



## Budgeting for your Global Opportunities experience

When preparing to study overseas it's important to budget accordingly by considering how much each of your travel expenses is going to be. Check out the [Exchange Partners Profile](#) pages and the **Living** tab as a starting point for your budgeting.

Keep in mind the exchange rate and how it might go up and down during your time on exchange. Check the exchange rates using the [OANDA currency converter](#). Learn the currency rate and download XE currency converter app to aid in conversions

You can use the table below as a starting point for your budgeting research.

| Estimate expenses                    | Australian Dollars | Estimated Funds available     | Australian Dollars |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| Return Airfares                      |                    | Personal Savings              |                    |
| Student Visa*                        |                    | University funding/ grants    |                    |
| Accommodation                        |                    | OS-HELP (if eligible)         |                    |
| Meals/ groceries                     |                    | Centrelink (if eligible)      |                    |
| Local transport                      |                    | Other funding                 |                    |
| Domestic travel (including holidays) |                    |                               |                    |
| Insurance (if needed)                |                    |                               |                    |
| Vaccinations (if needed)             |                    |                               |                    |
| Textbooks                            |                    |                               |                    |
| Other costs                          |                    |                               |                    |
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|                                      |                    |                               |                    |
| <b>Total Expenses:</b>               |                    | <b>Total funds available:</b> |                    |

\* It is your responsibility to apply for your visa for your overseas study experience. You can refer to the relevant consulate regarding a specific countries visa requirement on the [Exchange Partners Profile](#) pages. Some countries will request you to apply for a visa in person at their embassy or consulate, these are not all in Adelaide. UniSA is legally unable to provide visa advise.