

General Information

Q1. Full name of your institution in English

New York University

Q2. Brief introduction of your institution (up to 200 words) and the URL

New York University (NYU) is a world-class university and international center of scholarship, teaching and research that strives to attract outstanding faculty who are leaders in their fields, encouraging them to create programs that draw outstanding students and provide an intellectually rich environment. NYU is a leader in global education, with degree-granting campuses in Abu Dhabi and Shanghai, as well as 15 study away sites throughout the world.

New York University is located in New York City, and is the largest private university in the United States. The center of NYU is the Washington Square campus, located in the heart of Greenwich Village and in one of the city's most creative and energetic communities. NYU removes the boundaries between the classroom and the real world to open limitless opportunities to students.

Facts & Figures

Founded in: 1831

Undergraduate students: 29,471

Tenured and tenure-track: 1,459

Non-tenure-track/contract: 3,174

Total Faculty: 4,633

Library holding: over 5.9 million volumes

NYU at a Glance Website: <https://www.nyu.edu/about/news-publications/nyu-at-a-glance.html>

Q3. Student quota: number of exchange students you can accommodate from Waseda University in the academic year 2027-28 (please refer to the agreement)

3 students will be admitted for the Global Leadership Fellows Program.

Q4. Categories of exchange students you will accept (e.g., undergraduate students with 2 semesters completed, graduate students, master's students, doctoral students)

Undergraduate students only with at least 2 semesters of university coursework completed.

Q5. Do you admit undergraduate students without prior studies in the relevant disciplines?

Some upper level courses have prerequisites, and admittance would usually be at the discretion of the instructor.

Q6. Academic calendar 2027-28 (e.g., fall semester: Sep.-Dec., spring semester: Jan.-June)

Website link:

<https://www.nyu.edu/students/student-information-and-resources/registration-records-and-graduation/academic-calendar.html?semester=Fall%202027>

*Autumn Quarter: September 1, 2027 – December 21, 2027

*Spring Quarter: January 18, 2028 – May 11, 2028

Q7. Is enrollment open to students of any nationality including your own country? If "no", please specify all restrictions.

Yes, enrollment is open to all students of any nationality, including U.S. citizens. If a student is a US citizen, they would not require a visa if entering the US with their US passport .

Admission Requirements

Q8. GPA requirement on the 4-point scale (Please also indicate any other specific requirements regarding grades.)

3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale.

Q9. Language(s) of instruction:
English

If it is English, please answer Q9-a and Q9-e

If it is other than English, please answer Q9-b, Q9-c and Q9-e.

If it varies from program to program, please answer all questions below.

Q9-a. TOEFL requirements: Please specify the required minimum score on the 1–6 TOEFL scale (instead of the previous 0–120 scale). If there are any minimum section-score requirements, please specify those as well.

Students are required to submit English language test results to demonstrate English proficiency. All students must include with their applications an **official copy** of their test results before the application deadline. The results cannot be more than **2 years old** by application submission.

Accepted Tests:	Required for which Students?	We do not have any minimum test score requirements, but competitive applicants will receive:
TOEFL iBT	Accepted for <u>undergraduate or graduate</u> applicants	100 and above if taken on or before January 20, 2026 OR 5 or above (overall score and subscores) if taken on or after January 21, 2026
IELTS Academic	Accepted for <u>undergraduate or graduate</u> applicants	Score of 7.5 and above
PTE Academic	Accepted for <u>undergraduate</u>	70 and above
Cambridge English: Advanced (C1) or Proficiency (C2)	Accepted for <u>undergraduate</u>	191 and above
Duolingo English Test	Accepted for <u>undergraduate</u>	135 and above

Q9-b. Language proficiency requirement(s) other than English (please give details if you require minimum scores of any tests, specific language proficiency certificates, or any other language requirement):
N/A

Q9-c. Tuition-waived L2 beginner courses in the local language (other than English) are available for exchange students through a year? If "yes", please go to Q9-d. If "no", please go to Q9-e.

No

Q9-d. How many class hours per week of the L2 beginner courses in the local language (other than English) do you have?

N/A

Q9-e. Is there any possibility that you may accept an exchange student whose language proficiency does not meet your admission requirement? If "yes", please go to Q9_f. If "no", please go to Q9_h.

No

Q9-f. If your answer to Q9-e is "yes", what level of language proficiency should the student preferably have before arriving at your institution? (e.g., beginner, daily conversation)

N/A

Q9-g. If your answer to Q9-e is "yes", please list programs and/or courses that the student may take. The programs and courses must be (1) open to exchange students, (2) tuition-waived and (3) 1-year long.

N/A

Q9-h. Do you offer sufficient courses in English for exchange students to meet your course load recommendations if they take only courses in English throughout the academic year?

Yes

Other Information

Q10. Programs and/or courses not open to exchange students from Waseda University

Undergraduate exchange students are not assigned to specific schools or faculties. Undergraduate exchange students have access to all undergraduate courses offered at NYU, provided that they meet the course's requirements and space is available. Please refer to the *Course Registration, Availability and Restrictions* section in our fact sheet for more details.

NYU will make every effort to assist exchange students to register for the courses they request. However, students should understand that not all courses listed in the school bulletins will be offered each semester, and some courses will have limited enrollment capacity and/or prerequisites that may prevent them from enrolling in the course. We strongly advise that students do not plan to complete specific degree requirements for their home schools while studying at NYU, due to limited capacity.

In addition, several undergraduate departments restrict enrollments by non-majors until after students majoring in that discipline have enrolled, including:

- All departments in the Stern School of Business
- Most departments in Tisch School of the Arts, with the exception of Open Arts courses in the Spring semester
- Most departments in Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development
- Most departments in the College of Nursing
- Some departments in the College of Arts and Sciences (Economics, Data Science, Biology and Computer Science and Math in the Courant Institute of Mathematics)
- Many departments in Tandon's School of Engineering (Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Integrated Digital Media, and Biomolecular Sciences)

Q11. Types of accommodation available to exchange students and estimated fees

On-campus Housing

Exchange students have the option to apply for a room in NYU managed residence hall, however, NYU housing is not guaranteed. Students who are requesting to live in the residence halls may submit the housing waitlist application and will receive information on their enrollment portal after admissions on how to apply. Residence halls offered to exchange students vary from apartment-style with shared kitchen areas to traditional hall style, although most will be placed in apartment-style housing.

Estimates below are based on 2026-2027. 2027-2028 rates are in progress.

- **On-Campus Housing:** \$5,500 – \$14,360 per semester (2026-2027 Proposed Housing Rates). Please visit the [Housing Rates and Payments website](#) for more information.
- **Food/Meals:** University meal plans range from \$1,732- \$3,455 per semester (2026-2027 rates) depending on the plan and campus location. For more meal plan info visit [NYU's Meal Plan Website](#). Meal plans are required for students living in NYU Housing. Students living off-campus are also welcome to purchase meal plans.

Q12. How much will estimated room and board fees be for a 10-month stay? Please tell us a rough overall amount in your currency (ex. 5000 euro).

In general, you can expect your regular monthly living expenses (excluding housing costs) to be at least \$1200-\$1500 (or at least \$15,00 for a 10-month stay).

Q12-a. Please break down the overall amount answered in Q12.

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- **Books:** ~\$300-500 per semester.
- **Local transportation:** varies; approximately \$35 - \$140 per month.

Q13. Number of courses you would recommend an exchange student should take during one semester.

The average is 4 courses (16 credits) per semester. Minimum for visa purposes is 12 credits per semester. Maximum is 18 credits per semester.

Q14. Mandatory fees Waseda students must pay to your institution

Costs listed below are estimates for the 25-26 academic year (fall, spring semester):

- International students have to pay \$115 for each semester or term they register for class. An international student at NYU is anyone who is not a US citizen or Permanent Resident. This fee is part of the cost of attending NYU.
- Insurance: see below
- Individual course/programmatic fees: depends on enrolled course

Q15. Insurance plan: Is an exchange student required to purchase a compulsory insurance plan (e.g., health insurance plan) designated by your university or country? If "yes", how much does it cost?

Yes

In 2026-2027 the cost of NYU-sponsored student comprehensive insurance is \$4,747 for the Basic Plan and \$5,397 for the comprehensive Plan. The 2027-2028 cost is still in progress.

The NYU Washington Square Insurance Plan Rates can be found on our website here:

<https://www.nyu.edu/students/wellbeing/clinical-services/student-health-insurance/washington-sq>

<https://www.nyu.edu/students/washington-square-plan-rates.html?challenge=d06e90d7-4d8f-4b88-9d8c-10b73beb60f1>

Q15-a. If your answer to Q15 is "yes", is a waiver available, provided that the student purchases an insurance plan designated by Waseda University? Please state specific "conditions" if any.

Yes, students must meet certain criteria and show proof of comparable coverage to obtain the waiver. For the most updated information, please refer to the student health insurance website linked below.

Website link: <https://www.nyu.edu/students/health-and-wellness/student-health-insurance.html>

Application Information

Q16. Application documents

After the nomination deadline, all students will receive a unique link to their application via an enrollment portal after their nomination has been reviewed. Within the portal, students will also be prompted to select their course and school of study.

Undergraduate applicants must submit:

Online Application includes:

1. Statement of Purpose (1-2 page, double-spaced, in English)
2. Signed agreement to terms and conditions of exchange program
3. English Language test report
4. Official copies of all undergraduate academic transcripts, grade reports, or mark sheets (and certified translations)

Q16-a. Application deadlines

Nominations: February 1st

Application deadline: February 15th

Q16-b. Anticipated dates for notification of admission

Early to mid-March.

Q17. Any comments and other useful information (e.g., visa, orientation, local information)

Student Visas:

Upon admission, international exchange students must complete a DS-2019 application to apply for a J 1 visa. International Student Orientation is scheduled for mid-September (students will be given information through their enrollment portal). The NYU Office of Global Services (OGS) will assist you with any questions regarding requirements for student visas. Admitted students will be required to provide a copy of their valid passport and documentation showing financial support. Students should check with their own consulate regarding the cost of their Visa to the USA.

Websitelink: <https://www.nyu.edu/students/student-information-and-resources/student-visa-and-immigration/newly-admitted/before-you-arrive/get-a-us-visa.html>