

Salem State College



“I have never had so much fun in my life...

Going abroad is a great step and will change your life!”

German student

Location

Enjoy the safe, friendly community in the historical city of Salem, while having the attractions and activities of the magnificent and culturally diverse city Boston - just 1/2 hour away along the Atlantic ocean. The town is located along an inlet of the ocean with a boat harbor, quaint shops, parks, and homes dating back to the original settlers of the United States.

Climate

This area experiences 4 distinct seasons. In the Autumn, the changing color of the leaves is magnificent. Summer temperatures average about 30C and Winter is about 0C or less with frequent snow storms.

Majors

Art, Graphic Design, Photography, Multimedia, Biology, Chemistry, Economics, English, Geography, History, Math, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Spanish, Theater, Communications, Computer Studies, Criminal Justice, Economics, Travel/Tourism, Psychology, Sport/Fitness/Leisure studies, Music, Business Administration, Finance, Management.

Housing

Each dorm suite has 2 bedrooms, a bathroom, living area and kitchen. Two people share a room, each having a bed, desk, chair, and closet. Residents eat at the cafeteria or campus food service areas.

Sports

Intercollegiate teams for men: baseball, basketball, cross-country, golf, ice hockey, lacrosse, soccer, swimming, tennis, track & field.

For women: basketball, cross-country, field hockey, lacrosse, softball, soccer, swimming, tennis, track & field, volleyball.

Intramural sports: basketball, flag football, floor hockey, soccer, softball, volleyball, cycling, golf, tennis, karate, lacrosse, raquetball, rock-climbing.

Activities

Enjoy an abundance of activities, on campus, in the town of Salem, or in nearby Boston. The international club is very active on campus and a great place to meet other international students at one of their parties, meetings or trips. Salem

attracts notable speakers to the campus, such as former presidents Carter, Ford and Bush, famous authors, journalists, athletes and entertainers. You may also join many clubs and organizations such as the student newspaper, business administration club, art club, just to name a few. Take a short train ride to Boston for the day and choose from hundreds of fun things to do and see. Attend a professional baseball, ice hockey, or basketball game. Visit world famous Harvard University, go to a museum, see a concert, have a meal in the Italian district, shop at a boutique or large department store, or take a walking tour of the city that was at the heart of America's struggle for independence from England.

Transportation

Students may use the campus bus to travel from one part of campus to the other. There is a train or ferry boat to go to Boston and public transportation (bus, metro) is very convenient within Boston.

Campus Facilities

Library, computer labs, food service, athletic fields, gymnasium, tennis courts, indoor swimming pool, theater.

Special Feature

The staff at the international student office on campus is very friendly and helpful. With so many classes to choose from and a huge variety of activities on campus or in the surrounding area of Boston, you will always have the chance to do something fun and never be bored. This is a great location to learn about American history by living right where it all started.

Location: Salem, Massachusetts
about 50km north of Boston

Size of City: 40,000

Size of School: 6000

Type of School: Public, 4 year university

Degrees Offered: BA, BS

International Enrollment: 150

TOEFL Requirement: 500/173

