Incoming Exchange Student Timeline

Fall Semester & Academic Year



Home institution sends

your official nomination

to the ASU Global

Education Office

(December - March)

Upon your nomination approval, instructions are emailed to start your ASU application

(7-10 days after nomination)

Review and submit your ASU application by April 1 deadline

Wait 3 weeks after submitting ASU application for your official acceptance email containing next steps

Organize housing options & airfare at your own discretion (February - July)

Receive housing option information (February - April as students are admitted)

Receive course registration information & register for courses (February - May as students are admitted)

Activate student account and submit proof of MMR immunizations (ideally, within 3 weeks of receiving acceptance email)

Retrieve ASU acceptance letter and DS-2019 from home university international office sent via mail (Late May)

Obtain J-1 Exchange Visa and keep original document for when you enter U.S. (May - July)

Arrive in U.S., attend mandatory orientation, and complete immigration check-in (mid-August)

Pay balance on ASU account by August 25 deadline

Grade reports sent to home

Fall: Late January Academic Year: Late June

university

Move out of housing/Depart the U.S. Fall: December - January Academic Year: May - June

Participate in courses Fall Only: mid-August - mid-December Academic Year: mid-August - early May

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