\$400	\$800	
Personal Expenses	\$400	\$1,500	Varies according to student spending habits
Total Student Expenses	\$1,700	\$4,410	

Total Expenses \$9,650 \$12,360 This amount is calculated without early deposit discounts

Other Items To Note

Refundable Housing Damage Deposit	\$250	\$250	This amount is refunded if housing is not damaged
Non-Refundable Application Fee	\$50	\$50	

Detailed Breakdown of GLS Program Fees	Low-End	High-End	
Tuition	\$1,550	\$1,550	For up to 19 credit hours
Room	\$1,700	\$1,700	Home stay have meal plans
Fees	\$2,950	\$2,950	
Transportation	\$900	\$900	
Books/Supplies/Technology/Other	\$850	\$850	
Total	\$7,950	\$7,950	

GLS Program Fees for this program include: tuition and registration fees for up to 19 credit hours, official transcript, airport pickup on designated group arrival days, orientation guaranteed housing, welcome and local cultural activities, 2-3 days of in-country excursions, use of GLS cell phone handset (cost of calls is extra), on-site GLS staff, GLS staff on travel excursions, GLS administrative and advising fees

GLS Insurance includes up to \$100,000 of medical coverage (\$100 deductible), medical evacuation, and repatriation insurance

Housing Supplement Options

Single Room while in Guadalajara	\$400	\$400
Single Room while travelling	\$300	\$300
Single Room while in Guadalajara and travelling	\$700	\$700

Note: Housing supplement options are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed. If we are unable to accommodate a supplemental housing request, your supplemental housing fees will be refunded.

Instructions

Please take these estimates to your financial aid office to understand how much financial aid you are eligible for. You might be eligible for more financial aid than you currently receive if the cost of studying abroad is higher than your costs at your home institution.

Federal financial aid regulations allow the use of financial aid for all "reasonable" expenses associated with study abroad which commonly includes the categories listed in the GLS Fees and Student Expenses sections above (e.g. program fees, transportation, housing, insurance, etc)

The "low" and "high" costs listed in the Student Expenses section are meant to reflect the range of student spending practices.

We will execute "consortium agreements" with your financial aid office as needed to process financial aid. A GLS consortium agreement is included on page 3 of this document but we would be happy to work with the consortium agreement that your university uses.

Consortium agreements can be faxed to: (703) 935-0519, ATTN: Admissions

Please contact your student advisor for more information if needed.

Questions?

Please call your student advisor at (877) 300-7010 (toll-free)

or

Email us at: Support@GlobalSemesters.com

or

Submit a question from within your Student Explorer account

Notes

While Global Learning Semesters, Inc. takes reasonable efforts to provide accurate information in this document, there is no guarantee or warranty of accuracy.

All fees in this document are subject to change without notice. Students who have paid their fees will not be subject to price changes.

Student Expenses are estimates, will vary based on the personal financial practices of an individual student and are impacted by currency fluctuations