

Fact Sheet for Student Exchange
Department of Chinese Language and Literature,
Fudan University
2023-2024 Academic Year

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| Name of the University | Fudan University | |
| Department | Department of Chinese Language and Literature | |
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| Website for Exchange-related Information | Department of Chinese Language and Literature: http://chinese.fudan.edu.cn/ Office of Global Partnerships: https://ogp.fudan.edu.cn/ Online Application: http://admission.iso.fudan.edu.cn Dorm Booking: http://www.fso.fudan.edu.cn/en/ Course Registration: (Undergraduate): http://xk.fudan.edu.cn Course Registration (Graduate): http://www.gs.fudan.edu.cn/gseenglish/ International Students Office: http://iso.fudan.edu.cn/en | |
| Exchange Categories | Chinese Department provides two different exchange programs for you, you must choose ONLY ONE of them: 1. General Advanced Program (taking undergraduate-level courses), one semester 2. General Advanced Program (taking undergraduate-level courses), one academic year 3. Senior Advanced Program (taking graduate-level courses), one semester 4. Senior Advanced Program (taking graduate-level courses), one academic year | |
| Application Materials and Procedures | | |
| Deadline for Nomination and Application | Fall Semester/ Term 1 | Spring Semester / Term 2 |
| | Nomination by Jun. 2 Application by Jun.10 | Nomination by Oct. 30 Application by Nov. 10 |

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| Check List for Application (documents only need to be uploaded in the application system, NO hardcopies required) | 1. Photocopy of valid Passport (information page, at least 6 months' period of validity) 2. ID photo (Passport-sized, JPG format, white background) 3. Official academic transcript 4. Language Proficiency Certificate, if applicable 5. Study plan | |
| Language Requirements | Students from non-Chinese-native counties: Chinese-taught Courses: new HSK 4 suggested (or equivalent level) If exchange students only plan to attend Chinese language courses, please contact chinesefu@fudan.edu.cn for course availability at certain semester. | |
| Online Application Website | http://admission.iso.fudan.edu.cn Program code: 1. P2023080189 General Advanced Program (taking undergraduate-level courses), one semester 2. P2023080191 General Advanced Program (taking undergraduate-level courses), one academic year 3. P2023070190 Senior Advanced Program (taking graduate-level courses), one semester 4. P2023080192 Senior Advanced Program (taking graduate-level courses), one academic year | |
| Application Processing Period | Fall Semester / Term 1 | Spring Semester / Term 2 |
| | Mar. 20 - Jun. 10 | Oct.1 - Nov. 15 |
| When should the Admission Package be expected? | Late- June | Mid- December |
| Academic calendar | See below the table | |
| Classes Period | 2023-09-04 ~ 2024-01-06 | 2024-02-26 ~ 2024-06-29 |
| Examinations | 2023-12-25 ~ 2024-01-05 | 2024-06-17 ~ 2024-06-28 |
| Public Holidays (usually with long weekends, subject to change) | Mid-Autumn Day: 2023-09-29~30 National Day:2023-10-01~06 New Year's Day: 2024-01-01 | Ching Ming Festival: 2023-04-05 Labor Day: 2023-04-29~05-03 Dragon Boat Festival: 2023-06-22~24 |
| Recommended arrival dates (tentative dates) | Fall Semester / Term 1 | Spring Semester / Term 2 |
| | Around Sept. 1, 2023 | Around Feb.16, 2024 |

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| Is airport pick-up service available? | No. Fudan does not offer airport pick-ups. Taxis in Shanghai are comparatively cheap and convenient. | |
| Is orientation program available? If yes, when will it be held? | Fall Semester / Term 1 | Spring Semester / Term 2 |
| | Sept. 1, 2023 (tentative dates) | Feb. 23, 2024 (tentative dates) |
| Cost of orientation program | Free of charge | |
| Medical insurance | | |
| Are exchange students required to purchase a compulsory medical insurance plan? | No matter whether the exchange students has already bought insurance in home country or not, Ministry of Education of P. R. China requires that foreign students buy Compulsory Health Insurance at host university in China since 2008. | |
| If yes, please provide details. | The cost is 400 RMB for one semester (4 Months). (Introduction Link: http://en.lxbx.net/#slide1) Refer to: Plan Package - 800 for International students) | |
| Is purchase of medical insurance recommended? | Purchase of medical insurance or accident insurance in home country as a supplement to Compulsory Medical Insurance is also recommended | |
| Visa Requirements | | |
| Are exchange students required to obtain a student visa? | Yes. Chinese Student Visa type: X1 or X2. X1 visa – two semester exchange X2 visa – one semester exchange | |
| If yes, what are the procedures? | (X2 holders are able to apply for an extra enter chance during the exchange) Refer to visa requirements on local consulates' websites. | |
| Is there any physical examination needed? | Students must do physical examination after enrollment at Fudan if they stay in mainland China for more than 180 days. Physical exam costs RMB660 yuan and Resident Permit costs RMB400 yuan. To have a physical examination after enrollment at Fudan is recommended because the verification of home physical examination record will probably fail due to different physical examination system. | |
| Are exchange students allowed to do off-campus internship? | Yes, General Advanced and Senior Advanced students can do off-campus internship, but need to apply for internship notation. Chinese language students are not allowed to do off-campus internship. | |
| University-administered | Lodging Fees (Current Rate. Subject to change in Fall, 2023) | |

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| accommodation | Main Building: (Subject to change) Single-bed room:80 RMB/day, double-bed room:55 RMB/day Supplementary Building: Single-bed room in a shared apartment: 45 RMB/day In addition to the above, other applicable charges include: RMB800 for room reservation (prepaid, counted as part of rent) RMB200 as Room and Key Deposit (Refundable) Living Utilities Fee (electricity, water and internet) Information: https://iso.fudan.edu.cn/isoenglish/16212/list.htm | |
| | Private accommodation | Types Rental charges Inns, Airbnbs & Hotels (close to campus) Around 180 RMB/day 3000-5000 RMB/month |
| Food/Meals | Around 6000 RMB for one semester | |
| Personal expenses | Around 1000 RMB/month (laundry, sundries, transportation) | |
| Academic expenses | e.g. books Around 500 RMB for one semester | |
| Insurance | 400 RMB for one semester | |
| Mid-term course dropping fee (for undergraduate students) | If students apply to drop a course during mid-term, they will have to pay 130 RMB per credit, same as local Fudan students. | |
| University-Administered / On-Campus Accommodation | | |
| Is university-administered accommodation available for exchange students? | Yes. Housing fee and Utilities will be counted separately | |
| Is availability guaranteed? | Not guaranteed. Exchange students apply online by themselves. | |
| What is the application procedure? | Apply online at http://www.fso.fudan.edu.cn/en/ (The E-Booking System will usually be opened one month after the admission, no earlier application allowed) | |
| Is accommodation available over semester breaks? | Available only for exchange students staying for a whole academic year (two semesters). Over semester breaks accommodation fees will be counted by days. | |
| If university-administered | If students cannot manage to book a room at International Students | |

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| accommodation is not available, will there be any assistance in finding private housing? | <p>Dormitory, try the following resources ASAP:</p> <p>1. Unijia International Student Village Add: Leisure Square, 173 Handan Road (15 minutes' walk to Fudan) Booking: booking@unijia.net Price Reference: RMB 180-220/day (single room); RMB 120/day (Double Room)</p> <p>2. Youlian Huachen Hotel Apartment 友联华宸酒店公寓 Add: 195 Handan Road (5 minutes' walk to Fudan) Booking: +86 21 65569979, youlian3588@163.com</p> |
| How many teaching weeks are there in a semester? | 18 weeks per semester (16 teaching weeks + 2 exam weeks) |
| How is a credit point defined? | One instruction hour (45 minutes) per week throughout the semester stands for one credit at Fudan. An academic semester includes 18 weeks. |
| Is course information (e.g. description, syllabus) available online? | <p>English-taught Course List, Schedule and Syllabus are available at: https://ogp.fudan.edu.cn/16092/list.htm</p> <p>You can also find the Chinese Course List (all courses) there.</p> |
| Can students extend their exchange stint? If yes, please advise application deadline and procedures. | <p>Yes. Application deadlines: May 20 (for Fall Semester) or Nov. 1 (for Spring Semester)</p> <p>Procedures: get permission from Study Abroad Office of home institution first and then apply to Office of Global Partnerships at Fudan for extension.</p> |
| Restricted program or courses (not open to exchange students) | <p>According to agreements clauses.</p> <p>Other restrictions include the following: MBA courses, LLM courses, medical courses, special programs in faculties (e.g. International Cultural Exchange School)</p> |
| Courses that are only available in one particular semester | Spring and Fall course schedules are different. |
| What is normal exchange student load per semester? | 6-15 credits for one semester (2-8 courses) (10 credits per semester on average) |
| Are students allowed to take cross-faculty courses? If yes, are there any restrictions? | <p>Yes.</p> <p>As long as the courses can be registered online successfully.</p> |

