

University of Stirling 2026-2027

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Useful Websites

University of Stirling

www.stir.ac.uk

Incoming Study Abroad Students

www.stir.ac.uk/international/study-abroad-exchange/coming-to-stirling/

Visa Information

<https://www.stir.ac.uk/international/international-students/visa/>

Cost of Living

<https://www.stir.ac.uk/student-life/support-wellbeing/student-support-services/>



Nomination and Applications

Exchange students must be nominated by their home university by 1st April (autumn semester) and 1st October (spring semester).

The application process is outlined on this website:

<https://www.stir.ac.uk/international/study-abroad-exchange/coming-to-stirling/how-to-apply/>

Nominations and all application documentation should be emailed to studyabroadIN@stir.ac.uk.



Module selection and enrolment

Students are required to select their preferred course modules and include them on the application form. It is helpful for students to select up to six modules, and they will ultimately be enrolled for their preferred three.

Three course modules is the standard full time load for all students. One University of Stirling module is equivalent of 10 ECTS credits. We are unable to enrol students for more than three modules. Students should select their modules from the study abroad course catalogue:

<https://portal.stir.ac.uk/calendar/calendar.jsp?view=visiting>



Important dates

Autumn Semester 2026

29 April (Wednesday)	Application deadline
10 September (Thursday)	Arrival and access to University housing
13 September (Sunday)	Orientation for new study abroad students
14 September (Monday)	Classes begin
26- 30 October (inclusive)	Mid semester reading week
18 December (Friday)	Examinations end

Spring semester 2027

14 October (Wednesday)	Application deadline
9 January (Saturday)	Arrival and access to University housing
17 January (Sunday)	Orientation for new study abroad students
18 January (Sunday)	Classes begin
1- 5 March (inclusive)	Mid semester reading week
7 May (Friday)	Examinations end



Accommodation

University housing is available for incoming study abroad students in selected on and off campus residences. Our off-campus housing options are located a short bus journey from the main campus, and properties are owned and managed by the university.

Accommodation is allocated on a first come first served basis. Students will be able to apply for accommodation after they have accepted their offer of admission:

<https://www.stir.ac.uk/student-life/accommodation/how-to-apply/visiting-students/>



International Summer School

Our dynamic International Summer School offers a rewarding, once-in-a-lifetime experience, through our well-rounded education, social and cultural programme. The summer school runs over two four-week blocks between June and August, with students choosing to attend either block 1, block 2 or both blocks. All summer school modules are worth 3 US credits / 5 ECTS credits and include topics such as:

Writing short stories, Landscape Photography, Witchcraft in Early Modern Scotland, Audio Podcasting, Education and Sport.

<https://www.stir.ac.uk/international/international-summer-school/>

Important Dates - ISS 2026

6 April (Monday)*	Application deadline
6 June - 4 July	Block 1
4 July - 1 August	Block 2

***All dates are subjects to changes**

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