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STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM FACTSHEET
ACADEMIC YEAR 2026/2027



IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS RELATIVE TO AY26-27 EXCHANGE PROGRAM

In light of the current regional context, Ajman University would like to assure its partner institutions that the University continues to operate normally and remains a safe and welcoming environment for international exchange students.
To support informed planning for the Fall Semester of Academic Year 2026–27, we would like to highlight the following precautionary measures and planning guidelines:

Mode of Study: Exchange students are expected to attend in person from the start of orientation. Distance learning will not be offered on an individual or ad hoc basis unless the University transitions fully to remote delivery at an institutional level.

Accommodation Commitments: Dormitory registration and accommodation confirmation constitute a financial commitment. Students are advised to make fully informed decisions before confirming housing, as conditional reservations are not feasible.

Online Learning Contingency: Should circumstances require a transition to online delivery during the semester, this will apply to active exchange cohorts within existing partnerships and will not be offered as a pre-arranged or standalone option.

Upcoming Communications: Partners will receive a follow-up communication with the nomination link and updated fact sheet. A separate update will be shared should there be any changes to teaching delivery modalities.

Nominations for Fall 2026–27 are open and being accepted.
For any questions, please contact the Office of International Academic Affairs (OIAA).



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Office of International Academic Affairs



GENERAL INFORMATION

University Name	Ajman University (AU)	
AU Website	Office of International Academic Affairs (OIAA) website	
Address	University Street, Jurf 1 Ajman , UAE	
Contact Person	Victoria Winter Director v.winter@ajman.ac.ae	Ayesha Alfalasi Administrative Coordinator ayesha.alfalasi@ajman.ac.ae Tel: +97167055395
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Semester Dates	Fall: From August to December Spring: From January to May https://www.ajman.ac.ae/en/academics/academic-calendar	
Programs Offered	https://www.ajman.ac.ae/en/academics/academic-programs-majors	
Language of Instruction	English is required for all colleges except: The Colleges of Mass Communication, College of Law, and College of Humanities and Sciences which offer courses in Arabic.	
Credit system	Semester Credit Hours	
Duration of Exchange	One semester OR one academic year	
Minimum GPA (4.0 scale) & English requirements	We trust that the home institution will nominate students with suitable GPAs and language abilities for the exchange program.	

NOMINATION

To be nominated, please reach out to the study abroad/international office at your home institution to be nominated. Once nominated and accepted, you will receive an email from AU confirming your nomination and instructions to proceed with the application. The confirmation email will be sent within 1-3 days from the date of nomination, with the exceptions of nominations made for 3+ students as availabilities in the respective colleges must be checked before confirmation.

The deadlines for nominations every year are as follows:

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
January 1 – April 20	July 1 – October 20

APPLICATION

The next step will be to submit your application here before the deadlines below:

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
20 May	20 November

Required documents:

Passport copy
Photograph

High school certificate
University transcript
Learning Agreement

All attachments must be uploaded in JPEG format (please confirm clear and high resolutions).

Email – Please be sure to provide a valid email that you have access to . Your AU ID and password will be sent to the entered email.
Highschool certificate – If English certificates/translation is not available, certificates in foreign languages are acceptable. The name of the high school and the final score of the certificate which will be required in the Learning Agreement can suffice.
University Transcript – Must include the scores of all the courses completed at the home university.
Photograph – As the photograph will be used for the Visa process, please make sure the submitted photograph follows the requirements .
Learning Agreement – You can browse and select courses on AU's programs page .



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ON-CAMPUS FEMALE HOSTEL

ACCOMMODATION

AU provides dormitory accommodation subject to availability for male and female students.
Services include but are not limited to the following:

- Fully furnished rooms inclusive of appliances, water, and electricity
- Cleaning and maintenance services
- Social and administrative supervision throughout the day
- Shuttle buses to and from the university
- Security services
- Medical services
- Group trips for shopping and activities
- Wi-Fi access
- Exercise facilities
- Convenience store and restaurant
- Study rooms
- Appliances include washing machine, microwave, fridge, oven, sink.

Check the brochure for more details about our services here .

NOTE

The female residence is a fully renovated facility located on campus. The male residence is situated off campus, just a short 5–10 minute walk away, with regular shuttle services also available between the residence and campus.

The hostel fees in the following page are based and calculated per student and per semester. For latest rooms and fees , click here .

Female Residence		
Type of Room	**Fees for Main Semester**	**Fees for Summer Semester**
Single-bed Studio	13,525	4,510
Big Single Room	13,525	4,510
Twin-bed Room	7,515	3,008
Twin-bed Studio	7,515	3,008
Triple bed Room	6,010	2,005

Male Residence		
Type of Room	**Fees for Main Semester**	**Fees for Summer Semester**
Master Single Room	8,965	3,458
Non-Master Single Room	8,965	3,458
Twin bed Room A	4,960	1,755
Twin bed Room B	4,210	1,505
Triple bed Room M	3,810	1,405

Off-Campus accommodation:

Students may browse through accommodation options for affordable rent via www.bayut.com or www.airbnb.com . Luxurious hotel options with scenic views and beach access:

- Ajman Saray Resort
- Fairmont Ajman

A discounted price can also be arranged for our students at the following hotels:

- https://www.ramadaajman.com/
- http://halainnhotel.com/
- http://www.ewanhospitality.com/



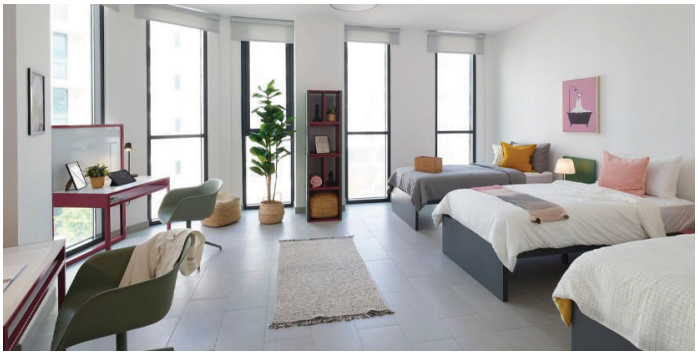
NEST CAMPUS - SHARJAH

ACCOMMODATION — Nest Campus (Official Partner)

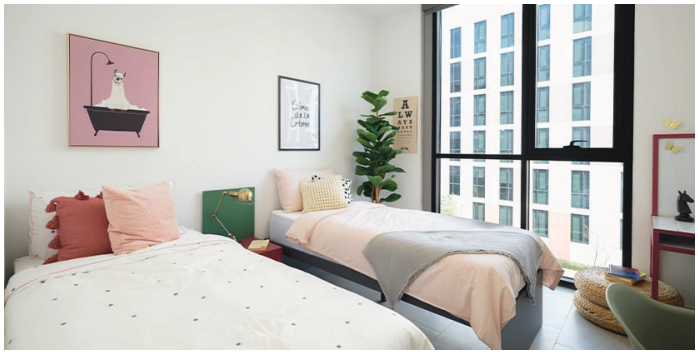
Ajman University has partnered with Nest Campus, a premium student accommodation located in Aljada, Sharjah. Nest Campus offers fully furnished rooms with all-inclusive rent covering utilities, high-speed Wi-Fi, and maintenance. Facilities include a gym, swimming pool, study zones, a campus mini mart, and 24/7 security. Free shuttle services to AU and other nearby universities are provided by Nest on a regular basis throughout the day. Exchange students at Ajman University benefit from special discounted rates through this partnership.

Nest provides accommodation for both male and female students.

To explore room options and book online, visit: www.nestcampus.com









PRICING

Room type		1-3 Months	4-7 Months	8-12 Months	Security Deposit
Private	Single	AED 3,300	AED 3,100	AED 2,800	AED 3,500
	Single + Balcony	AED 3,400	AED 3,200	AED 2,900	AED 3,600
	Single + Kitchen	AED 4,600	AED 4,400	AED 4,100	AED 4,800
Semi Private	Semi-Private + Kitchen	AED 3,700	AED 3,500	AED 3,200	AED 3,900
	Semi-Private + Balcony + Kitchen	AED 3,800	AED 3,600	AED 3,300	AED 4,000
Twin PERPERSON	Twin	AED 2,200	AED 2,100	AED 1,900	AED 2,400
	Twin + Balcony	AED 2,300	AED 2,200	AED 2,000	AED 2500
	Twin + Kitchen	AED 2,900	AED 2,800	AED 2,600	AED 3,100
	Twin + Kitchen + Balcony	AED 3,000	AED 2,900	AED 2,700	AED 3,200
Studio	Studio	AED 4,700	AED 4,500	AED 4,200	AED 4,900
	Studio + Kitchen	AED 5,900	AED 5,700	AED 5,400	AED 6,100

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Rate Structure
Rates are valid from 1st August 2025 to 31st July 2026
All rates are quoted per bed, per month and in AED.
Each month is calculated as 30 nights.
All rates are exclusive of 5% VAT, which will be applied additionally.
AY26-27 rates will be made available once published.

Room Availability & Confirmation
Rooms are subject to availability at the time of booking.
A room is only confirmed upon receipt of the Security Deposit.
All enquiries, payments, and confirmations are between the student and Nest Student Accommodation and must be made directly with Nest via email.

Cancellations & Refund Policy
Full refund of the Security Deposit is applicable only if the cancellation is made within 14 days of payment.
No refund is applicable after 14 days, upon check-in, or upon signing of the Tenancy Agreement, whichever occurs first.

Room Change & Downgrade
A one-time administrative fee of AED 1,000 will be charged for any room downgrade requests after allocation.

Early Termination
In case of early termination after signing the Tenancy Agreement, the Security Deposit will be forfeited in full

VISA

To enter the UAE, you will need an Entry Visa issued prior to your travel and presented at the airport upon arrival. The process will be as follows:

1. To initiate the process, please inform us of your expected date of arrival to the UAE 3 weeks in advance (minor changes are acceptable) and we will submit the request for the Entry Visa 2-3 weeks before the date of arrival.
2. It takes 1-2 weeks for the Entry Visa to be issued, with the exception for any delays caused by governmental requirements or restrictions.
3. Once issued, we will send the Entry Visa to you via email.
4. The Entry Visa is valid for 60 days from the issuance date. You must enter the UAE before the duration is over, otherwise, a new Entry Visa must be issued.
5. Print a copy of the document to be taken on your travel day.
6. The fee for the Entry Visa is AED 375, to be paid after arrival along with the additional fees for the Student Visa process.

After arrival, you will proceed with the Student Visa process, which will cost AED 1,862 (380 Health Insurance, 375 Entry Visa, 282 Medical tests, 600 Emirates ID & Residency, and 225 Cancellation) (per current governmental pricing).

Students Holding Pakistani Nationality

Students holding Pakistani nationality are required to submit their Pakistani ID along with the other required documents. Due to ministry regulations, the following two options apply:

1. Entry Visa via Ajman University (AED 375): Once the visa is processed, the system will notify the University that the student must personally visit the UAE Embassy in Pakistan to obtain a visa appointment. This process may take approximately 1 to 1.5 months. Please note that Ajman University cannot book embassy appointments on behalf of students, as this falls under ministry regulations.

2. Tourist Visa Entry: Students may alternatively enter the UAE on a tourist visa. After arrival, they may apply for the residency visa by paying the required fee, including the status-change fee (600).

Estimated Expenses

Food	Average AED 1500 per month
Transportation	Shuttle buses from the dorms are free of charge. Details on AU transportation fees here .
Student Visa	AED 1,862 (380 Health Insurance, 375 Entry Visa, 282 Medical tests, 600 Emirates ID & Residency, and 225 Cancellation) (per current governmental pricing).
Housing	Details are mentioned in the 'Accommodation' section.



ON-CAMPUS SPORT COMPLEX

Additional Information

Student services	Student life office: Ajman University provides countless activities, trips, and clubs ensuring our students can enjoy their studies to the utmost. Sports are taken seriously, and students are encouraged to participate in sporting events and competitions. Student Success Centre: Our students are our priority. The Student Success Centre was established to help students needing assistance or facing difficulties for any reason. The center is designed for early detection of academic and other challenges faced by some students and provides support to overcome those challenges. Student counselling unit: The Student Counselling Unit is a service provided for students to provide emotional support in times of need. We aim to care for the student's well-being in difficult times, to allow them to flourish and meet their full potential. Transportation Unit: Our Transportation Unit provides transport service at subsidized rates to all AU students.
Facilities	All Ajman University students have free access to the following facilities and services: Library, Gym, Swimming pool.
Health insurance	International students must arrange for an International Health Insurance plan for themselves prior to joining AU.

Peer Leaders	AU facilitates international students to assimilate in campus life quickly by appointing Peer Leaders to assist them. Peer Leaders are local students who are familiar with the region and are able to help international students with their queries about various aspects of living here.
Foodservice	There are a number of restaurants and cafes within the university providing various food options at a low cost (15-20 AED). In addition, there are many restaurants along the perimeter of the university catering to diverse tastes and preferences.
Local trips around the UAE	The Office of International Academic Affairs arranges local trips for students at a pre-specified price.
Mobile SIM Card	Upon arrival at the airport, the student can pick up a free SIM card from 'Du' at the airport and explore the various bundles.This is important as the UAE mobile number will be needed for the Visa process.
Useful applications	Ajman University - Connect, share, timetable & more Visit Ajman - Guide to explore Ajman BOTIM - Guide to exploring Ajman Google Maps - Navigate & Explore Masaar - Ajman transportation Talabat - Food & Grocery Delivery Zomato - Restaurant Finder and Food Delivery

For more information on experiences at AU, click here



STUDENT HUB BUILDING

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Reasons to Visit UAE:
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