

Germany - Paderborn
Estimated Budget
AY 2024-2025

Costs Billed to Student's ISU Account

(billed in July, balance due first week of August for Fall term;
billed in December, balance due first week of January for Spring term)

	Euros	Fall	Spring
ISU Undergraduate Tuition (2 hours based on 2023-2024 catalog year)		\$ 804.38	\$ 804.38
Study Abroad Instructional Cost: Paderborn Tuition (waived for exchange students)		\$ -	\$ -
Exchange Program Fee		\$ 310.00	\$ 310.00
Study Abroad Non-Refundable Application Fee		\$ 300.00	\$ -
Mandatory International Health Insurance (for entire duration of program)		\$ 334.13	\$ -
		\$ 1,748.51	\$ 1,114.38

Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student

Passport		\$ 165.00	\$ -
Expedited Passport Fee (may be required if passport ordering is delayed)		\$ 60.00	\$ -
Round-Trip Airfare from O'Hare International Airport		\$ 1,400.00	\$ 1,400.00
Residence Permit/Study Visa	€ 110.00	\$ 124.39	\$ -
German Health Insurance (approx. €110/month, required by German government)	€ 550.00	\$ 621.97	\$ 621.97
Student Residence Halls: (€360-€420/month x 5 months, plus one-time €400 payment)			
Includes: single room, shared kitchen, utilities; cable TV extra	€ 2,400.00	\$ 2,714.04	\$ 2,714.04
Mandatory Germany government ARD ZDF Broadcast Contribution Fee (per household, can be shared by tenants living together in one household €17.50/month)	€ 17.50	\$ 91.88	\$ 87.50
Paderborn Semester Fee (includes semester travel ticket and social fees)	€ 350.00	\$ 395.80	\$ 395.80
Meals (estimate €250/month)	€ 1,250.00	\$ 1,413.56	\$ 1,413.56
Personal Expenses (does not include travel)		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
		\$ 7,986.64	\$ 7,632.87

Total Estimated Cost of Program

\$ 9,735.15 \$ 8,747.25

Exchange rate: 1 Euro (€) = \$ 1.07700

Please note that this itemized budget sheet is a per term estimate accurate at the time of publication and is subject to change. The "Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student" section is based on estimates and it addresses basic necessities and light to moderate personal expenses. Costs can fluctuate based on changes in currency exchange rates, tuition and fees increases, varying personal lifestyles, etc.

Financial Aid: Financial aid and scholarships may be applied to the costs of studying abroad. Please visit:
<http://financialaid.illinoisstate.edu/>

ISU Tuition: All students participating in an OIE-sponsored Study Abroad Program are billed for two credit hours of tuition based on the catalog year they first enrolled at ISU. For more information on your tuition rate please visit:
<https://studentaccounts.illinoisstate.edu/billing/undergraduate-tuition/>

OIE Study Abroad Withdrawal Policy: Please visit:
<https://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/cost/withdrawal/>

Program Dates: TBD

Arrive in Paderborn: Early September

Pre-semester crash course start and orientation: First week of September

Winter Semester Lecture Period Begins: First week of October

Winter Semester Lecture Period Ends: Late January, Early February (Please note: exams might take place after the end of the lecture period)

Summer Semester Lecture Period Begins: Early April

Summer Semester Lecture Period Ends: Mid July (Please note: exams might take place after the end of the lecture period)