



St John's University, 8000 Utopia Pkwy, Jamaica, NY 11439

25 June – 13 August 2025

Programme duration

1-7 weeks

Hours of tuition

15 hours per week

Minimum level

Elementary (A1)

Maximum level

Advanced (C1)

Maximum class size

18 (unless otherwise agreed)

Minimum age

12

Maximum age

19

Accommodation

Residential - On-campus single
and twin university style units

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residential and
day timetable**



Course Overview

Experience life at one of New York City's leading traditional universities, blending suburban tranquillity with urban excitement. The 102-acre campus is located in the residential area of Queens – one of the five boroughs that make up New York City. Our summer vacation courses at SJU offer students the chance to improve their English language skills and at the same time experience the diversity and energy of New York City.

Classic Programme

A full English language programme including 4 half days & 1 full day trip and 2 dinners per week in Manhattan.

- Central Park, the John Lennon Memorial & 5th Avenue
- 9/11 Memorial & Wall Street
- Greenwich Village, West Village & SoHo
- Time square & Macys

Plus Programme

The PLUS programme includes the Classic Programme visits plus the following entrances (over 2 weeks):

- Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island
- Top of the Rock
- The Metropolitan Museum of Art
- MoMA Museum

Who is this course suitable for?

International students who wish to have a taste of life in a New York university campus, and who are motivated to improve their English and experience the energy of New York. The course offers a mix of English language learning, social opportunities with other international students, and a rich activity and excursion programme with visits in and around America's largest, most dynamic city.



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Accommodation and facilities

- ↑ On-campus single and twin university style units
- ↑ Sociable common rooms
- ↑ Laundry facilities available
- ↑ Bed linens provided and changed weekly
- ↑ All meals prepared and served in the university's dining hall
- ↑ Free wifi on campus
- ↑ Extensive sports facilities such as swimming pool, athletics pitch, tennis courts, indoor sports facilities



What is included in the programme fees?

- Our full academic programme, including a placement, test on arrival, 15 hours tuition weekly, a certificate of attendance, and all pedagogic materials.
- Full board accommodation in the SJU accommodation in either single or twin rooms. Students are advised that towels are not provided. Meals are taken in the university dining hall. Dietary requirements must be communicated at the time of booking.
- The full social programme is also included, which consists of afternoon activities and teambuilding exercises, visits to New York City and other destinations. In total there are 4-5 off-campus trips each week

What is not included in the programme fees?

- Flights, travel insurance, and pocket money are not included in the course fees.
- There is a mandatory supplement payable for transfers to and from the airport, unless alternative arrangements are made, and the school is informed in advance.

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