

Semester in Australia

Semester in Australia is a housing service, assisting international students with arranging accommodation before you leave home. Semester in Australia pre-arranges and secures off-campus rental accommodation, fully furnishing them so they are ready to move in with everything you need, when you arrive! We also assist with your arrival in Australia, making the transition to living and studying in Australia that much easier! Our on-site Resident Director will meet you at your accommodation to help you get settled and provide vital local knowledge on stuff like getting to know your local area, arranging a cell phone and internet, and the public transport system.

Our housing is fully furnished (including all kitchen items such as crockery, cutlery, cookware and glassware), includes all utility bills and is a short distance to campus, public transport, supermarkets, the city, cafes and restaurants, and entertainment. We arrange share-accommodation – setting up houses and apartments for students and we find flat mates who are also studying at Deakin University, for you to live with.

Arranging your housing with us saves you the hassle and stress of trying to find a suitable place when you arrive. It also saves you the cost of staying in temporary accommodation, figuring out good suburbs close to campus, negotiating with landlords, finding roommates etc. Booking with Semester in Australia means you can just arrive and go from the airport to your new home in Australia. You can then start enjoying your time here, instead of wasting time and energy searching for a place to live.

You can check out what our students have to say, at www.youtube.com/semesterinaustralia.

Room rates

The Semester Housing Fee is for one semester (18 weeks) and inclusive of all rent and utilities (connection and usage fees) – gas, electricity and water for this period. No additional taxes are applied. Students also have the flexibility to arrive early or stay past the semester at a rate from \$135 per week (**please note** any early arrivals/late departures are to be pre-arranged and confirmed by Semester in Australia).

| Room type | Cost | Description |
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| Standard room | AUD\$5000 for the full semester/trimester | Standard room in a 3 bedroom 1 bathroom shared house or apartment. Single bed, desk, chair, wardrobe, bedside table. |
| Small room | AUD\$4500 for the full semester/trimester | Small room in a 3 bedroom 1 bathroom shared house. Single bed, wardrobe, bedside table. |
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Housing Fee is payable before your arrival in Australia.

Optional bed packs consisting of a quilt, quilt cover and fitted sheet set, 2 pillows, pillow protectors and a large bath towel are available at a cost of \$90.

Please note that students who are successful in securing in a place in Semester in Australia housing will be notified by the Deakin Study Abroad and Exchange office.

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