

# Global Scholars: Semester in Los Angeles

## Fall 2025

Category	Estimated Cost (USD)	Actual Cost (USD)	Explanation of Fees
Program Fee	8,500	8,500	This program fee includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• housing</li> <li>• wi-fi</li> <li>• utilities</li> <li>• amenities,</li> <li>• cultural and industry-related excursions</li> <li>• orientation</li> <li>• 2 group dinners and</li> <li>• administrative fees</li> </ul>
Mandatory International Student Health Insurance*	1019		All international students registered at RIT are automatically enrolled in the RIT Aetna Student Health Plan, and the charge is automatically added to their account. Coverage is activated based on your registration status.
RIT student activities fee*	200		All full time undergraduate students enrolled in 12 or more credit hours in a degree program, are assessed this fee. The student activity fee supports programs, events, and services that enhance the quality of student life at RIT.
RIT student health services fee*	275		All undergraduate students enrolled in 12 or more credits are automatically charged the Student Health Services Fee each semester.
Food	3,242		Your actual food expenses will differ based on your personal eating habits, any specific dietary needs, and how often you cook versus eating out. This amount estimates an average \$200+ for food a week.
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13,236</b>		<b>NOTE:</b> This total is the amount you must demonstrate you have available in financial resources. If accepted, you will need to provide financial documents showing proof of funds for this total amount so that RIT can issue your I-20.

\*These amounts are estimates for now, as the final rates for Fall 2025 have not been published yet. You should expect the total to be around this amount or around 8%-10% higher when the final costs are confirmed.

### Other expenses associated with the program

SEVIS Fee	350		
DS-160 F-1 visa application fee	185		
Visa interview fee	260		
Vaccinations	400		
Course textbooks, personal expenses, and transportation (metro card, Uber/Lyft)	3,415		This may vary depending on course requirements and personal preferences
Airfare			
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