

IHP APPENDIX

Terms and Conditions for Summer Session 2026 Program Dates: June 20 – August 16, 2026

A. Summer Session Program Timeline

November 1 (Sat) Summer Session application open date.*

**The IHP application link will be shared once the nomination list is submitted.*

February (TBD) 2026 Courses are posted on the Summer Session website.

March 1 (Sun) Deadline to submit student nomination list.

March 10 (Tues) Application completion date.*

**All IHP students must have their application submitted by this date in order to be on track for course enrollment and I-20 processing.*

April 1 (Wed) Acceptance completion date.*

**Students must complete all acceptance forms via their status page, so they can be issued their Stanford ID number and are ready for the opening of course enrollment. They should begin actively working on collecting and uploading Health Requirement proof, such as vaccinations.*

April 6 (Monday, 5:30 p.m. PT) Axess opens for course enrollment.

Early April Apply for housing via Axess.*

** IHP students are guaranteed housing and are required to submit a housing application and sign the [residence agreement](#).*

Note: Student housing assignments will be determined based on status (undergraduate/graduate). The only exceptions are graduate students who are under 21.

April - May Window to register with the [Office of Accessible Education](#) for any accommodation requests. Requests made after this may be difficult to accommodate.

May 25 (Mon) Summer bill available on student's individual account in Axess, includes tuition, mandatory student fees, housing, dining, and health insurance.

Please get in touch with the International Partnerships Manager if your institution is sponsoring IHP students and would like to participate in IHP's sponsor invoicing program. Stanford University's Student Financial Services (SFS) is invoicing participating institutions via Third-Party Contracts (TPC) process in July, after the Final Study List Deadline.

May 26 (Tues) (Mon) Window to request a waiver for Cardinal Care (Health Insurance) opens.

June 1 (Mon) Final deadline to submit Health Requirements to Vaden Patient Portal.

June 15 (Mon) Cardinal Care (Health Insurance) waiver request deadline.

June 20 (Sat) Summer bill due

June 20 (Sat) Welcome event and mandatory check-in.

June 22 (Mon) First day of quarter; instruction begins.

June 22 (Mon, 5:00 p.m. PT) Preliminary Study List deadline.

June 22 (Mon, 5:00 p.m. PT) Deadline to withdraw from the program for a full tuition refund.

June 25 (Thu) Second bill available to view in Axess, includes adjustments if students make changes to unit load or meal plan.

July 3 (Fri) USA Independence Day Holiday (observed, no classes).

July 6 (Mon, 5:00 p.m. PT) Final Study List deadline. Final day to add or drop a class. Last day for tuition reassessment for dropped courses or units. (Students may withdraw from a course until the Course Withdrawal deadline, but a 'W' notation will appear on the transcript.)

July 20 (Mon) Second bill due.*

*A second bill or third bill is issued when students make adjustments to their summer after the first bill, for example changes to course load, meal plan, or printing charges.

July 24 (Fri, 5 p.m. PT) Term withdrawal deadline; last day to submit Annulment of Summer Registration form to withdraw from the University with a partial refund.

July 24 (Fri) Third bill posted

July 31 (Sat, 5:00 p.m. PT) Change of grading basis deadline.*

**IHP students must take courses for a letter grade, wherever possible.*

July 31 (Fri, 5:00 p.m. PT) Course withdrawal deadline.

Students who withdraw from a course prior to this deadline receive a 'W' notation on the transcript. Students who withdraw after this date will receive a grade for the course.

August 13 (Thu) Last day of classes.

August 14-15 (Fri-Sat) End-Quarter examinations.

August 16 (Sun, 8:00 a.m. PT) Move out.

August 20 (Thu) Third bill due.

August 25 (Tue, 11:59 p.m. PT) Grades due. Grades will be posted in Axess after this date.

IHP Course Requirements:

- Enroll in at least 8 units, 7 of which must be from academic departments.
- Take courses for a Letter Grade, wherever possible.
- Earn a B or higher in all courses, if a Letter Grade is possible.

All IHP students who successfully complete IHP course requirements will receive an official **Document of Completion** from Stanford Summer Session. The Document of Completion will be delivered digitally to eligible students at the end of the program.

B. Program Features

Costs Include:

- Welcome Event
- Access to Summer Academic Resource Center (SARC)
 - Tutoring
 - Advising
 - Workshops
- Social and cultural activities
- Local excursions to Bay area locations
- 24-hour internet access including email accounts at Stanford University
- Access to Stanford recreational facilities
- Access to Marguerite Shuttle for transportation around campus
- Access to Vaden Health Center
- Housing
 - Double (or triple) occupancy room accommodations on-campus
 - Room includes bed, desk, wardrobe, and access to laundry facilities
 - IHP Students are placed in housing according to their status (undergraduate or graduate). The only exceptions are graduate students who are under 21.
- Dining:
 - 15 meals per week plan, during the full eight week program (undergraduate only)More information on Stanford meal plans and how to adjust them:
<https://rde.stanford.edu/dining-hospitality/meal-plan-frequently-asked-questions#when-change-meal-plan>

Costs Do Not Include:

- SEVIS and visa fees paid to the US government and embassy when applying for visa
- Transportation to or from home country or any other point of departure to or from Stanford University
- Additional units of coursework beyond 8-units
- Additional meals elected by the student outside of the standard meal plan
- Travel outside of program-sponsored excursions
- Textbooks/ebooks or other course materials
- Public transportation
- Additional lab/course fees, assessed after enrollment
- Fees incurred for room damage, re-key charges, library late fees, printing, Cardinal Dollars, etc.

C. Tuition and Fees Chart¹

Tuition	Cost for courses. Tuition is calculated based on the amount of units a student takes.	Undergraduate	Graduate
8 Units	Minimum units required to maintain F1 visa	\$12,040.00	\$13,770.00
20% tuition discount	Undergraduate IHP students receive a 20% tuition reduction for 8 units (graduate students: up to 10 units)	-\$2,408	-\$2,754
Net tuition cost	Total after the tuition reduction.	\$9,632	\$11,016

Application Fee	This fee processes the application and is waived for IHP students.	-\$105 (waived)
Program Fee	The program fee covers the costs of events and activities and is waived for IHP students.	-\$345 (waived)
I-20 Fee	This fee covers the cost of processing a student's I-20 and is paid to Bechtel International Center as part of the acceptance process.	\$160
Undergraduate Housing	Cost for 8 weeks living in a shared residence on campus. IHP students must live on campus.	\$3,399
Graduate Housing	Graduate students are placed in graduate housing. Housing fees depend on student's room preference/selection.	\$3097-\$4906
Dining	Dining plans are required for all undergraduate students living on-campus during the Summer Quarter. The system defaults to 15 meals/week. Students are able to adjust their meal plan in Axxess, if desired. Graduate students may elect to add a meal plan in Axxess, if desired.	\$1,984
House Dues	This fee is used toward activities and events put on by residential staff at the residence hall.	\$94
Document Fee	This one-time university fee offsets the cost of maintaining student records, processing transcript requests, and other Registrar Office related services.	\$250
Health Insurance (Cardinal Care)	All students enrolled in courses at Stanford are required to have health insurance. The University will automatically enroll students in Stanford's Cardinal Care health insurance plan for Summer Quarter. Students may request to waive this fee with proof of acceptable alternative coverage that offers benefits comparable to those provided under Cardinal Care.	\$2,058
Campus Health Services Fee	All registered students are required to pay a quarterly fee to cover the costs of services provided by Stanford's Vaden Health Center (Stanford's on-campus health clinic). This fee is required for all students and cannot be waived.	\$271
Technology Fee	This covers the cost of an in-room network connection and a landline phone with local telephone service.	\$94
Mail Service Fee	This fee is required for all residential students at Stanford and covers use of Stanford Package and Mailing Services to receive packages during summer.	\$32

¹ All fees are estimates and subject to change. Further detail about fees and expenses is available at the Summer Session website.