



## FACTSHEET 2024-2025

### ➤ General Information

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### ➤ Calendar

	Fall 2024	Spring 2025
<b>Nomination Deadline</b>	April 15, 2024	October 15, 2024
<b>Application Deadline</b>	May 15, 2024	November 15, 2024
<b>Semester Dates</b>	September – January	February - June
<b>Orientation Days</b>	A week before the program starts	

### ➤ Nomination and Application

**University officers:** To nominate your students, please complete the following nomination form: [HERE](#).

Once students have been nominated by their home university, IPSA will inform the applicants about the application details and lists of subjects available by email.

Application documents usually include:

- Application form + Learning agreement
- Copy of Passport
- Transcripts from previous years + Current year
- Proof of language efficiency (Letter from university or Certificate)

Students receive an acceptance letter and further information after they have submitted a complete application and have been accepted by IPSA.

### ➤ Language requirements

**Aero 3:** A B2 level in the selected language (French or English) is mandatory.

**Aero 4 and Aero 5 (except Management):** A B2 level in English is mandatory.

**Aero 5 (Management option):** A B2 level in English and French is mandatory.

*Language requirements might differ depending on agreements, please refer to the information giving by the international office.*

## ➤ Courses

In France, normal full-time degrees require 30 ECTS per semester. Exchange students may take less credits if their university allows it.

Exchange students can join one of the following programs:

- Aero 3 (undergraduate level courses) – English or French pathways
- Aero 4 (graduate level courses, spring semester) – English pathway
- Aero 5 (graduate level courses, fall semester) – English pathway except for Management option

The updated lists of courses are sent to the nominated students as soon as it is available.

## ➤ Health insurance and Civil liability

**EU-students:** A valid European Health insurance Card (EHIC) for the duration of our stay in France is mandatory. You must present it at your arrival. A complementary health insurance is recommended.

**Non-EU-students:** You must enroll in the French student social security scheme (free) once in France. A complementary health insurance is recommended.

**A civil liability (third-party liability) is mandatory for all students.**

## ➤ Other information

- Cultural activities with the international student association
- Free French lessons and intercultural courses
- More than 70 clubs related to space, drones, robotics, sports...
- A buddy system to help international students throughout their academic mobility

## ➤ Cost of living

Incoming students can benefit from our partner's dedicated student housing platform. They will have access to hundreds of offers including student residencies... and benefit from personalized support throughout their rent!

BUDGET	
Tuition fee	Waived
Student health insurance (French social security)	Free
Accommodation	500-800€ / month
Food	200€ / month
Transportation	30€ / month
Visa – VLS-TS (4 months to 1 year)	50€
ALLOWANCES AND SCHOLARSHIPS	
Personal housing allowance (APL): All students renting an accommodation in France can receive APL.	Up to 210€ / month
Scholarships: Please contact the Campus France office in your country	

## ➤ Visa

<https://france-visas.gouv.fr/en/web/france-visas/>

This website provides information on how to navigate each step of visa application process.