

Preparatory Year

HSE's Preparatory Year trains international students with little or no knowledge of Russian before they begin Russian-taught Bachelor's and Master's programmes. Students improve their basic language skills, study in a chosen academic field (humanities, economics, or engineering), and adapt to the new educational environment. Upon completing Preparatory Year, students are expected to possess intermediate-level language skills (CEFR level B1, TRKI level 1) and be ready to study in Russian-taught full-degree programmes at HSE and other Russian universities.

Dates:

Basic: October 2018 – July 2019

Fee: 174 000 RUB

Intensive: February 2019 – July 2019

Fee: 86 500 RUB

1,5 year course: February 2019 – July 2020

Fee: 260 000 RUB

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Life at HSE

Housing:

All visiting students are guaranteed housing in HSE's centrally located dormitories, where rent averages 1100 RUB per month.

Cafeterias:

Throughout HSE's buildings, cafeterias serve students and professors breakfast, lunch, and dinner at low prices.

Buddy Network:

Russian student volunteers help out international students during their stay at HSE.

Student Groups:

Clubs and activities include sports, travel, publications, the arts, and volunteering.

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English-taught non-degree programmes



Semester in Moscow

Opening all of HSE's English-taught programmes to visiting undergraduate and graduate students, Semester in Moscow offers a wide array of courses in social sciences, the humanities, IT, mathematics, and more. Russian language training is available at all levels, and students can also enroll in HSE's Russian-taught courses if their command of the language is strong enough. The programme places students in the heart of Russia's capital, giving them the opportunity to explore Moscow's many dimensions.

Dates:

Fall semester: September 2018 – December 2018

Spring semester: January 2019 – May 2019

Fee: 3000 USD per semester

Credits: 24-30 ECTS

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Students can also spend a semester at HSE's St. Petersburg or Nizhny Novgorod campuses.

International Summer University

Each summer, undergraduate and graduate students and professionals from all over the world come to Moscow for English-taught courses with HSE's top professors. Courses focus on the politics, history, economics, and culture of Russia and Eurasia, and also include computer science, mathematics, social sciences, the humanities, and Russian language. Students design their own study plans based on their interests and the number of credits they wish to earn. Special modules are offered at HSE's St. Petersburg and Nizhny Novgorod campuses, so that international students can experience three unique Russian cities in one summer.

Dates:

June 20 – August 20, 2018

Fee: 150 USD per academic credit

Credits: 4-16 ECTS

Contact: summer-hse@hse.ru | hse.ru/summer



Doing Business in Russia

Designed for students interested in careers involving Russia, this programme provides both valuable practical experience through internships and theoretical knowledge through classroom instruction. Students are placed in Global and German companies operating in Russia, where they learn first-hand about the inner working of businesses in Russia. Courses focus on entrepreneurship, business environment, cross-cultural negotiations, multicultural teamwork, and marketing. The programme culminates with company-based projects and experience-sharing seminar.

Dates:

Fall semester: October 2018 – March 2019

Spring semester: April 2019 – September 2019

Fee: 1500 EUR

Credits: 12-30 ECTS

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Russian Language Courses

Throughout the year, Russian language courses are offered at all levels, from beginner to advanced. Studying in small groups, students develop their reading, writing, and speaking skills through classroom instruction and conversational practice with native speakers. Standard courses and thematic electives are held during the academic year. In the summer, an intensive module and a special programme for heritage speakers are offered. Through extracurricular activities, HSE language tutors introduce students to life and culture in Moscow.

Dates:

Fall semester: September 2018 – December 2018

Spring semester: January 2019 – May 2019

Fee: 67 500 RUB per semester

Credits: 12-13 ECTS

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