

Shantou University (STU) Fact Sheet

Academic calendar

Fall Semester: Sept. 2021 -- Jan. 2022
Winter Vacation: Jan. 2022 – Feb. 2022
Spring Semester: Feb. 2022 -- June 30 2022

Remarks: The exact dates are to be confirmed.

Cost of Living - Costs of living at STU (for reference only, non-refundable unless otherwise stated) (RMB 100 ≈ CAD19.5)

- Accommodation: RMB 6000/year (For a double bedroom.)
- Room Deposit (refundable): RMB 800
- Food: RMB1000/month approximately)
- Books and materials: RMB 500-700/year
- Miscellaneous: RMB 200-300/month (approximately)

Health Insurance

Health Insurance is required for international students studying in China. STU recommend the insurance policy offered by <http://en.lxbx.net/article/baoxian-61.html>. The price is RMB 800yuan per student per year.

There is a health clinic on campus which is open from Monday to Friday. A doctor will be on duty for emergencies on Saturday and Sunday and after hours.

Courses

Usually exchange students at STU will take some courses offered by colleges/schools as well as some Chinese language courses offered by Chinese Language Training Centre.

Accommodation & Meal Plan

Exchange students are recommended to live on campus. The expenses of electricity and water are shared among roommates, and it will be directly deducted from STU student ID Card each month. Students are not allowed to cook at their dorms. There are four student canteens on campus where most of the students dine. Usually RMB 10-15 yuan (or even less) will be enough for lunch and dinner. Breakfast will cost less than 5 yuan.

Pre-arrival information & travel

The nearest airport to STU is Jieyang Chaoshan Airport (airport code: SWA), which is 30 minutes away from STU campus by car. STU will arrange pick up service for students. Chaoshan Train Station, which is 30 kilometres from STU, connects Guangzhou, Shenzhen, Xiamen, and Hongkong. International students can also transfer to Shantou from the above-mentioned cities by bullet trains.

Orientation & Mentoring

Currently exchange students will join an orientation programme together with international students at School of International Education. STU has student ambassadors to meet the

exchange students at the airport and help exchange students to get familiar with campus facilities, etc.

Work

International students are not allowed to work while studying at STU. But STU can offer places of internship at STU LAB or local companies.

Visa

After STU receives the application materials, International Office will complete JW202 Form application from Department of Education of Guangdong Province. JW202 Form is essential for student visa. Please note that the whole process will take one month or more. Therefore it is suggested that all students submit application materials before **May 1**.

Students have to apply for student visa (X1 visa for 1-year exchange, and X2 for 1-semester exchange) after they receive the JW202 Form and Admission Letter at the Chinese Embassy/Consulate General in Canada. For 1-year exchange students, STU will help get a resident permit after they arrive. These students are required to have a physical examination in Shantou.

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- Courses can only be confirmed at the beginning of June and end of December for the coming semester. The following are expected English-taught courses.

College	Course & Code
Business School	[BUS1007A] Principles of Marketing
Business School	[BUS1014A] Money and Banking
Business School	[BUS2102A] Production & Operations Management
Business School	[BUS2104B] Electronic Commerce
Business School	[BUS2205B] Econometrics
Business School	[BUS3002C] Entrepreneurial Management
Business School	[BUS3026A] Game Theory
Business School	[CLC61011B] Chinese Cultural and Economic Evolution - South China Greater Bay Area
Business School	[FIN3017B] Fixed Income
Business School	[JET3025A] Blockchain
Business School	[IME2701A] Probability Theory and Statistics
Business School	[MGT1004A] International Business
Business School	[MGT3006A] Managing Non-Profit Organizations
Business School	[MKT1001B] Consumer Behavior
Business School	[MKT3007A] Global Marketing
Center of International Studies	[CIS2044B] Film History - 20th Century Hollywood and European Film Directors
Center of International Studies	[CIS6025C] Values and Human Behavior
Center of International Studies	[CIS6039B] The Concept of Freedom
Center of International Studies	[CIS6058A] Visual Culture in the Digital Age – Convergence, Remediation and Transmedia Platforms
Center of International Studies	[CIS6064A] The Fantasy and Science Fiction Film
Center of International Studies	[CIS6071A] History and Theory of Animation Film
Center of International Studies	[CIS6809A] Cinderella in America, Japan and China: Introduction to Comparative Culture Studies

Center of International Studies	[CIS6946B] Film Theory
Center of International Studies	[CIS6949A] The History of Chinese in America
College of Engineering	[BME1101A] Biomedical Engineering
College of Engineering	[BME1103A] Calculus B-1
College of Engineering	[BME1104B] Organic Chemistry
College of Engineering	[BME1106A] Calculus B-2
College of Engineering	[BME1107A] Physics for Biomedical Engineering
College of Engineering	[BME1108A] Introduction to Computing
College of Engineering	[BME1109A] Fundamentals of Medical Circuit Theory
College of Engineering	[BME2102A] Fundamentals of Biomedicine
College of Engineering	[BME2107A] Advanced Calculus
College of Engineering	[BME2109A] Linear Algebra
College of Engineering	[BME2202A] Introduction to Biomechanics
College of Engineering	[CIV5006A] Technical writing & literature search
College of Engineering	[EEG2005B] Digital Circuit
College of Engineering	[EEG2007C] Introduction to Computer System and Microcontroller
College of Engineering	[EEG3024A] DSP Technique and Applications
College of Engineering	[EEG3030B] FPGA BASED SYSTEM DESIGN
College of Engineering	[EEG3034A] Artificial intelligence and robotics
College of Engineering	[EME1001A] Introduction to Environmental Engineering
College of Engineering	[IME2702A] Intelligent Manufacturing Computational Methods
College of Engineering	[MEC3408A] Advanced Manufacture Processes-Additive Manufacturing
College of Engineering	[MEC3409A] Intelligent Computation in Manufacturing Engineering
College of Engineering	[MEC3409B] Advanced Intelligent Computation in Manufacturing Engineering

College of Engineering	[MEC3410A] Mechanical Design
College of Engineering	[MEC3411A] Robotic Operation System and Autonomous Navigation
Law School	[LAW2025A] Study on Cases and Practice of International Law
Law School	[LAW3021A] Legal Culture and Law of China
Law School	[LAW3052A] International Intellectual Property Right Law
Law School	[LAW3055A] International Commercial Law and Practice
Law School	[LAW6135A] International Economical Law
Law School	[PAM6160A] Contemporary Chinese Politics
School of Journalism & Communication	[JOU1141C] Creative Journalistic Storytelling I
School of Journalism & Communication	[JOU2044B] Creative Journalistic Storytelling II
School of Journalism & Communication	[JOU2148B] Modern Media Ethics and Practices
School of Journalism & Communication	[JOU2150A] Introduction to Multimedia Journalism
School of Journalism & Communication	[JOU3141A] Environmental Journalism
School of Journalism & Communication	[JOU3181A] International Reporting I
School of Liberal Arts	[CLA1203B] World War II
School of Liberal Arts	[CLA2201A] Topics in Language, Power and Gender
School of Liberal Arts	[CLA2207A] Survey of World Religions
School of Liberal Arts	[CLA3209A] The Contemporary World
School of Liberal Arts	[CLA3210A] Principles of Reasoning