Semester at CSUB

The Semester at CSUB program provides an opportunity for students from around the world to study alongside American students a semester at a time. Students can take classes across a wide range of disciplines including business, engineering, computer science, communications, natural sciences and more.

Program participants receive many of the benefits of a university student – as well as all the entertainment, dining and social opportunities available in Bakersfield and throughout Southern California – without the long-term commitment. It's the easiest and most cost-efficient way to study abroad!

**Tuition, Housing and Living Expenses**

**Approximate costs for the Semester at CSUB program:**
- Tuition - $5,500*
- Housing and meals - $5,700-$7,000
- Health Insurance - $340

*(All students must have valid insurance)*

These figures are cost estimates, are subject to change and may vary depending on housing availability and personal preferences.

**Application and Admissions Process**
- No minimum GPA requirement
- Undergraduate students need a minimum TOEFL score of 61 (iBT) or IELTS score of 5.5
- No application fees
- Students may enroll in 12-15 units per semester

*The Semester at CSUB program allows international students from partners to enroll at CSUB for a discount – approximately 35 percent. The standard non-resident tuition fee is $8,000.*

To learn more about the Semester at CSUB program, visit [www.csub.edu/semesteratcsub](http://www.csub.edu/semesteratcsub)
Bakersfield is Close to Everything

- Many shops, restaurants, museums and outdoor activities around the city
- A new premium shopping outlet just outside of town
- 2-hour drive to Los Angeles, Hollywood and the beach
- 4-hour drive to San Diego and San Francisco
- Skiing at Mt. Pinos is just an hour drive

Rankings: CSUB, Bakersfield and California

- Bakersfield ranks second in California and 19th in the U.S. for career opportunities for engineers
- Washington Monthly listed CSUB as the Best Bang for the Buck among western schools on their College e-Guide of Schools
- Time magazine listed CSUB no. 39 on their Best Colleges for Accessibility, Affordability and Completion list of U.S. schools
- Recently classified by the Carnegie Foundation as a Community Engaged Institution – a designation granted to less than 10 percent of U.S. universities
- More international students choose to study in California than any other state in the U.S.

Bakersfield has its own airport. For those of you flying into Los Angeles International Airport (LAX), there is a shuttle service available from LAX to Bakersfield.