

## Eligibility for Nomination

To be eligible as an inbound exchange student to UNO, the student:

1. must be a current undergraduate or graduate student at UNO's partner university through University Partnership, MAUI-Utrecht, or ISEP.
2. And, has been nominated by home university coordinator to UNO through the nomination form during the open nomination period.

## Requirements for Application/Successful Admission

<https://www.unomaha.edu/international-studies-and-programs/study-abroad/incoming-exchange/apply.php>

### 1. Submit the Scanned Copy of Passport

Color scans or photos are preferred in pdf or jpeg format. Legible copy only. Passports must be valid for 6 months beyond the student's intended departure date from the home university/home country.

### 2. Submit the Transcript(s)

Transcripts must be current including all the earned academic credits and translated to English. For inbound exchange students, undergraduate-level, minimum of 2.0 GPA on a 4.0 GPA scale. For inbound exchange students, graduate-level, must provide transcripts for all degrees completed, including the bachelor's degree in addition to the current transcript. Inbound exchange students, graduate-level, do not require a minimum GPA.

If transcripts are not issued in English, please also submit certified English translations. The certified English translation can be completed by a translator who provides a signed statement and indicates that the translation is accurate and true to the original.

Transcripts submitted will be used to waive prerequisites and request permission to enroll in higher level courses in the student's field of study. It is important that all earned academic credits are included on the submitted transcript(s).

### 3. Submit the Proof of English Proficiency

Students from Australia, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, and the United Kingdom whose first language is English are exempt from this requirement. TOEFL, IELTS, PTE Academic or Duolingo results are the preferred indicators of English proficiency. Applicants whose first language is not English can submit one of the following:

For undergraduate level of study, TOEFL iBT/PBT 61/500 or TOEFL iBT Home Edition 61. IELTS 6.0. Duolingo English Exam 95. PTE Academic 44. ACT English Sub Score 18. SAT Reading Sub Score 24. UNO Certificate of English Language Proficiency

[https://www.unomaha.edu/international-studies-and-programs/study-abroad/\\_files/docs/english-](https://www.unomaha.edu/international-studies-and-programs/study-abroad/_files/docs/english-)

[proficiency-form-updated-2019.pdf](#) completed by the student's professor or instructor of English, or a director of an English language program. ISEP Language Proficiency Report (LPR) B2. TOEFL MyBest Scores and IELTS Indicator are not accepted.

For graduate level of study, TOEFL IBT/PBT 80/550. IELTS 6.5. PTE Academic 53. Duolingo English Exam 105. UNO Certificate of English Language Proficiency [https://www.unomaha.edu/international-studies-and-programs/study-abroad/\\_files/docs/english-proficiency-form-updated-2019.pdf](https://www.unomaha.edu/international-studies-and-programs/study-abroad/_files/docs/english-proficiency-form-updated-2019.pdf) completed by the student's professor or instructor of English, or a director of an English language program. The proof of English Proficiency should be within 2 years. Other English proficiency exams are not accepted.

4. Submit the UNO Financial Affidavit

Students must provide proof that they have the financial resources to live and study in the United States. Please download the most recent UNO Financial Affidavit for Inbound Exchange students, fill it out, and submit it to the application form.

5. Submit the Supporting Documents for UNO Financial Affidavit

To complete the most recent UNO Financial Affidavit, please submit the bank document to the application form. A recent bank statement or letter from the bank shows adequate funds for the duration of the program to cover personal expenses and any fees that cannot be waived. The tuition and some fees are waived with the nomination, and the student's financial supporting documents must show the total balance listed on the most recent UNO Financial Affidavit on page 2, section 2.

## Important Dates

### Academic Calendar

Fall Semester - main term, from late August to mid December, 16 weeks of study  
Winter Break - no class provided, from mid December to late January, 4 weeks of break  
Spring Semester - main term, from late January to mid May, 16 weeks of study  
Summer Sessions - optional term, from late May to mid August, 6 weeks or 12 weeks of study

Academic Year - Fall Semester + Spring Semester, from late August to mid May  
Calendar Year - Spring Semester + Summer Sessions + Fall Semester, from late January to mid December  
January Session - ONLY open to Academic Year inbound exchange students, 3 weeks of study

### Academic Calendar Website

[Academic Calendar](#) | [Registrar](#) | [University of Nebraska Omaha \(unomaha.edu\)](#)

### Terms of Study for Inbound Exchange Students

Fall Semester only  
or  
Spring Semester only  
or  
Academic Year = Fall Semester+Winter Break (no classes, no exchange benefit on tuition/fees/housing/meals)+Spring Semester  
or  
Calendar Year = Spring Semester+Summer Sessions(optional classes, no exchange benefit on tuition/fees/housing/meals)+Fall Semester

### Timeline and Nomination/Application Deadlines

		Academic Year 2023-2024			
		Calendar Year 2023		Calendar Year 2024	
		Spring 2023	Fall 2023	Spring 2024	Fall 2024
<b>Before You Apply and After You Apply</b>	Factsheet Updates	March 2022	September 2022	March 2023	September 2023
	Earliest Day of Nomination	09/01/2022	02/01/2023	09/01/2023	02/01/2024
	Call for Nomination	09/15/2022	03/15/2023	09/15/2023	03/15/2024

	Nomination Deadline	10/15/2022	04/15/2023	10/15/2023	04/15/2024
	Earliest Day of Application	09/15/2022	03/15/2023	09/15/2023	03/15/2024
	Application Deadline	11/15/2022	05/15/2023	11/15/2023	05/15/2024
	Visa Application with In-Person Interview	After successful admission and before your arrival, the earlier the better	After successful admission and before your arrival, the earlier the better	After successful admission and before your arrival, the earlier the better	After successful admission and before your arrival, the earlier the better
<b>Before You Leave and After You Arrive</b>	Earliest Day of Course Enrollment on MavLINK	11/08/2022	04/11/2023	11/08/2023	04/11/2024
	Earliest Day of Arrival to U.S.	30 days before the Program Start Date on your DS-2019 form	30 days before the Program Start Date on your DS-2019 form	30 days before the Program Start Date on your DS-2019 form	30 days before the Program Start Date on your DS-2019 form
	Free Airport Pick Up Date	Estimated: 01/16/2023 between 8am - 10pm  And  01/17/2023 between 8am - 10pm  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:UNOinternational@unomaha.edu">UNOinternational@unomaha.edu</a> in December	Estimated: 08/14/2023 between 8am - 10pm  And  08/15/2023 between 8am - 10pm  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:UNOinternational@unomaha.edu">UNOinternational@unomaha.edu</a> in July	Estimated: 01/16/2024 between 8am - 10pm  And  01/17/2024 between 8am - 10pm  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:UNOinternational@unomaha.edu">UNOinternational@unomaha.edu</a> in December	Estimated: 08/20/2024 between 8am - 10pm  And  08/21/2024 between 8am - 10pm  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:UNOinternational@unomaha.edu">UNOinternational@unomaha.edu</a> in July
	Earliest Day of Move In to UNO on-campus	Same with Free Airport Pick Up Date	Same with Free Airport Pick Up Date	Same with Free Airport Pick Up Date	Same with Free Airport Pick Up Date

	Housing	Early move-in fees may or may not apply.  Early move-in cost is \$23 per night multiplied by how many nights the student stays before the Regular Day of Move-in	Early move-in fees may or may not apply.  Early move-in cost is \$23 per night multiplied by how many nights the student stays before the Regular Day of Move-in	Early move-in fees may or may not apply.  Early move-in cost is \$23 per night multiplied by how many nights the student stays before the Regular Day of Move-in	Early move-in fees may or may not apply.  Early move-in cost is \$23 per night multiplied by how many nights the student stays before the Regular Day of Move-in
	Mandatory In-person Orientation	Estimated: 01/19/2023  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:unointladvicing@unomaha.edu">unointladvicing@unomaha.edu</a> in December	Estimated: 08/18/2023  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:unointladvicing@unomaha.edu">unointladvicing@unomaha.edu</a> in July	Estimated: 01/19/2024  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:unointladvicing@unomaha.edu">unointladvicing@unomaha.edu</a> in December	Estimated: 08/23/2024  Watch out for emails from <a href="mailto:unointladvicing@unomaha.edu">unointladvicing@unomaha.edu</a> in July
	Regular Day of Move-in to UNO on-campus housing	01/21/2023	08/19/2023	01/21/2024	08/25/2024
	First Day of Classes	01/23/2023	08/21/2023	01/22/2024	08/26/2024
	Last Day of Course Enrollment/ Add/Drop/Change	01/30/2023	08/25/2023	01/29/2024	08/30/2024
	First Day of Bill Statement on MavLINK	02/01/2023	09/01/2023	02/01/2024	09/01/2024
	Payment to the Bill Statement on MavLINK Deadline	02/23/2023	09/23/2023	02/23/2024	09/23/2024
	Campus-Closed Holiday	03/12-03/19	10/16-10/17	03/10-03/17	10/21-10/22

	and Break		11/22-11/23		11/27-11/29
	Last Day of Classes	05/13/2023	12/01/2023	05/11/2024	12/14/2024
	Final Exams Week	05/15-05/19	12/04-12/08	05/11-05/16	12/14-12/20
	Last Day of Housing Benefit	05/20/2023	12/10/2023	05/18/2024	12/21/2024
<b>Before You Return</b>	First Day of Official Transcript Available	05/27/2023	12/18/2023	05/30/2024	01/02/2025
	Last Day of legal stay inside of U.S.	The 30th day after the Program End Date on your DS-2019 form	The 30th day after the Program End Date on your DS-2019 form	The 30th day after the Program End Date on your DS-2019 form	The 30th day after the Program End Date on your DS-2019 form