

Study Aboard: Introduction to the Cruise Industry
Estimated Budget
Winter Break 2025

Costs Billed to Student's ISU Account

(billed in July, balance due first week of August)

10 students

ISU Undergraduate Tuition (2 hours based on 2024-2025 catalog year)	\$ 804.38
Study Abroad Non-Instructional Cost	
Cruise Stateroom Deposit	\$ 125.00
Faculty Support	\$ 340.66
Study Abroad Non-Refundable Application Fee (billed upon acceptance)	\$ 300.00
Mandatory International Health Insurance	\$ 20.07
	\$ 1,590.11

Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student

Passport	\$ 165.00
Round Trip Airfare to San Juan	\$ 500.00
Tourist Visas (not required for U.S. citizens for stays under 90 days)	\$ -
Cruise Program Fee*	
<i>Cruise Stateroom Deposit made by ISU on behalf of student and billed to ISU Student Account</i>	\$ 125.00
<i>First Payment (paid directly to Norwegian Cruise Line) due May 8, 2025</i>	\$ 500.00
<i>Second Payment (paid directly to NCL) due June 6, 2025</i>	\$ 500.00
<i>Third payment paid directly to Norwegian Cruise Line by July 18, 2025</i>	\$ 500.00
<i>Balance paid directly to Norwegian Cruise Line by August 11, 2025</i>	\$ 375.00
<i>Total Cruise Program Fee</i>	\$ 2,000.00
Cruise Excursions (to be paid Sept. 5th to NCL)	\$ 400.00
Additional Meals	\$ 40.00
Personal Expenses (does not include travel)	\$ 100.00
	\$ 3,080.00

Total Estimated Cost of Program

\$ 4,670.11

***Cruise Program Fee Includes:** Hotel night before the cruise; Transfers from airport to cruise port and from cruise port to airport night cruise fare and taxes on Norwegian Cruise Line with solo room, all meals on board, and all onboard gratuities. Students will excursion credit and \$100 OBC Please note that the program fee cost is an estimate, cruise rates are subject to change and may

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 expenses. Costs can fluctuate based on changes in currency exchange rates, tuition and fees increases, varying personal

Financial Aid: Financial Aid and scholarships may be applied to the costs of studying abroad. Please visit:

<http://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/cost/financialaid/>

ISU Tuition: All students participating in an OIE-sponsored Study Abroad Program are billed for two credit hours of tuition based on the year they first enrolled at ISU. For more information on your tuition rate please visit:

<http://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/>

OIE Study Abroad Withdrawal Policy: Please visit:

<http://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/apply/withdrawal/>

Cruise Line Withdrawal Policy:

<https://www.ncl.com/about/cancellation-fee-schedule>

120 days prior to cruise departure: 100% cruise fare are refundable

119-91 days- 75% cruise fare

90-61 Days-50% cruise fare refundable

60-31 days- 25% cruise fare refundable

Program Dates: 7 night cruise

Depart ORD to Suan Juan, PR December 13, 2025

Cruise Departs: December 14 2025

Return to IL: December 21,2025

Route:San Juan

Aruba

Curacao

Bonaire

St. Lucia

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