

Study Abroad Program—Student Evaluation – TEMPLATE*

* As the Program Director, you can use this document as a guide when creating a program-specific evaluation.

Instructions:

Your evaluation of this program is important, especially for future planning. After filling in the biographical information, please rate these experiences that were part of your study abroad program. You are encouraged to give specific comments and examples.

Your major: _____

Your class year: (freshman, sophomore, etc.) _____

Have you traveled abroad before? ___No ___Yes If yes, where: _____

1. Orientation Sessions

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|--|-----------|------|------|
| A. Pre-departure orientation at Edgewood | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| B. Orientation at Host Site/University | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| C. Comments: | | | |

2. Program Location

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|---------------|-----------|------|------|
| A. City | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| B. University | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| C. Comments: | | | |

3. Host Families/Housing

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|---------------------------------------|-----------|------|------|
| A. Room | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| B. Food | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| C. Atmosphere (friendly, comfortable) | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| D. Comments: | | | |

4. Course/Lecture(s) at host site

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|---|-----------|------|------|
| A. Professor | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| B. Teaching techniques & class activities | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| C. Concepts and material learned | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| D. Comments: | | | |

5. Workshop(s)

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|-----------|-----------|------|------|
| | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| Comments: | | | |

6. Volunteer Opportunities/Service Learning

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|-----------|-----------|------|------|
| | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| Comments: | | | |

7. Excursions

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| A. Excursion 1 | | | |
| Food | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| Lodging | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| Tours & guides | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| Timing (length & dates of excursion) | Excellent | Good | Poor |
| Comments: | | | |

8. Overall rating of the study abroad program

Excellent

Good

Poor

Comments:

Please answer these more general questions about your program:

1. What did you learn about yourself and your culture while you were abroad?
2. What was the most rewarding aspect of your experience abroad?
3. What was the most challenging aspect of your experience abroad?
4. Suggestions/comments for future students participating in your program:

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements:

- My study abroad experience changed my perception of U.S. culture and its citizens.
Agree neutral disagree
- By studying abroad, I gained confidence in my ability to adapt to new situations.
Agree neutral disagree
- Through the personal interactions I had abroad, I gained confidence in my ability to communicate with people from cultures different from my own.
Agree neutral disagree
- Now that I've studied abroad, I wonder why we always emphasize what makes people different. U.S. Americans aren't so different from the people in my host country.
Agree neutral disagree
- When I examine a problem, I usually think about it from more than one cultural point of view.
Agree neutral disagree
- Now that I've traveled abroad, I realize how much better we have it in the U.S.
Agree neutral disagree
- My life is enriched by my relationships with people from different backgrounds and experiences.
Agree neutral disagree
- I would recommend my study abroad program to other Edgewood students.
Agree neutral disagree