

COLGATE OFFICE OF OFF-CAMPUS STUDY

ESTIMATE OF STUDENT EXPENSES

SPRING 2023 WALES STUDY GROUP: January 23 – June 17, 2023

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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, discretionary travel, 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 SUMMARY	
Total estimated cost (see below) of a semester on S23 Wales Study Group	\$44,080
Total estimated cost of a spring 2023 semester on Colgate campus	\$41,800
The SP23 Wales Study Group is estimated to cost \$2,280 more than the spring 2022 semester on campus.	\$2,280

COST BREAKDOWN		
Costs billed by Colgate to student account:		\$36,480
TUITION & FEES: Colgate spring 2023 tuition (\$31,952) & Student Activity Fee (\$193) ²	\$32,145	
ROOM & BOARD: Room at study group location (\$3,351) + room (\$300) and some meals (\$454) on study group excursions	\$4,105	
PERSONAL EXPENSES: Required international health insurance – CISI (\$1.55/day)	\$230	
Expenses paid directly by student:		\$7,600
ROOM & BOARD: Food and meals at study group site ³	\$2,500	
TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip airfare JFK – Cardiff Airport ⁴ (\$1,500) + airport transport ⁵ (\$100) + local transportation around Cardiff (\$400)	\$2,000	
PERSONAL EXPENSES: Other estimated expenses including toiletries, laundry, cell phone plan & other incidentals. US citizens do not need a UK visa in advance for this program (\$135).	\$3,000	
BOOKS & SUPPLIES: books, maps, stationery	\$100	
Total estimated cost of the S23 Wales Study Group:		\$44,080

¹ Estimated costs based upon exchange rate of £1 = \$1.12 US on 10/14/22 www.oanda.com.

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 Students may need to pay out of pocket for RT airport transport to their residence hall.