

Honors City as Text in South Africa
Estimated Budget
Summer 2025

Costs Billed to Student's ISU Account
(billed in April balance due first week of May)

	10-14 students	15-19 students	20-24 students
ISU Undergraduate Tuition (Cost covered by Honors Program Tuition Waiver)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<i>Study Abroad Non-Instructional Costs:</i>			
Faculty Support	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Study Abroad Non-Refundable Application Fee (billed upon acceptance)	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
Mandatory International Health Insurance	\$ 36.48	\$ 36.48	\$ 36.48
	\$ 336.48	\$ 336.48	\$ 336.48

Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student

Passport (if you do not already have one)	\$ 165.00	\$ 165.00	\$ 165.00
Expedited Passport Fee (may be required if passport ordering is delayed)	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00
Round-Trip Airfare from O'Hare International Airport	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Student Visa (not required for stays under 6 months for U.S. citizens)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
EF Tours Program Fee	\$ 5,959.00	\$ 5,859.00	\$ 5,359.00
Additional Meals	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Personal Expenses (does not include travel)	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00
	\$ 6,384.00	\$ 6,284.00	\$ 5,784.00

Total Estimated Cost of Program	\$ 6,720.48	\$ 6,620.48	\$ 6,120.48
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EF Tours Program Fee Includes: *Transportation: Round trip international flights; Group transfer from airport on arrival and departure day; Round trip transportation for all out-of-town excursion; ***Housing***: Hotel accommodations in rooms with private bathrooms; ***Activities***: Overnight visits in Johannesburg, Kruger National Park area, and Cape Town; ***Included Meals***: Daily breakfast, 4 lunches, and 4 dinners.

Program Dates:

Depart U.S: May 12, 2025
Return to US: May 22, 2025

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 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 may be applied to the costs of studying abroad. Students interested in receiving financial aid should contact Office of Financial Aid, Hovey Hall 101, (309) 438-2231.
<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/>

EF Tours Withdrawal Policy:

Cancellations 150 days or more prior to departure: Full refund less \$95 non-refundable fees, all non-refundable fees, and \$300 cancellation fee
Cancellations 149 to 95 days prior to departure: Full refund less \$95 non-refundable fees, all non-refundable fees, and a \$500 cancellation fee