

The Summer Honors Institute Fast Facts

- The 2019 Summer Honors Institute summer school program is located on Johns Hopkins University's Baltimore, Maryland (MD) campus known as "Homewood."
- The Institute runs during the university's second summer term, which begins on July 1, 2019 and ends on August 2, 2019.
- The minimum standards for admission are:
 - 1) TOEFL (iBT) score of 100; IELTS 7 or higher on each band
 - 2) GPA or equivalent of 3.5 or higher
- The last day to apply for admission into the 2019 Summer Honors Institute is May 15, 2019.
- The **participation fee** (excluding tuition) per student to attend the 2019 Summer Honors Institute is \$5,291. This includes room & board, health insurance, participation in the meal plan and 2 group field trips to historic and/or scenic areas.
- The **tuition** per student for the required two-course load is based on the number of students from the same institution:
 - ✓ 1-10 students: \$4,347 (reflecting a 1.5-credit discount)
 - ✓ 11-19 students: \$3,864 (reflecting a 2-credit discount)
 - ✓ 20 students: \$3,634 (reflecting a 2-credit discount & application fee waiver)

These final figures do not include roundtrip airfare.

- You must obtain an **F-1 Non-immigrant Student** visa prior to your arrival. This visa will be valid from your arrival to the end of your program on August 2. At the end of the program you have an additional 60 days – until October 2, 2019 – in which to travel around the United States if you wish.
- Students should arrange to arrive at **Thurgood Marshall/Baltimore-Washington International Airport (BWI)**. A representative from the 2019 Summer Honors Institute will meet students upon arrival. JHU offers a free shuttle service from the airport to the Johns Hopkins University Homewood campus on Sunday, June 30, 2019; and shuttle service to the BWI airport upon completion of your program, on Saturday, August 3, 2019. More information about airport transfers will be made available after students have been accepted into the Institute.
- All 2019 Summer Honors Institute students will live in Charles Commons Residence Hall on campus. You will receive: sheets, washcloths, towels, a blanket and pillow, and a pillow case. You may check in to your residence hall room on Sunday, June 30, 2019; you must check out of your residence hall room by Saturday, August 3, 2019. Housekeeping will clean common areas once per week. Unless there is an issue of incompatibility, you should remain in the room assigned to you throughout your time at JHU.

- Upon arrival you will attend an Opening Ceremony, welcoming you into the program and the JHU community. Upon completion of the program, you will attend a Closing Ceremony, at which you will receive a Certification of Participation.
- The 2019 Summer Honors Institute will sponsor two, group field trips to historically significant cities such as **Philadelphia** (first capital of the newly-independent United States) and **Washington, DC** (the capitol of the U.S.). Students are welcome to make self-managed trips to other locations as their circumstances allow, at their own expense and on their own time.
- As a student in this group, you will be added to program-specific WeChat discussions, designed to enhance a sense of community and support. In addition, you will have the opportunity to participate in other activities such as lectures on *US History and Culture*; *Cultural Adjustment*; and other topics of interest and relevance.
- Questions about the 2019 Summer Honors Institute program and the application process may be directed to Ms. Ningping Yu, JHU's representative in Nanjing, China. You may contact her at nyu5@jhu.edu.
- During the 2019 Summer Honors Institute program students will have daily on-campus access to support and guidance. Dr. Janet Gomez, Director of International Academic programs, will guide you throughout the program and answer all your questions about topics such as admissions, academics, and living in Baltimore.
- Learn more at <http://summerprograms.jhu.edu/honorsinstitute>

