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NIE Inbound Semester Study for North-east Normal University (NENU)

The NIE programmes combine a legacy of educational excellence with the innovation and creativity that will propel our graduates into an exciting future. We develop academic skills alongside character building and leadership skills, with a strong emphasis on values. The NIE ecosystem fully supports student-teachers with world class resources and facilities.

The NIE Undergraduate programmes provide the academic and professional development for undergraduates to become effective beginning teachers in schools. Our Undergraduate programmes are:

- Bachelor of Arts (Education) (BA[Ed]) (full-time)
- Bachelor of Science (Education) (BSc[Ed]) (full-time)

[Programme information and handbook](#)

Programme Duration: 6 months / 1 academic year (in accordance with MOA)

Level: Undergraduate (UG)



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About NIE

ABOUT THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION (NIE), SINGAPORE

The National Institute of Education (NIE), an autonomous institute of Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore is among the world's top education institutes, renowned for its excellence in teacher education and education research. Founded in 1950, NIE has played a pivotal role in developing Singapore's teaching workforce.

In a dynamic education milieu, NIE prepares teachers with the requisite values, skills and knowledge to meet the continuous demands of diverse learners across the lifespan. The quality of NIE programmes is based on evidence-informed reviews and enhancement, and delivered using innovative pedagogies in digitally-mediated learning spaces. NIE's degree, higher degree and professional development programmes offer global perspectives through international practicum and semester exchange, while 21st Century pedagogies, multidisciplinary curricula and service-learning initiatives help to develop the holistic reflective practitioner and school leader.

NIE is ranked among the world's top institutions for research in education and the education-related disciplines. Its research philosophy is focused on impacting school practices, enhancing programmes, informing policy formation and, ultimately, improving student learning outcomes. With its highly reputable education programmes and rich research culture, it has built strategic alliances with many other renowned institutions in the US, Europe and Asia Pacific regions.

Recognising the need to anticipate, adapt and advance, NIE has recently identified five strategic growth areas under a new institute-level initiative, Learning Initiatives for the Future of Education at NIE NTU Singapore (LIFE@NIE SG[®]). Over the coming years, NIE will grow its regional and global impact in these five priority areas – Child and Human Development, Values and Ethics, Science of Learning, Emerging Technologies, and Assessment and Evaluation – to lead the future of education and play its part in helping to address Singapore and humanity's grand challenges in an ever-evolving world.

For more information, please visit: www.nie.edu.sg



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NIE Academic Information Summary

Study Level	Open to Undergraduates
Study Period	One or Two semester(s)
Academic Calendar	<p>The semester dates for AY2022-2023 are: Semester 1 (Fall): 08 August 2022 – 02 December 2022</p> <p>Notes on Arrival & Departure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• NENU students who arrive in NIE AFTER the start of the semester, especially after add/drop period, will not be allowed to change their pre-registered courses or request for new courses.• Any return flight arrangements should be made after the semester end date as there may be examination papers on the last day of the semester. No re-scheduling is allowed, therefore NENU students who fail to sit for their course's examination paper shall be deemed as having failed the course.• NENU students are encouraged to arrive and complete all quarantine/self-isolation requirements at least three (3) days prior the start of the teaching week. There will be a mandatory half-day orientation for NENU students. Please refer to the Immigration and Entry Requirements Section (page 16) for more details on quarantine/self-isolation requirements. <p>For a detailed breakdown of our academic calendar, see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• NIE NTU Academic Calendar
Language of Instruction	The main language of instruction is English.
Workload per Semester & Courses Selection	All students usually take 3 to 5 courses per semester based on 3 AU per course (subject to home university's and NIE's approval). There is no minimum workload, however, the maximum workload allowed is 6 courses or 18 AUs per semester. For information on course selection for NENU students, please refer to this link .

NIE Academic Information Summary

Restricted Programmes	<p>NENU students are allowed to take restricted programmes and courses. Please refer to this link for details on restricted programmes and courses. Please note that there will be strictly no appeal for these courses.</p>
NIE Academic Unit (AU) & Grading System	<p>NIE's courses are assigned credits based on academic units. Most courses offered in NIE are 3 AUs.</p> <p>NIE uses the Grade Point Average (GPA) system in awarding grades.</p>
Types of programme	<p>Study (minimum one or maximum of two semesters) Programme</p> <p>We also offer virtual summer programmes during the holidays.</p>
On Campus Housing	<p>On-campus housing is subject to availability. NENU students must be prepared to rent off-campus accommodation if required.</p>
Withdrawal	<p>Before Arriving at NIE</p> <p>NENU students who wish to withdraw from the program need to inform their home university and International & School Partnerships (ISP) Unit.</p> <p>After Arriving at NIE</p> <p>NENU students who wish to withdraw from the program need to inform their home university and International & School Partnerships (ISP) Unit in writing before finalizing their travel details.</p>
Academic Transcripts	<p>Upon completion of the study at NIE, two copies of the official NIE transcript will be mailed to NENU within two months of the release of examination results. One of the copies will be for the NENU student's retention while another will be retained by NENU. Electronic transcripts are not available.</p>

Application Deadlines and Procedures

NOMINATION AND APPLICATION DEADLINES	
Study	<p>Nomination Period</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Semester 1 (Fall) - 11 to 18 March <p>Application Period</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Semester 1 (Fall) – 28 March to 4 April
APPLICATION PROCEDURES	
Application Procedure For Study	<p>Nominated NENU students coming to NIE on Study Programme must adhere to the following application criteria and procedures:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Partner universities must nominate the NENU students to NIE via our nomination portal: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominated NENU students coming to NIE must be a full-time, and have completed at least two semesters of study at NENU prior to the NIE semester, with proof of results. Nominated NENU students must have an average B grade or equivalent. Upon successful nomination, NENU students can apply to NIE via the Online Application Portal. NENU students will receive a link via email.

Application Deadlines and Procedures

DOCUMENTS TO PREPARE	
<p>Mandatory documents to Be submitted with your online application</p> <p><i>Submission of hardcopy applications is not required</i></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Latest official transcript in English (signed by the Registrar and stamped with the home university's seal), reflecting all courses taken. NENU students will also need to include a list of current courses (if they are not shown in the transcript). The official transcript and list of current courses should be submitted in one file, in PDF format (<2MB). Clear, coloured passport-size photo in JPG format for your matriculation card. Kindly adhere to the photo guidelines as incomplete applications may be delayed or rejected. (JPG format, <100kb) Clear, coloured, scanned copy of your full passport information page. The image provided <u>must</u> display all details on the bio-page of the passport. This information must be available so as to prepare your Student Pass application. Please ensure that your passport is valid for at least 6 months from the commencement of your study at NIE. (JPG format, <200kb)

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English Proficiency	<p>Proof of English language proficiency is not required for students who are native speakers of English, or where English is the core language of instruction in the home institution.</p> <p>Below are the guidelines for the level of English proficiency best suited to studying at NIE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Paper of the Singapore Cambridge GCE 'A' Level Examination (sat in 2007 onwards): A, B, C, D, E • General Paper of the Singapore Cambridge GCE 'A' Level Examination (sat in 2006 or earlier): A1, A2, B3, B4, C5, C6 • IELTS: a minimum of 6 for the Writing sub-test • TOEFL: a minimum of 570 (paper) or 90 (internet) or 237 (computer) • SAT1: a minimum of 600 for the Verbal section; or 7 for the Essay section • IB: a minimum of 4 for Higher Level English or 4 for Standard Level English • MUET: Band 6 and a minimum of 50 for writing • GEPT: High intermediate Stage 2 consisting of writing and speaking modules (applies to students from Taiwan universities only) <p>The guidelines are in place to ensure NENU students are suited to cope with the rigorous curriculum conducted in English.</p> <p>If you do not have any of the tests mentioned above, you may request for a letter from your home university, confirming your English proficiency and ability to follow classes in English.</p>

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DOCUMENTS TO PREPARE

Courses Selection

During application, NENU students are required to select **at least ten courses per semester** (in order of preference) for approval. Course approval is subjected to vacancies and pre- requisites.

- This is to ensure that you have an adequate number of approved courses prior to arrival in NIE.
- Please ensure that the courses you select are suitable for credit transfer back at your home university.
- Selected courses are subject to approval by the offering Schools in NIE. However, approval does not mean a guaranteed enrolment in the courses, as courses are subjected to vacancies and class/exam timetable.
- Once approved, you are strongly encouraged not to deviate from the list of approved courses. It is imperative that you select courses which are approved by your home university, and are deemed necessary for your academic progression.
- Requests to reselect courses while you are in NIE will only be processed if there are valid reasons.

Course Issues:

In the event you do not have sufficient approved courses **prior** to your arrival at NIE, you may still add on or modify your course plan during the 2-week add/drop period **after** your arrival at NIE. Please note that course approval are subjected to NIE pre-requisites and vacancies. Hence, you must be prepared to read other courses if you do not meet the pre-requisites.

After Applying: Acceptance Confirmation

NIE STUDY	
<p>Receiving Application Results (email)</p>	<p><u>RELEASE OF APPLICATION RESULTS</u></p> <p>Semester 1 (Fall) : Late April/ Early May</p> <p>If you are successful in your application, you will receive the Welcome email. Your NENU coordinator will also be notified of the acceptance via email.</p> <p>In the email, you will receive the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • View and accept Offer of Admission • View Letter of Enrolment/Admission • Apply for on-campus housing* • Student Pass (Visa) Application Procedures • View/download Student Pass Online Application & Registration (SOLAR)Form • Retrieve course information and registration details • Update personal particulars • Submit health & medical information • Information on NIE Student Insurance Schemes • Arrival and Orientation information <p><i>* Please Note: Application for on-campus housing shall be via the online portal only. Please do not apply for on-campus housing through the Office of Campus Housing website.</i></p>

Course Registration and Academic Information

COURSE INFORMATION																									
<p>Workload per Semester</p>	<p>NENU students usually take 3 to 5 courses per semester based on 3 AU per course (subject to NENU's and NIE's approval).</p> <p>Full-time students usually take 16 to 18 AUs. However, NIE does not stipulate a minimum number of AUs a student must take. The maximum workload allowed is 6 courses or 18 AUs per semester.</p>																								
<p>NIE Academic Unit System</p>	<p>NIE Academic Unit System</p> <p>NIE's courses are assigned credits based on the Academic Unit (AU) System. For atypical one-semester course, the number of academic units is calculated as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) One hour of lecture/tutorial per week: one AU b) Three hours' laboratory/fieldwork per week: one AU <p>Grading System</p> <p>NIE uses the Grade Point Average (GPA) system in awarding grades.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="565 1255 982 1743"> <thead> <tr> <th>Letter Grade</th> <th>Grade Point</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>A+</td><td>5.0</td></tr> <tr><td>A</td><td>5.0</td></tr> <tr><td>A-</td><td>4.5</td></tr> <tr><td>B+</td><td>4.0</td></tr> <tr><td>B</td><td>3.5</td></tr> <tr><td>B-</td><td>3.0</td></tr> <tr><td>C+</td><td>2.5</td></tr> <tr><td>C</td><td>2.0</td></tr> <tr><td>D+</td><td>1.5</td></tr> <tr><td>D</td><td>1.0</td></tr> <tr><td>F</td><td>0.0</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Please see NIE/NTU's Academic Unit System for more information.</p>	Letter Grade	Grade Point	A+	5.0	A	5.0	A-	4.5	B+	4.0	B	3.5	B-	3.0	C+	2.5	C	2.0	D+	1.5	D	1.0	F	0.0
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Study Programmes	<p>NENU students on Study programmes are advised to take courses of the same level as their degree.</p> <p>Courses are subject to approval from the NIE School(s). Selection of courses does not automatically guarantee approval and availability of courses for NENU students.</p> <p>NENU students are only able to read UG courses, and are <u>strictly prohibited</u> from applying for Postgraduate (PG) courses.</p>
Courses Selection	<p>The UG course catalogue can be found at this link. You may use this course catalogue to plan your studies and course match for AY2022-2023.</p>

REGISTER FOR COURSES	
Course Registration	<p>NENU students will be pre-allocated a number of their approved UG courses during NIE course registration. You may still register for additional approved UG courses during the Add/Drop period in the first two weeks of the semester.</p> <p>Please note that while NIE will try to meet the demand where possible, NENU students should expect that not all demands can be met, and NENU students are encouraged to be flexible with their study plan.</p>
Academic Transcripts	<p>Upon completion of the Study NENU, two copies of the official NIE transcript will be mailed to the NENU within two months of the release of examination results. One of the copies will be for the NENU student's retention while another will be retained by NENU. Electronic transcripts are not available.</p>

Housing

On-campus housing for inbound students

Incoming Study NENU students may apply for **on-campus housing on availability basis**.

Upon acceptance as an NENU student, you may apply online for on campus housing through the application form provided in the Welcome email before the stipulated closing date.

NENU students who have submitted an online application for campus housing before the stipulated closing date will be considered for on-campus housing, on availability basis. NENU students who are unsuccessful in their campus housing application would need to look for off-campus options.

NENU students who are successful in their campus housing application will be allocated randomly for hall rooms, and requests for specific types of rooms will be evaluated on a case by case basis. NENU students with medical condition(s) and/or have specific requests will have to submit a doctor's letter certifying their condition, which shall subsequently be verified by NTU's Medical Centre.

NENU students are required to declare medical conditions and requests when submitting their application to the ISP unit. Request for specific room-mates or preferred Halls is not allowed.

Full-year NENU students, who successfully secured on-campus housing for their first semester must re-apply for housing in their second semester. Period of stay in the Hall is determined by the approved period as stipulated on the NIE Offer Letter.

Please see [housing options](#) for more information.

Housing

<p>Check-in date for Halls of Residence</p>	<p>The earliest that NENU students may move into their allocated room in the Hall of Residence is usually three days before the commencement of the Teaching Week.</p> <p>The Office of Campus Housing (OCH) shall notify the NENU students on the exact check-in date and timings via EMAIL. Check-in will only be available during weekdays and office hours of the hall admin offices.</p> <p>NENU students who intend to arrive earlier than the check-in date and/or arrive outside of office hours will have to source for temporary off-campus housing. A list of temporary off-campus housing can be found at this link.</p>
<p>Off-Campus Housing</p>	<p>NENU students seeking off-campus housing should begin their search well in advance of their arrival in Singapore. NENU students are recommended to search in Estates near NIE NTU such as: Boon Lay, Jurong West and Jurong East.</p> <p>For more information please refer to this link.</p>

Immigration and Entry Requirements

Student Pass	<p>All international students who have been accepted and offered a place as a full-time matriculated or registered student are required to hold a valid Student Pass issued by the Singapore Immigration & Checkpoints Authority (ICA).</p> <p>You will be notified of the Student Pass application procedures via email. NENU students are advised to arrange their flights only after their Student Pass and Entry Approval applications have been approved.</p> <p>All international students holding Student Pass are not allowed to work during the immersion period.</p>
Entry Visa Requirements	<p>Students who require an entry visa to enter Singapore <u>need not</u> apply for one.</p> <p>Upon approval of the Student Pass application, an In-Principle Approval (IPA) letter will be issued to the NENU students. A single journey visa shall be incorporated in the IPA letter for entry into Singapore.</p> <p>For more immigration matters, you may refer to this link.</p>

Immigration and Entry Requirements

<p>Entry Approval (Student's Pass Holder Lane)</p>	<p>Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, additional entry requirements are implemented by the Singapore government.</p> <p>All Student Pass holders must apply for and obtain Entry Approval before traveling to Singapore. The Entry Approval is an approval to allow the pass holder to enter Singapore and is a separate process from the Student Pass application. Application for Entry Approval (via Student Pass Holder Lane - STPHL) must be done at least 2 weeks before the planned date of entry. NENU students should only proceed to travel to Singapore <u>after</u> Entry Approval has been granted.</p> <p>Depending on your vaccination status and travel history, you may be required to serve a quarantine or Stay-Home Notice (SHN), if applicable, based on prevailing SHN and entry requirements at the time of your entry to Singapore. You may also need to take COVID-19 swab tests upon arrival and before you complete your SHN.</p> <p><u>Instructions for submitting Entry Approval application (under STPHL)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) NENU students should have received their Student Pass In-Principle Approval first before commencing their Entry Approval application. (ii) Before application for Entry Approval, NENU students should ensure they have read through the following items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Entry Approval application requirements and process for Student Pass holders. <i>Link: Overview of Entry Approval Requirements and Process</i> b. Entry requirements (including SHN and swab test) for their intended departure country/region. <i>Link: Summary on Travel Health Control Measures, SHN and swab requirements</i> c. Application user guide. <i>Link: Guide to Applying for Entry Approval</i> (iii) NENU students may submit their Entry Approval application at least 2 weeks before planned date of entry via the Safe Travel Office portal here: https://eservices.ica.gov.sg/STO <p>NENU students will only be able to select from the period of entry dates seen on the portal; and ensure they are able to travel on the selected period of entry, as changes in the period of entry will not be allowed after approval is issued. Payments (if required) are non-refundable.</p>
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Travel Health Control Measures for Entry

There are different requirements based on travellers' **travel history before arrival in Singapore**.

As border measures can change at short notice, students must refer to Safe Travel website for latest border measures and **countries/regions categories applicable for Student Pass Holder Lane (STPHL)**: <https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/stpl/overview>

Depending on their travel history and vaccination status, students may qualify to apply for entry to Singapore under the Vaccinated Travel Lane (VTL). Students may refer to Safe Travel website for **requirements and process for the Vaccinated Travel Lane**: <https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/vtl/requirements-and-process>. Students will only need to apply for entry **either** through the STPHL or VTL.

The specific requirements for entry to Singapore may change from time to time. The following are some of the requirements which may be in place at the time of entry. Please check the SafeTravel website to find out the full prevailing measures: <https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/arriving/overview>

COVID-19 Vaccination	All Student Pass holders must be fully vaccinated in order to enter Singapore. Refer to https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/health/vtsg for information on accepted COVID-19 vaccinations.
Pre-departure Test	<p>Inbound travellers with travel history to specified countries/regions will be required to present a valid negative COVID-19 test result taken before departure to Singapore.</p> <p>NENU students will be required to show documentary proof of a negative COVID-19 test result from recognised laboratories/medical facilities. The test result document must be in English (or accompanied with an English translation); and contain the following information: COVID-19 test result and date of test; Traveller's name; and date of birth or passport number.</p> <p>The documentary proof of pre-departure test must be produced at immigration, failing which NENU students will be refused entry. For more information on Pre-Departure test requirements, please refer to Safe Travel website FAQs: https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/health/fag#pcrtest</p>

Travel Health Control Measures for Entry

On-arrival Swab Test	Travellers entering Singapore may be required to take an on-arrival PCR swab test upon arrival in Singapore.
Stay-Home Notice (SHN)	<p>The Stay-Home Notice (SHN) is a legal notice that requires travellers to remain in their place of residence or SHN Dedicated Facility (SDF) for a stipulated period. The failure to comply with any SHN requirement is punishable under Singapore laws and can amount to an imprisonment term and/or fine.</p> <p>As such, NENU students who are required to serve SHN must ensure that they comply with the SHN requirements and remain in their allocated SHN dedicated facility (SDF) or SHN accommodation for the duration of the SHN.</p> <p><u>SHN Monitoring</u></p> <p>All NENU students serving SHN will be contacted by NIE during the SHN. All NENU students should remain contactable via WhatsApp, Teams, or their NTU email account and may be contacted by ISP team.</p>
Swab Test during SHN	NENU students serving SHN would be required to take a PCR swab test before the end of the SHN. NENU students will be informed of their swab test venue, timing, and instructions.
COVID-19 in Singapore	<p>NENU students are expected to adhere to COVID-19 restrictions implemented in Singapore.</p> <p>For updates on Singapore's COVID-19 situation, refer to https://www.moh.gov.sg/covid-19.</p> <p>For a summary of COVID-19 safe management measures, refer to https://www.moh.gov.sg/covid-19-phase-advisory.</p>

Well-Being and Insurance

<p>Health and Wellness</p>	<p>Medical, dental and counselling services are available on campus to cater to your health and wellness needs.</p> <p>Should you feel unwell after office hours, you may proceed to nearby Clinics for assistance. For acute medical care and emergencies, please visit the nearest hospital, Ng Teng Fong General Hospital.</p> <p>For more information on Health and Wellness, you may refer to NIE Wellness Centre. Email: nie.wellness@nie.edu.sg</p>
<p>Medical Declaration</p>	<p>To ensure that your well-being is addressed, NENU students who have existing conditions (medical, physical/mobility, sensory impairment, neurological deficits and/or learning disabilities) are required to submit medical documentation and/or specialist assessment reports during online application stage for verification.</p> <p>NENU students will be requested to provide the following documentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter or memo from doctor certifying the NENU student is fit for overseas immersion programme. The letter must be in English, and should be issued by the attending psychiatrist or medical practitioner specialising on the declared condition; • Doctor’s memo indicating medication and dosages. The memo needs to be in English, and indicates current prescription including alternative medication; • Assessment report (if required); • Accommodation letter (in English) from home university, describing type of support provided at home university. <p>Upon arrival at NIE, NENU students are required to undergo further medical assessments/counselling to ascertain appropriate support services if so needed, for the well-being of students. These assessments may be conducted internally at NTU or externally by third-party service providers. In such cases, NENU students need to bear the costs for such assessments.</p> <p>For NENU students on long-term medication, please refer to Health Sciences Authority’s website for more information on bringing personal medication into Singapore.</p>

Well-Being and Insurance

<p>Declaration of Disability</p>	<p>NENU students who have a disability and require academic support services must submit documentary proof of their disability (doctor’s letter and assessment report in English) and an accommodation letter in English from their home university, indicating the type of support services they are currently receiving. Please note that NIE support services may be different from what is offered in the home university. NENU students should also bring along the original assessment report during the semester.</p> <p>The information is important for review and advice on availability of similar support services at NIE.</p>
<p>Health Screening</p>	<p>Inbound students who are studying at NIE/NTU for more than 6 months will need to undergo a health screening at the NTU’s Medical Centre - Fullerton Health @ NTU. The health screening results may be used to fulfil the Immigration & Checkpoints Authority’s (ICA) requirements for Student Pass Holders, unless otherwise advised.</p> <p>Details of the health screening and appointment time slots will be advised during student's arrival. Please note that the health screening will incur an estimated cost of \$50 to \$100.</p>

Well-Being and Insurance

NIE NTU Student Insurance Schemes

It is compulsory for all NENU students to be covered under the NIE NTU student insurance schemes, namely Group Personal Accident Insurance (GPAI), Group Hospitalisation & Surgical Insurance (GHSI) and Medical scheme, even if NENU students have already bought similar insurance in their home country. **The cost of these student insurance schemes is included in the compulsory NIE NTU Miscellaneous fees.**

Falling ill and being hospitalised in Singapore can be a financial drain on international students, who are not entitled to the medical subsidies that Singapore citizens enjoy. Besides the coverage it provides, the GHSI (subject to its terms and conditions) allows you to request a Letter of Guarantee from the underwriter and present it in lieu of the requisite deposit upon admission to government/restructured hospitals in Singapore.

For more coverage details please refer to this [link](#).

Note: The GHSI covers students for COVID-19 treatment and hospitalisation in a government restructured hospital. Please refer to [this link](#) for more details on GHSI coverage and its limitations.

Well-Being and Insurance

Personal Insurance

NENU students would be covered by the NTU Student Insurance Schemes mentioned above. It is recommended for you to familiarise yourself with the insurance coverage provided by these Student Insurance Schemes. [Link](#)

The GHSI covers students for COVID-19 treatment and hospitalisation in a government restructured hospital. Please refer to [this link](#) for more details on GHSI coverage.

With the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, it is recommended that you ensure you have sufficient and comprehensive coverage for COVID-19 treatment and travel during your trip (to and from Singapore), as well as during the semester. You may wish to purchase additional personal or travel insurance for further coverage.

Depending on prevailing border measures at the point of arrival, you may also be required to provide proof of travel insurance or medical insurance coverage for entry to Singapore.

Costs

Living Cost	The living costs you incur will depend on your lifestyle. On average, students should prepare an estimated SGD 7,000 per semester to defray costs such as accommodation, food, transportation, personal expenses, textbooks etc.
Administrative and tuition fees	<p>Estimated compulsory payments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *SGD 250 per semester for Inbound UG students <p>Compulsory miscellaneous fees include administrative costs; IT facilities; sports; amenities; student health service; insurance, etc.</p> <p>NENU students are required to pay tuition fee for a semester. The tuition fee will be based on prevailing official NTU-NIE fee.</p> <p>NENU students should ensure they have sufficient monies to pay for these compulsory payments upon arrival / registration at NIE.</p> <p><i>*Fees are subject to NTU's changes.</i></p>
Student Pass fees	<p>Student Pass [payable to Immigration & Checkpoints Authority (ICA)]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Processing fee: *SGD 30, payable upon application • Issuance fee: *SGD 60, payable upon approval of Student Pass • Multiple Journey Visa (if applicable): *SGD 30 <p><i>*Fees are subject to ICA's changes.</i></p>
COVID-19 Quarantine/SHN and swab tests (based on prevailing border measures)	<p>Estimated payments [payable to government authorities]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stay-Home Notice (SHN) at government-allocated SHN dedicated facility: SGD 2,000 for 14-day SHN • Swab tests: between SGD 125 to SGD 160 per swab test <p><i>*Fees are subject to prevailing rates.</i></p>

Banking and Financial Aids

On-campus banking facilities	<p>There are banking facilities available on-campus operated by Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation (OCBC) Singapore – NTU Campus branch. Please visit OCBC’s website at this link for the various banking services offered by OCBC. Please note that an administrative fee may apply if you close the bank account within the first six months.</p> <p>NENU students may also visit Jurong Point Shopping Centre website at this link, which is located near our campus, for their banking needs.</p>
Acceptable credit/bank cards	<p>Visa / Mastercard / American Express / Diners Club / Maestro / PLUS. You may withdraw monies from the automated teller machines (ATM) located around the campus.</p>
Services available to NENU students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Internet access • NIE Sports & Recreational facilities (PESS) • Library • Medical Services

Pre-departure and Arrival

<p>Arrival Date</p>	<p>NENU students are strongly recommended to arrive and complete all quarantine/self- isolation requirements at least three days before the commencement of Teaching Week to attend the half-day orientation briefing. The orientation briefing is usually held on a Thursday or Friday of the week prior to the term commencement date. The details of the orientation briefing can be found in the Welcome email.</p> <p>NENU students who are successful in their application for on-campus housing shall be informed of their check-in date by Office of Campus Housing before their arrival.</p>
<p>Vaccinations</p>	<p>NENU students coming from or who have passed through any country at risk of yellow fever six days prior to arriving in Singapore, are required to have valid certificates of vaccination for yellow fever. Please refer to Immigration & Checkpoints Authority's website for more information.</p>
<p>COVID-19 Vaccination</p>	<p>Depending on vaccination status and travel history, NENU students may apply to enter Singapore through different SafeTravel lanes, and different quarantine requirements may also apply. Please refer to the SafeTravel website to find out the applicable SafeTravel lanes and requirements for entry.</p>
<p>Airport Reception</p>	<p>There is no airport reception.</p> <p>NENU students would need to complete all quarantine/self-isolation requirements at offcampus accommodation before making their way to the NIE NTU campus.</p> <p>For more information on how to get started at NIE NTU, refer to this link.</p>

Inbound Undergraduate Application Flowchart





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International & School Partnerships (ISP) Unit

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Monday to Thursday:

8.30 am to 5.30 pm

Friday: 8.30am to 5.15 pm

Closed on Saturday, Sunday & Public Holidays

Student Services Centre @ NIE

Supports student visa applications

Location of SSC

Office of Academic Administration & Services
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Office of Campus Housing (OCH) Nanyang Technological University 42 Nanyang Avenue #04-01 Student Services Centre Singapore 639815 Tel: (65) 6790-5155 Email: och-exch@ntu.edu.sg Website: https://www.ntu.edu.sg/life-at-ntu/accommodation/undergraduate-housing/contact-us	Office Hours: Mondays to Thursdays: 8.30am to 5.45pm Fridays: 8.30am to 5.15pm Closed on weekends and public holidays
Emergency 24-hours hotline (Campus Security)	Tel: (65) 6790 5200 <i>Call during emergencies only</i>