What is International Exchange?

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International Exchange

- Study only
- Asia, Australia, Mexico, North America
- South Africa (Law Only)
- Single semester / Full academic year
- Destination options depend on your subject area
- Available at Level 2 or Level 3
- No tuition fees payable to host
- No additional funding available
Summer School Options

• Various locations
• Various durations
  • 4-6 weeks typically
• All levels, all degrees
• Fees payable
  • Though some discounts and funded places available, depending on destination
What is the process for Exchange?

1. Go Abroad Fair

2. Research (website, join info sessions, contact your Go Abroad Tutor, do your own research)

3. Prepare your exchange study plan for your application.

4. Apply in January – Application period **18- 29 Jan 2021**

5. Outcome received in February and, if accepted, begin the next steps & application to partner in March.
Tell me about the application...

- There is a single application deadline (in January), regardless of whether you plan to study abroad in September or January.

  **Full instructions on how to apply, and also a short instructional video can be found on our webpages.**

- In order to apply, you should have an overall C average, and be on track to achieve:

  - 120 Credit points at the end of 1st year and/or
  - 240 Credit points at the end of 2nd year
Things to remember

• We do not have unlimited places at each host
• Some hosts are incredibly popular and highly competitive
• There is no funding for International Exchange
• Have a realistic mindset and we will get you abroad!
Common mistakes students make...

• **NOT** actually reading the full instructions on how to apply on website or watching our short instructional [video](#)

• **NOT** doing their research into their chosen hosts

• **NOT** contacting the appropriate Go Abroad Tutor(s) for guidance

• **NOT** looking into the costs

• Spending their application telling us why they want to go on holiday

• **DON’T** tell us how beautiful the city is, how you've always had a 'calling' to visit there, how you have family there, how you can't wait to go skiing or surfing. We want to hear your **academic** motivations, not holiday aspirations.
Oh the places you’ll go...
Stay tuned...

Sign up to our mailing list to be notified about our other exchange information sessions and opportunities to hear from our partners.

Happening throughout December!
Any questions?

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