



# ISEP Direct Program Budgeting Tool

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ISEP Direct Program: **Summer in Costa Rica - Sustainability & Service Learning**

Location: **San José, Costa Rica**

Term: **Summer 2026**

## ISEP Expenses

ISEP Application Fee	\$100
ISEP Direct Program Deposit <i>Applies to program fee</i>	\$450
ISEP Tuition <i>Includes Insurance and mandatory fees. See ISEP Website for details</i>	\$5,900
ISEP Housing <i>See ISEP Website for details</i>	\$495
<b>Total Program Fee Paid to ISEP:</b>	<b>\$6,495</b>

## Additional Estimated Expenses Paid by Student:

Home University Application or Registration Fees <i>Varies by home institution</i>	determined by home institution
Passport: <i>Based on U.S. Passport Fees</i>	\$165
Visa and/or Residency Permit	\$0
Travel to consulate for visa services, if required <i>Based on travel from Montana to Los Angeles</i>	\$0
Airfare to host site: <i>Google Flights can provide an estimate. Estimate here flying from Omaha, Nebraska, USA.</i>	\$650
Refundable Housing Deposit, if required <i>See ISEP Acceptance Package for details</i>	\$0
Meals & Local Food <i>See ISEP Acceptance Package for details</i>	\$210
Personal Expenses <i>Local public transportation, phone plan, toiletries, utilities (if applicable)</i>	\$65
Additional Optional Expenses <i>Optional excursions, optional language courses, personal travel, nights out in your host city</i>	\$150
Books & Course Materials <i>See ISEP Acceptance Package for details</i>	\$50
<b>Estimated Additional Expenses</b>	<b>\$1,290</b>
<b>Total Estimated Cost</b>	<b>\$7,785</b>