CET Conditions and Terms

Please read this CET Conditions and Terms and sign the accompanying CET Agreement and Release of Liability.

Payment Schedule
A program deposit of $500 is required from all accepted students within two weeks of acceptance into the program unless otherwise indicated in your student account. Full payment of all fees is due by the date indicated on the invoice. All payments may be paid by credit card, check or money order.

Cancellation and Refunds

Cancellation by Student On or After Program Arrival Date
If a student withdraws from the program at any point after arrival onsite, no refund of any kind will be provided, and academic credit will be determined according to CET’s Academic Policies.

Cancellation by Student Prior to Program Arrival Date
If a student chooses, for any reason whatsoever, to cancel his/her enrollment in the program after committing but prior to the program’s arrival date, CET reserves the right to charge the student according to the appropriate Cancellation Fee Schedule below.

- Withdrawal 31 days or more prior to the arrival date specified for the program - the cancellation fee is $500 plus all non-recoverable costs*.
- Withdrawal 1 to 30 days prior to the arrival date specified for the program – the cancellation fee is 50% of the published program fee.

*Non-recoverable costs are fees that CET has paid to overseas partners for housing, courses, and other program components that must be arranged well in advance of the program start date. Housing payments, for example, must be made to partners in Europe several months in advance and can be as high as $3,000.

Should a student cancel their enrollment in the program before full tuition payment has been made, CET will invoice the student for the above-described amount. Should a student cancel their enrollment in the program after full tuition payment has been made, CET will deduct the above-described amount from the tuition payment and refund any excess amount to the student.

All cancellations by a student after acceptance into the program must be made in writing. CET applies the above Cancellation Fee Schedule according to the date that the written cancellation is received by CET staff during normal business hours.

Students who defer to another term rather than cancel from a program after commitment may be responsible for non-recoverable costs. Students cannot defer to another term to avoid cancellation fees; if a student cancels from the deferred term they maintain financial responsibility according to the cancellation policy above based on the deferred date.
Program Cancellation by CET Prior to Program Arrival Date
CET reserves the right to cancel any program prior to the program’s arrival date. In the event of such a cancellation, payments made to CET by the student will be refunded in full, and this refund will constitute CET’s sole obligation to the student.

Program Cancellation by CET On or After Program Arrival Date
Should CET need to cancel a program in progress, i.e., on the program’s arrival date or any time thereafter, for any reason, including increased risk to the health and safety of our students or other force majeure reasons, the student will receive a refund of all recoverable monies at the time of cancellation. (CET pays its overseas partners in full well in advance to the start of any program, and these costs are non-recoverable.)

CET likewise reserves, at its sole discretion, the right to decline, to accept or retain any person as a student in the program should the student's judicial or academic status, health, mental condition, or attitude jeopardize the success of the program, the experience of other students, or the health, safety, and general welfare of the person or the other students. In the event of the exercise of this right, CET shall be under no liability to such person(s) except to refund such amount as our absolute discretion deems reasonable to attribute to the uncompleted portion of the program.

A Note About the Program’s Costs
While every effort will be made to carry out the program as planned, the program as described is subject to modification and change by CET and its host institutions. The dates, schedules, program details and costs have been provided in good faith based on information available and airfares, contracts of carriage, tariffs and rates of currency exchange in effect and in force since the month of August before the program begins and are subject to change and revision at any time without prior notice. CET does everything possible to maintain the listed price, and prices on semester and summer program have almost never been increased; however, these prices are subject to change.

Additional Services
CET may provide certain additional student services for a fee. These services may include facilitated extracurricular pursuits, homestays with local families, additional for-credit electives outside the scope of the usual program fee, etc. Fees and payment schedules will be provided in advance. If the student decides to forgo the additional services, the student will be charged for any non-recoverable costs, determined at CET’s discretion.

Health
Different weather, living conditions and customs in the study program’s country take their toll on one’s physical and mental health. To enjoy the program to the fullest, we ask that the student evaluate his/her health carefully before committing to the program. The student should be in good physical and mental health and prepared for some arduousness. If the student has any condition requiring special attention, diets or treatment, the student must report this in writing to CET upon acceptance.

Insurance
Students must have international health insurance to participate in the program. Unless otherwise noted in a student’s online account, coverage is provided by CET Academic Programs through GeoBlue and is included in the price of the program. A notice to eligible students explaining GeoBlue coverage is included in the online account.
Transportation
Baggage and other personal effects are carried at the owner's risk entirely. It is understood that international tickets to travel to and from the program location as well as any other tickets purchased by the student constitute a contract between the student and the operator concerned; CET cannot be held responsible for problems that ensue.