

Jordan

In 2012-2013, 935 U.S. students studied abroad for academic credit in Jordan.

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Education System Overview

- **Academic year: September-June**
- **Major school holidays/break:**
 - Christmas Day: December 25
 - New Year's Eve
 - Palm Sunday
 - Eid Al Adha and Eid Al Fiter: dates change from year to year
 - Jordanian Labor Day: May 01
 - Jordanian Independence Day: May 25
 - Islamic New Year: date changes from year to year
 - Prophet Mohammad's Birthday (date changes from year to year)
 - Summer break (Mid-June- End of August),
 - Mid Semester break (End of December- mid January)
- **Years of study required to earn a bachelor's degree:** 4 years (More for specialized fields Engineering, Medicine and Pharmacy)
- **The language of instruction in universities:** Arabic or English

RESOURCES

- Ministry of Higher Education
Website: <http://www.mohe.gov.af/?lang=en&p=home>
- Organization: Ministry of Education
Website: http://www.moe.gov.af/contact_us.htm

Know Before You Go

- [**How to Apply for your U.S. Passport**](#)
- [**Country Specific Travel Information**](#)

Links to U.S. Government-Sponsored Study and Exchange Programs

- [**Fulbright-Hays Program**](#)
- [**American Council of Young Political Leaders \(ACYPL\)**](#)
- [**Gilman International Scholarship**](#)

- **Critical Language Enhancement Award**
- **Fulbright U.S. Student Program**
- **Critical Language Scholarship Program**