

FACT SHEET 2021/2022

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ONLINE NOMINATIONS AND APPLICATIONS

ONLINE	Students must be nominated by Home Coordinators with the following link	
NOMINATIONS	https://intranet.yschools.fr/international/	
Application periods &	FALL SEMESTER: March 1 st until April 15 th	
deadlines	SPRING SEMESTER: September 1 st until October 15 th	
ONLINE APPLICATIONS	FALL SEMESTER: April 15th until June 15th + Course selection: from July 15th to July 31st (except for Double Degree students)	
Application periods & deadlines	SPRING SEMESTER: October 15 th until November 15 th + Course selection: from January 1st to 15 th (except for Double Degree students)	
Link for application	Simple exchange students: https://intranet.yschools.fr/inscription_incomings/ Double Degree students: https://intranet.yschools.fr/inscription_incomings/?doubleDegree	
Documents required (all students)	 <u>Compulsory documents to upload for acceptation</u>: <u>Passport/ID</u> (ready for uploading). For ID's please upload both sides Completed Application Form (signed by student and coordinator, and stamped) <u>Double degree students</u>: copies of previous diploma and transcripts of current year 	
	 Extra documents (may be uploaded later and before arrival): Transcripts of records European Health card or private insurance Arrival form (to be filled in before August 15th for Fall /January 15th for Spring) Documents to bring for SECURITE SOCIALE (non-European students), and to apply for CAF housing benefit on arrival (see below who is eligible): Birth certificate + mandatory official translation into French. Both documents must be issued with 'Apostille', and they will have to be issued no more than 2 months before applying to CAF. Visa (on passport), please upload it on our platform as soon as you get it 	
Visa procedures (non-EU students)	 IMPORTANT FOR ALL NON-EUROPEAN STUDENTS: All Non-European students need a visa to come and study in France BEFORE coming to France: compulsory application for a visa, either on Campus France website www.campusfrance.org/en (if your country is part of the Campus France/Etudes en France procedure) or directly at the nearest French Consulate (please check on Campus France website). For students who do not live in their home country, visa applications have to be submitted at the French consulate of the country of residence. ONCE in France, and depending on the visa you received: Visa 'Etudiant' 'CESEDA R311-3 6° also called VLS-TS (valid 3 months before extension): this type of visa is given to students who come for an academic year, and sometimes for a semester: compulsory procedures once in France to get an extension (with help of International Office): payment of official tax (60 € in 2017/18) and interview with OFII, French Immigration Bureau, in Troyes. With this type of visa, you may apply to CAF housing benefit and work in France (60% of legal working hours). Visa 'Long séjour temporaire' 'Dispense temporaire de carte de séjour' also called VLS-T: this type of visa is generally given to students who come and stay for one semester. There is no special procedure to go through once in France, but students are not entitled to apply for CAF housing benefit, and are not allowed to work. 	
CVEC (Contribution Vie		
Etudiante et de Campus)	CVEC (Contribution Vie Etudiante et de Campus): Compulsory 92€ tax for all fee paying students. Exchange students are exempted <u>https://cvec.etudiant.gouv.fr/</u>	

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

ARRIVAL DAYS	Fall semester: late August / early September Spring semester: late January	
	A pick-up service from Troyes train station is offered only on arrival days; students are taken to their flats by 'ESN 3' French students.	
COMPULSORY Orientation days	Fall semester: first week of September Spring semester: first week of February	
Semester dates	Fall semester: first week of September – last week of January - exact dates to be announced asap Spring semester: first week of February – last week of June - exact dates to be announced asap	
Intensive French classes	Only for Fall semester and only for registered students: Placement test will be done during the Orientation days for all registered students and for BBA double-degree students. Level groups: beginner, intermediate and advanced If students want to take French classes (intensive / regular courses), they must register on the application platform and will take a French test on arrival.	

DEAL WITH PAPERWORK

Concierge service Compulsory NEW!	Feel Français, our partner, is a premium concierge service specialized in assisting foreign students in preparing their arrival in France. You will receive an email with login & password to connect to their platform Feel Français (https://school.feelfrancais.com/login, please check your spams) Before your arrival in Troyes: - Find accommodation - Understand how to process your visa application if you need one. - Open a French bank account (you need it for CAF aid)
	- Subscribe a housing insurance (mandatory in France)
	Once you set foot in Troyes: - Enroll in la CAF (housing allowance from the French state) - Visa validation (only for non EU) - Public transportation card subscription - Subscribe to electricity for your accommodation - Subscribe a health insurance plan (only for non EU)

ARRIVAL INFORMATION

Accommodation	HOUSING PLATFORM, direct from students to landlords <u>https://yschools.studapart.com/en/</u> This platform is monitored by a company called Studapart, offering student residences, private flats and real estate agencies' services.	
	Guarantor: Studapart: Students willing to choose a private flat will be asked by S French guarantor, or to register to the "Guarantee of Confidence" will VISALE: free service to get a guarantor. Only for EU students and nu 'Visa Etudiant CESEDA R311-3 6°', <u>https://www.visale.fr/#!/</u>, <u>https://www.campusfrance.org/en/VISALE-free-security-deposit-for-security-deposit-</u>	th a fee. on-EU students holding a
	Home insurance: it will be required to enter your flat, it is mandatory in F contacted by E-mail to register for a student offer before your arrival (approx. 6	
	Housing benefit (CAF): For European students, and non-European students holding 'Visa Etudiant CE Information for application to CAF can be found at <u>http://www.caf.fr/</u> . Application in France, with the help of French buddies, at 'Maison des Etudiants', and take students. <u>NB</u> : Local tax (approx. one-month rent) will be required by French authorities (whatever the length of your stay)	ons must be made once en directly to CAF by
Expenses	CVEC (Contribution Vie Etudiante et de Campus): Compulsory 92€ tax for all fee paying students <u>https://ovec.etudiant.gouv.fr/</u> . Payment certificate and specific number will be delivered automatically; they will have to be presented for online registration at Y SCHOOLS. Exchange students are exempted	
	Feel français 35€ compulsory	
	Compulsory residence permit for non-European students holding V is a Etud (60 \in in 2019/20).	iant CESEDA R311-3 6°
	Home insurance: approx. 60	compulsory
	Different Student Unions (BDE, BDS, ESN…) approx. 25 €/ semester	optional
	Compulsory Student Card (includes access to exams, library, photocopies Re-issues will cost $10 \in$.) given upon arrival.
	Lunch ticket at school: 3,95€ (2019/20) Food: approx. 250 €/ month Public transport: approx. 35 €/ month "Baguette de pain": approx. 1 €	

Health insurance requirements	 Exchange students: EU students must bring the European Health Card (EHIC). They can also ask in their country of residence for the "S1" document and make the procedures upon arrival with the CPAM to be covered by the French social security. Non-EU students must take out a private insurance policy before departure. Those holding a VLS TS visa will have access to Sécurité Sociale, free of charge. Fee Paying students EU and Non-EU students after applying to the CVEC will receive a NIR number (see information above) necessary to register to free French Health Insurance "Sécurité Sociale Française" upon arrival on the following link: https://tudiant-etranger.ameli.fr/#/. Students must bring a birth certificate and translation into French for "Sécurité Sociale" subscription. We advise all students to come with a health insurance from their country, as application to Sécurité Sociale can take some time.
Bank Account	A French bank account is compulsory to get the housing benefit. We will help you to open one during the orientation days.

COURSE INFORMATION

	Available on our Intranet:	
Course details	http://open.get-formation.fr/recherche.php	
	New list of courses available in July / December of each year. Normal load is 30 ECTS credits per semester. In the ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) system of study points, a student gets 60 credits per year. Students can choose any of the courses offered at Y SCHOOLS. However, they have to fulfil the requirements of their sending institution. Language of tuition: French or English (please select 'Teaching Language') Please note that REGISTRATION for Intensive and Regular French classes is compulsory, see below.	
	Online selection: Fall semester: July 15 th to 31 st / Spring semester: January 1st to 15 th	
	Double Degree students do not have to select courses, as specialization is chosen when filling online application (DD BBA students only have to choose a language track when applying)	
Language courses	Our Language Department offers French as a foreign language courses, intensive and regular. Students interested in French courses must register on our Application platform.	
	Fall semester: Placement test early September Spring semester: Placement test early February	
	Intensive French: Fall semester Regular French: both semesters → Compulsory registration on the platform!	
	Restricted numbers of students in language courses	
Grading System at Y SCHOOLS	A: 18-20 / EXCELLENT D: 12-13,9 / SATISFACTORY B: 16-17,9 / VERY GOOD E: 10-11,9 / SUFFICIENT C: 14-15,9 / GOOD F: <10 / FAIL - FA : Absent	
Exams	Exams are to be taken during or at the end of each semester (final exam, oral exam, report, paper work). Students have the possibility to resit exams once (compulsory registration). <u>Y SCHOOLS student card must be presented at the beginning of every exam</u> . Students arriving 5 minutes late to an exam will not be admitted.	
TOEFL (English test)	□ compulsory √ not requested	
TFI (French test)	□ compulsory √not requested	
	However, we rely on our partner institutions to ensure that students coming to study at Y SCHOOLS have a sufficient level of French / English, to cope with an academic environment.	
	For students taking part in our Double Degree Programs, a good command of French/ English is compulsory: - PGE Program: French and English - BBA: French or English - MBA Tourism: English only for the MBA during the Spring semester	

Number of students	1 800	
Inhabitants in Troyes	130 000 (including suburbs)	
Staff	65 administrative staff 35 permanent teachers 350 professional teachers	
International Mobility (approx)	250 incoming students per year 250 outgoing students per year 300 students on work placement abroad 200 partner universities	
International welcome days	 Organized by International Affairs Arrival days and pick up service by ESN 3 at Troyes station Diverse courses offered from several programs (taught in French or in English) Focus on practical education within an academic environment: PGE General Management Program BBA International Business Program BTM/MBA, Event Management/ Luxury Tourism Management Program Arts and Design Program (for Design students only) 	
School Facilities	 Wireless System Network (WIFI) Library Language Lab Restaurant and Cafeteria Computer rooms Fitness Centre Student unions (BDE, ESN 3, BDS) 3 Campuses in Troyes - Campus Brossolette Campus St Martin Technopole (incubator) 	
Useful links	Troyes Tourist Office: <u>http://en.tourisme-troyes.com/</u> TCAT (Troyes bus transport): <u>http://www.tcat.fr/</u> French railways (SNCF): <u>http://www.voyages-sncf.com/billet-train/horaires</u> RATP (Paris transport): <u>https://www.ratp.fr/en/visite-paris/english/visiting-paris-and-its-surrounding- areas</u>	