

ESTIMATE OF STUDENT EXPENSES

SPRING 2024 WALES STUDY GROUP: January 22 - June 15, 2024

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What follows is an *estimate* of study group costs and expenses. Actual figures will vary depending upon exchange rates,¹ student spending habits, and other individual considerations. It is the student's responsibility to understand costs and develop a budget. Financial aid will be based upon the total estimated cost of the study group. Questions about individual aid should be directed to the Office of Financial Aid at finaid@colgate.edu.

COST BREAKDOWN		
Costs billed by Colgate to student account:		\$38,675
TUITION & FEES: Colgate spring 2024 tuition (\$33,311); Student Activity Fee (\$201) ²	\$33,512	
HOUSING & FOOD: Room at study group location (\$3,842) + room (\$438) and meals (\$578) on study group excursions	\$4,858	
INSURANCE: Required international health insurance – CISI (\$60.88/month)	\$305	
Expenses paid directly by student:		\$7,250
FOOD: Food and meals at study group site ³	\$2,500	
TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip airfare JFK – Cardiff Airport, ⁴ + local transportation around Cardiff	\$1,500	
PERSONAL EXPENSES: Other estimated expenses - including, but not limited to, items such as: laundry, personal hygiene, mobile phone plan, and reasonable costs for recreation/entertainment US citizens do not need a UK visa in advance for this program (\$135)	\$3,000	
BOOKS, COURSE MATERIALS, SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT	\$250	

Total estimated cost of the S24 Wales Study Group:	\$45,925
Total estimated cost of a spring 2024 semester on Colgate campus ⁵	\$43,849*
The S24 Wales Study Group is estimated to cost \$2,076 more than a spring 2024 semester on campus	\$2,076

*On-campus semester costs vary by individual, range: \$43,510 - \$44,549

¹ Estimated costs are based on exchange rate of US\$1 to GBP £.8 (oanda.com 10/30/23).

² The Student Activity Fee will be put toward a student-directed study group activity in Cardiff.

³ Students will prepare their own meals or eat out.

⁴ Students may choose to pay for airfare by using their credit card or billing their student account. Itinerary and purchasing options will be reviewed during required pre-departure meetings.

⁵ Estimated cost of an on- campus semester based on housing figures for upperclassmen; semester costs vary by individual, range: \$43,510 - \$44,549.