Considering a study abroad experience this summer?

Look no further than **NEW YORK CITY**—a major commercial, financial, and cultural center!

Located in one of the world's most diverse areas, St. John's University offers a variety of summer programs.*

- **The English and Culture Program**
- **The English through Sports Program**
- **Summer Study Abroad in New York City**
- **The Global Innovators Academy**

*Customized group packages are also available based on curriculum need.

**THE ENGLISH AND CULTURE PROGRAM**

The English and Culture Program at St. John’s University is a short, intensive English study vacation program that introduces international students to academic and American culture while advancing their English communication skills. Students are exposed to the American higher education environment, and experience American campus life up close.

Each morning, students attend three hours of English language lessons that integrate listening, speaking, reading, writing, pronunciation, and grammar. They engage in a variety of activities such as informal presentations, discussions, role-plays, and debates to maximize speaking (and listening) skills. Students focus on the requisite vocabulary and expressions for interacting with Americans in a variety of situations. The content of English classes focuses on the activities scheduled for afternoon excursions, using the places to be visited within New York City as a springboard for language learning. Students visit some of the city’s most well-known locations such as Central Park, the Statue of Liberty, and the Empire State Building.
St. John’s University has a long tradition of sports, and now sponsors 17 NCAA Division I intercollegiate teams. The two-week summer English through Sports program aims to improve students’ vocabulary and spoken fluency in English through classroom lessons focused on the history and instruction of sport, specifically tennis and soccer. Under the direction of our St. John’s University coaches and current players, students engage in both skill instruction and game play outside of the classroom. As the home to some of the world’s most famous sports teams, like the New York Yankees, and a number of sports venues, New York City offers students the opportunity to visit venues where some of their favorite athletes play.

Summer Study Abroad in New York City at St. John’s University is a multifaceted, full-service program that balances traditional credit or noncredit academic classroom experiences with less conventional learning outside of the classroom, through interactions with student guides. These guides introduce participants to some of the many historical and cultural sites and events available in New York City, providing opportunities for cultural exchange and language practice. Courses are available in a variety of disciplines.

St. John’s is a global, metropolitan university with campuses in New York City and Rome, Italy, and locations in Hauppauge, NY; Limerick, Ireland; Paris, France; and Seville, Spain. It offers more than 100 undergraduate and graduate majors to a multinational and multi-ethnic student population. Our Queens campus is located in one of the most diverse places in the world—which was recently named a top travel destination by Lonely Planet—and provides many opportunities for encountering the rich, varied tapestry of American culture.
The Global Innovators Academy is a two-week summer program for international high school students. This summer academy is open to students 15 years of age or older (at program start date) who are currently in high school. Students participate in daily workshops on the nature and genesis of innovation, with a focus on New York City as an innovation incubator. Participants are also coached in effective public speaking and presentation skills. Students attend lectures given by faculty from St. John’s University’s College of Professional Studies on topics in computer science. The program is enriched by extracurricular activities which include community service; excursions to some of New York City’s many cultural landmarks; and on-campus, team-building activities.

ONSITE ACCOMMODATIONS
Both suite and traditional, corridor-style housing are available on the Queens campus. Garden-style apartments are available on the Staten Island campus.

LINEN SERVICE
Linen packs are available for rental and include a blanket, pillow, bath towel, washcloth, flat sheet, fitted sheet, and pillowcase.

CLEANING SERVICE
Cleaning of suite common areas and bathrooms can be provided at an additional fee.

ALL-YOU-CAN EAT MEAL PLAN
Buffet-style dining for breakfast, lunch, and dinner is available in our residential dining facility. Individual catered events can be provided upon request.

ST. JOHN’S UNIVERSITY AMBASSADOR PROGRAM
These St. John’s University students have been trained to assist both with navigation on-campus, as well as offsite excursions. They are well-versed in navigating the New York City public transportation system, and provide interaction with our summer guests.

METROCARDS
Travel cards for New York City public transportation via subway or bus can be arranged.

AIRPORT TRANSFERS
Roundtrip airport transfers are available upon request and at an additional fee for groups arriving at either John F. Kennedy International Airport or LaGuardia Airport.

WI-FI ACCESS
is readily available at all campus locations and accessed through the St. John’s University guest network.

LAUNDRY
facilities are available in each residential building. Washer and dryer use is free of charge. Detergent is the responsibility of the guest.

FITNESS CENTER
Guests must be 18 years of age or older to use our Fitness Center, which is equipped with StairMasters, treadmills, stationary bikes, various abdominal exercise benches, dumbbells, ellipticals, Life Fitness pin-loaded machines, and plate-loaded free weights.

LIBRARY
Program participants have access to St. John’s University libraries, including computing and printing services.