

**Santa Rosa Junior College
Spanish and Communications
Buenos Aires, Argentina - Summer 2026**



The AIFS program fee of \$4,595.00 includes the following (based on an enrollment of 20-29 participants):

Accommodation, Meals, and Travel Pass:

- Accommodation: twin-bedded rooms in studio apartments in centrally located apart-hotels. Two SRJC students will be placed per unit, across three different buildings in the same neighborhood, within 30 minutes travel time to the AIFS Center and classrooms. Each unit contains an equipped kitchenette, living space and bathroom, and paid laundry facilities onsite. Linens and towels, regular cleaning, and free wireless internet are provided.
- Meals: self-catering facilities at student accommodation, a welcome meal, a farewell meal, and occasional meals on excursions as listed below.
- Travel pass: A Subte pass loaded for unlimited travel on the metro and buses in the central zone of Buenos Aires for the duration of the program.

Academic Support, Cultural Activities and Excursions:

- Orientation program in Buenos Aires consisting of a meeting with AIFS staff, information on safety and security, general acclimation to Buenos Aires/Argentina, cultural activities, and a local area walking tour.
- A half-day sightseeing tour of Buenos Aires by private bus with the services of a professional, English-speaking guide.
- A walking tour of the Caminito and La Boca neighborhoods, with entrance to the Benito Quinquela Martín Museum.
- Visits to the Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes, Centro Cultural Kirchner; to Cine 25 de Mayo; to Casa Rosada and Plaza de Mayo; and to the Museo de la Memoria (exESMA).
- A guest lecture on Andean History; and a guest lecture on Sustainable Fashion and Globalization.
- A walking tour to discover the street art of Palermo.
- A walking tour focusing on Jewish Culture and visit to the Museo del Holocausto.
- An empanada cooking class.
- A language exchange with local school children.
- An evening tango class at Milonga La Catedral.
- A three-day, two-night excursion to Mendoza. Includes round-trip standard class flights with hand luggage, two nights' accommodation in multi-bedded rooms in a tourist class hotel with daily breakfast, a tour of Mendoza historic center, a "High Mountain" route tour of the Andes Mountain range, including scenic viewpoints, glaciers and valleys a wine tasting tour, and the services of a professional, English-speaking guide and an AIFS representative throughout.

Also Included:

- A team of experienced Student Services staff to ensure smooth running of the program and provide information and advice, organize excursions, and supervise housing; a 24-hour emergency contact service, and access to the AIFS Student Center with free internet access and printing facilities.
- Medical insurance policy.

Program does not include the following:

- Optional transportation package including round-trip airfare between San Francisco (SFO) and Buenos Aires (EZE), and round-trip transfers overseas between the airport and the student housing on the standard program dates for \$TBC; and mandatory U.S. government and airline-imposed departure taxes, fees, and fuel surcharges of \$TBC (subject to change)
- An optional two-day, one-night weekend excursion to Iguazú Falls, including round-trip private airport transfers, round-trip flights between Buenos Aires and Iguazú with hand luggage, one night's hotel accommodation in multi-bedded rooms with breakfast, entrance to the national park with guide, to the border viewpoint, a boat trip, and one group dinner. The group is accompanied by an AIFS Tour Manager throughout, with the services of professional, English-speaking guides in Iguazú for \$795. A minimum of 10 students is required for this trip to operate.
- Santa Rosa Junior College tuition
- Textbooks.
- Meals not listed above.
- Passport and visa fees if applicable.
- Additional field trips or excursions required by your instructors.
- Personal expenses such as laundry.
- Anything not specified.

2026 PROGRAM DATES

Sunday, May 31	Depart the U.S.
Monday, June 1	Arrive Buenos Aires
Saturday, June 27	End of program. Depart Buenos Aires.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE FOR AIFS FEES

<u>Summer Program</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Deadline</u>	<u>Optional</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Enrollment Deposit	\$450.00	March 6, 2026	Airfare	\$TBC.00	April 3, 2026
Balance of Fees	\$4,145.00	April 3, 2026	Taxes/Fees (subject to change)	\$TBC.00	April 3, 2026
Total	\$4,595.00		Total	\$TBC.00	
			Iguazú Falls Deposit	\$50.00	March 6, 2026
			Iguazú Falls Balance	\$745.00	April 3, 2026
			Total	\$795.00	

All students must submit the \$450 deposit (plus \$50 for the Iguazú Falls excursion, if selected) when completing the online enrollment form. Subsequent payments may be made by check or credit card. Checks should be made payable to "AIFS." American Express, MasterCard and Visa are accepted.

*Should enrollment exceed twenty-nine participants, the following fee applies:

\$4,315.00 for 30-39 participants

\$4,065.00 for 40+ participants

The balance of fees outlined above would therefore be adjusted based on final enrollment.

Please note: AIFS will charge a \$35 returned check fee on all checks returned by the bank for insufficient funds.

AIFS TRANSPORTATION PACKAGE

Participants have the option of purchasing a round-trip ticket for the flight arranged through AIFS. Participants choosing this option should note the following restrictions: Tickets purchased from AIFS are exclusively on scheduled airlines (not charters). They are not endorsable to another carrier. Flights are not necessarily direct or non-stop, they cannot be rerouted, and frequent flyer miles are not applicable. The AIFS Transportation Package includes round-trip ground transportation from the airport overseas to your accommodations on the regularly scheduled program dates. AIFS will book flights only on the dates indicated above. AIFS cannot guarantee that all passengers will be booked on the same flight.

Participants wishing to purchase the Transportation Package must select this option on the online enrollment form, or if you wish to add the flight after you complete the form you must notify AIFS in writing by **Friday, February 20, 2026**.

Participants wishing to cancel the flight must notify AIFS in writing by **Friday, April 3, 2026**. Cancellation penalties will apply. Tickets are non-refundable after this date.

AIFS Airfare Regulations: Return must be to original U.S. departure city. Tickets are subject to airline availability. No refunds are available for any unused portion of the ticket. Stopovers are not permitted. Once overseas, participants may be able to change their return date, but only if that date is available and in the same class of service in which the ticket was booked. Only the ticketing agent can provide this information. Participants are subject to agency and airline-imposed change fees and space availability.

A minimum of 10 participants must take the flight for it to be offered.

Refund policy and important dates to remember should you need to cancel your participation:

Withdrawing on or before Friday, March 6, 2026	All fees paid less than a \$150 processing fee will be refunded.
Withdrawing after Friday, March 6, 2026 , and on or before Friday, April 3, 2026	All fees paid less the \$450 deposit and any non-refundable deposits paid by the participant or by AIFS on the participant's behalf will be refunded.
Withdrawing after Friday, April 3, 2026	No refund and the total program fee is due.

*Please note that after the final payment deadline the full program fee is due to AIFS even if you have not yet paid and do not participate or plan to participate in the program. Non-refundable financial commitments have been made to secure your spot. If a participant withdraws once the program has begun, there is no refund. **This refund policy applies whether a participant pays AIFS Abroad directly for all, part, or no program fees.***

Protecting your investment:

Participants may purchase additional trip cancellation or interruption insurance which allows them to protect their study abroad program. This policy includes options to cancel for any reason (CFAR) and interrupt for any reason (IFAR). Details of the Worldwide Trip Protector Plans with Travel Insured International (TII) is underwritten by the United States Fire Insurance Company, rated A (Excellent) by A.M. Information on these options is available on the Travel Insured International website – www.travelinsured.com - or by phone at 855-611-0918. ***The policy is time sensitive and must be purchased within 21 days after the deposit is paid.***

General Cultural Resources:

At AIFS Abroad, we support all participants in your study/intern abroad journey. We invite everyone to engage with the cultures around you while at home and abroad. Everyone is complex, and the uniqueness of who we are is important when deciding on a program and location. Exploring who you are and learning about the uniqueness of others is an important part of this journey. Thus, we invite you to take the time to learn about the cultures you embody and the cultures of others on your program as well as the cultures that are a part of your host country.

We invite you to use the information here - <https://www.aifsabroad.com/student-resources/> - before, during, and after you study abroad.

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