Session 1: Academics

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Office of International Education and Study Abroad

Study, intern, research, and volunteer in over 60 countries while earning credit toward ANY degree! **Opportunity Roars!**

- Take major, minor, general education, and/or elective credits.
- Programs as short as ten days, three weeks or a full semester/year.
- Go with fellow Jags and a USA professor or travel independently.
- Study abroad as early as freshman year!





MYTH: Study Abroad is too expensive.

- USA Academic Scholarships
- Office of International Education Scholarships (JagSPOT)
- Financial Aid
- VA Benefits
- External (nationally competitive) Scholarships
- Fundraising/Grants
- Personal funds/savings

Exchange vs. Home Tuition

Based on the 24-25 tuition for 1 semester and 15 credit hours

In-State Student				
Exchange Tuition	**USA A&S/Education**	**USA Allied Health/Comp**	**USA Business**	**USA Engineering**
$5,610	$5,610	$5835	$5985	$6060
	$0	$225	$375	$450

Out-of-State Student				
Exchange Tuition	**USA A&S/Education**	**USA Allied Health/Comp**	**USA Business**	**USA Engineering**
$5,610	$11,220	$11,670	$11,970	$12,120
	$5,610	$6,060	$6,360	$6,510





Go Where Only Jaguars Dare!

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Search “Study Abroad” on USA website

Welcome to USA!

We are here to support your students as they embark on this journey.

Today, we'll discuss:

- **Establishing habits that lead to success,**
- **Expanding students' horizons through study abroad opportunities,**
- **Free academic resources for students, and**
- **Useful websites for you and your student**

  (Academic Calendar, PAWS, South AL Family Connect)

Student Academic Success





Ready. South. Go.

How do we define student success?



Our students are successful when they are able to

1. Develop personally and professionally.
2. Meet their educational goals.
3. Engage in positive relationships.
4. Meet their first career goal.





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We're Here to Help!

Records

- AP, CLEP, dual enrollment
- Grades, GPA, Academic Standing
- Transcripts (official and unofficial)
- Transfer credit evaluations
- Updates to personal information

Registration

- Course registration
- Enrollment verifications (e.g., good student insurance discount)
- Residency reclassification (in-state v. out of state)
- Schedule of classes

Graduation

- Awarding of degrees
- Change of major
- Commencement
- Degree audit system
- Degree verifications
- Diploma production

FERPA

Join the South Alabama Family Connection and connect with your student!

Scan me!





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https://www.southalabama.edu/departments/registrar/

Grading

- Grading deadlines are published in the Academic Calendar (https://www.southalabama.edu/academiccalendar/)
- Grades are visible in PAWS (Personal Access Web System)
- Mid-term grades are posted ~ 7 weeks into the fall and spring semesters
- Final grades are posted 3-4 business days after the last day of final exams



Transfer Credit

- Transfer Center: https://www.southalabama.edu/departments/admissions/transfer.html
- Transfer work must be from regionally accredited post-secondary institutions.
- An official evaluation of transfer credit will be performed once USA receives an official document. Students may view transferred credit within 5-7 business days via the unofficial transcript in PAWs.

