University of Coastal Carolina Conway USA



The University

The University of Coastal Carolina was founded in 1954 and is home to over 8,000 students from 33 countries. The University offers study in 39 major fields and has 220 full-time faculty members and enjoys a student ration of 19:1. There are 31 student residence halls, over 130 student clubs and organisations and NCAA Division 1 athletics programmes.

University Website: http://www.coastal.edu/





Location

Coastal Carolina is located in Conway, South Carolina, just nine miles from the Atlantic coast resort of Myrtle Beach. The 302 acres of Coastal Carolina campus includes the Centre for Marine and Wetland Studies in Atlantic Centre and Myrtle Beach, and a campus in Georgetown. Waites Island, 1,062 acres of pristine barrier island on the Atlantic coast, provides a natural laboratory for extensive study in marine science and wetlands biology.

Travel

The nearest airport is Myrtle Beach Airport located in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. Students should notify the Office of International Programs of their itinerary prior to arriving so that transportation from the airport can be arranged.

There is also public transport as well as private hire transport available.

Myrtle Beach Airport: www.myrtlebeachairport.com/

Greyhound buses: www.greyhound.com





Immigration

The University of Exeter produces a visa factsheet for students travelling to the United States, including approximate costs.

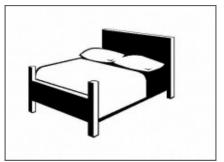
For further information:

http://www.exeter.ac.uk/international/abroad/exchange/visa/

Housing

The University main campus provides accommodation, Health Service fees and meal plans. Rooms cost from \$2,325—\$3,655 per semester and meal plans from \$1,300 per semester.

Details at: http://www.coastal.edu/reslife/ http://www.campusdish.com/en-US/CSSE/CoastalCarolina/MealPlans/





Health Insurance

Compulsory for all. Medical evacuation/repatriation must be included as part of your insurance. The Student Health Service fee is included in the Residence Hall Fee for all students residing on-campus.

http://www.coastal.edu/international/students/insurance.html

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Fall Semester 2012		Spring Semester 2013		
Orientation	15 August	Orientation	11 January	
Classes begin	20 August	Classes begin	14 January	
Thanksgiving Break	19-23 November	Spring Break	11-15 March	
Classes end	5 December	Classes end	1 May	
Exam period	7-13 December	Exam period	3-9 May	





Services

Student Services: www.coastal.edu/students/

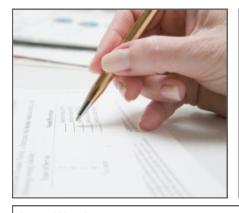
Office of International Programs: www.coastal.edu/international/

Course Requirements

To maintain your student visa status you must take a minimum of 12-16 credits of study per semester. This equates to four classes per semester

Module descriptions: www.coastal.edu/academics/





Application

1 February 2012 Deadline for submitting internal application form accompanied

by personal statement, transcript of studies to date and 2

academic references.

8 February 2012 Allocation of host institution made (in liaison with Study

Abroad Co-ordinators). Students notified and provided with

relevant host institution application form.

1 March 2012 Deadline for submitting host institution application form and

any additional supporting documentation required (e.g. transcript, photographs, financial statements, housing

applications etc).

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All information is subject to change and is given here to assist students in finding out about the host institution for themselves. Quoted costs should be taken as guidelines until confirmed by the host institution. It is the responsibility of the student to research, confirm and add to the details listed above.

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