PREPARATION FOR DEPARTURE AND FIRST DAYS IN MOSCOW

HSE UNIVERISTY INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SUPPORT CENTRE AUGUST 11, 2021 5PM



Topics of the webinar



1.ARRIVAL IN RUSSIA

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2. PREPARING FOR DEPARTURE



3. ARRIVAL AND FIRST DAYS



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Information about admissions

Applicant's Personal Account

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Arrival in Russia

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Where can I find the list of "open" countries?

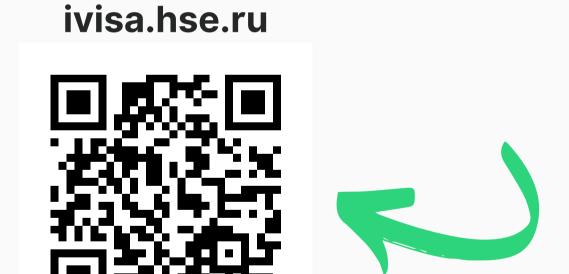
Do I need a PCR-test?

How can I get a visa invitation?

What about vaccination?

Arrival in Russia

The current list of "open" countries





Total amount: 59 countries

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- What should you do if you are unable to study on-campus?
- 1 Send an Application to Transfer to Distance Learning to the Programme Office's manager
- 2 Correct your own individual curriculum

HSE Academic Handbook



STEP 1

Receive an invitation and apply for a student visa

STEP 2

Buy a direct flight air-ticket and indicate the date in your HSE Personal Account

STEP 3

Obtain a medical insurance policy and a certificate confirming inoculations issued by a medical institution

STEP 4

Make a notarized translation of the coronavirus vaccination certificate / medical exemption (if applicable)

STEP 5

No earlier than three calendar days prior to your arrival make first PCR-test

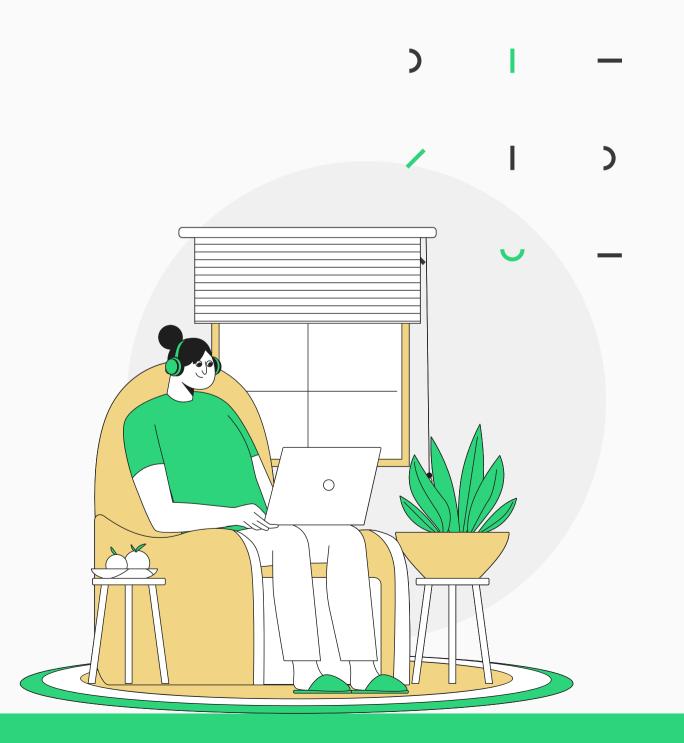
Information about Arrival in Russia



Checklist

ACCOMODATION





THE SERVICE MODEL FOR STUDENT ACCOMMODATION

From 2021, the University switches to a service placement model

HSE DORMITORY

For students admitted to government-funded places, i.e.100% scholarships

ALTERNATIVE RENTED OPTIONS

A special service is available that allows you to choose the best housing option

Dormitory

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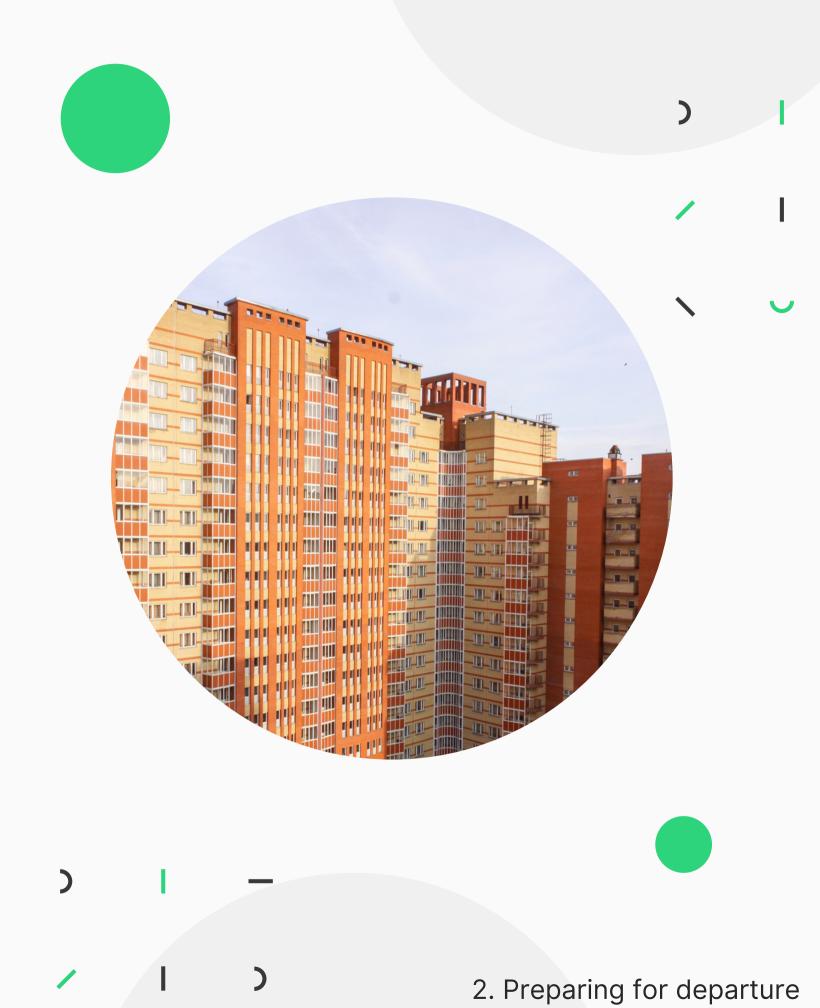
Read the <u>procedures for check-in and residence at HSE University's</u> <u>dormitories</u>

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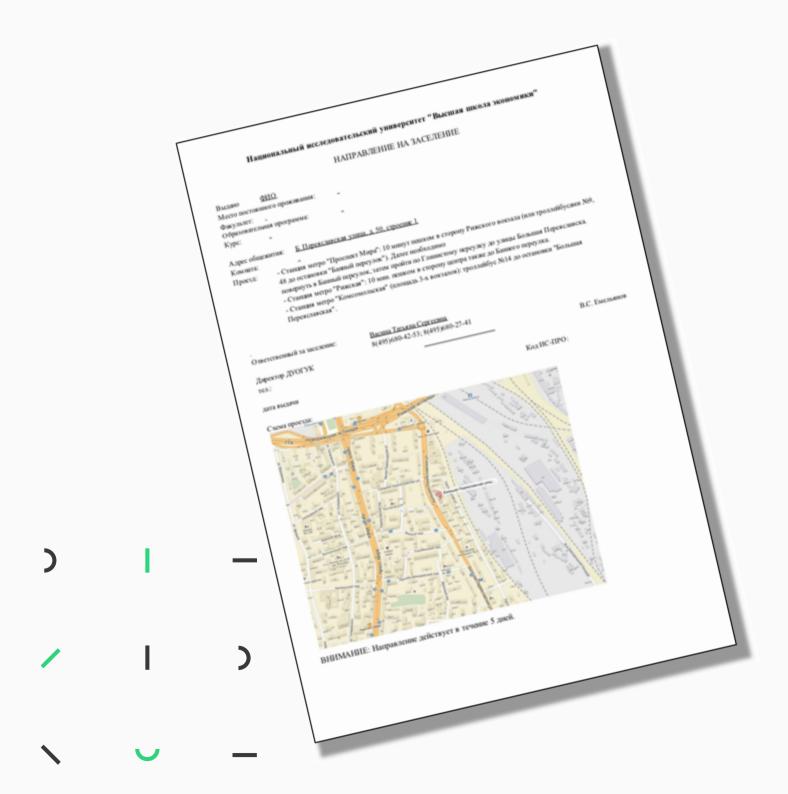
Receive an accommodation referral (valid for a limited period, the check-in deadline is indicated on the document)

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If you have difficulties with checking-in please contact at zaselenie@hse.ru



Dormitory check-in procedure



STEP 1

Indicate in the applicant's account if you who require a dorm room

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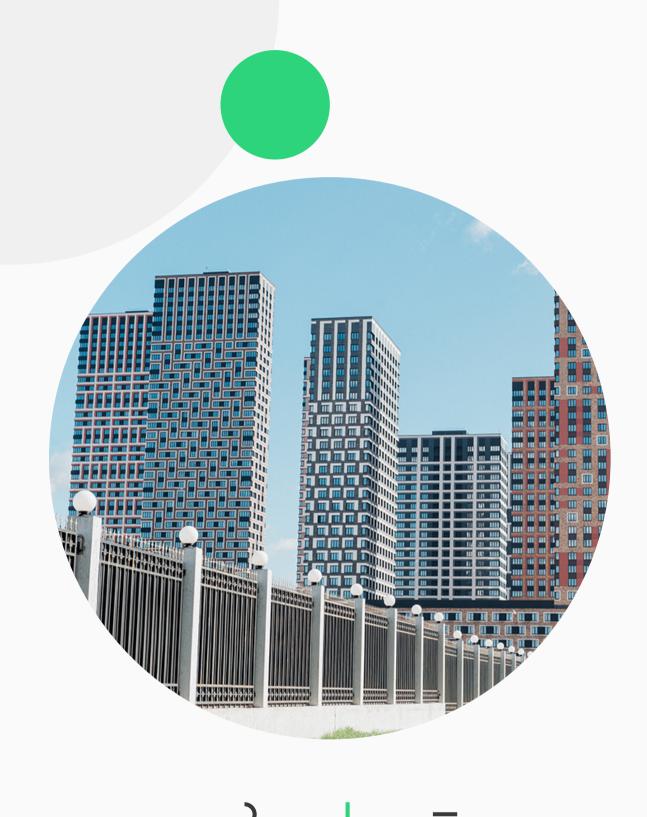
STEP 3

Print out the referral to the dormitory

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STEP 2

Prepare all the necessary documents



ALTERNATIVE RENTED OPTIONS

1

Wait for the receipt of the accommodation agreement and receipt of payment. Conclude an agreement and make payment.

2

Read Rules for Residing and the Procedure of Accommodation

3

Check in within the specified time frame

What documents are required for check-in?



Printed Accommodation Referral or Agreement



Passport (+ copy) or ID (+ copy)



Migration Card



Medical **Documents**



- Certificate with a list of vaccinations or a copy of a vaccination certificate;

- Health certificate bought before entry to Russia;
- Two negative test results for Covid-19 by PCR.

Medical documents

CERTIFICATE WITH A LIST OF VACCINATIONS

Certificates must be issued by a medical institution in a free format with information about the inoculations had, as well as the dates and types of vaccination. Please remember that the certificate should state that you have been vaccinated against measles.

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

Prior to arriving in Russia, international students must obtain a medical insurance policy, which should cover both a medical check-up and testing for COVID-19 with the application of the PCR method. A list of medical insurance programmes and descriptions of the procedures for online purchase can be found at: https://www.hse.ru/medical/ins



PCR-test

FIRST TEST

no earlier than three calendar days prior to your arrival



SECOND TEST

within 72 hours after entry into the country

PCR express-test centers:

<u>Sheremetyevo (SVO),</u> <u>Domodedovo (DME),</u> <u>Vnukovo (VKO),</u> airports.

Vaccination against COVID-19

YOU WERE VACCINATED AGAINST COVID-19 IN YOUR COUNTRY

In Russian or in English

YOU HAD A COVID IN THE LAST SIX MONTHS

HAVE AN OFFICIAL MEDICAL EXEMPTION FROM VACCINATION

YOU ARE UNDER THE AGE OF 18

About vaccination



Register for vaccination



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Crossing the Border

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Receive a migration card at the border

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Please check the purpose of visit (should be "yчёба/Education")

Before leaving the border crossing point, carefully check the accuracy of the information input to your migration card

BUDDY Programme

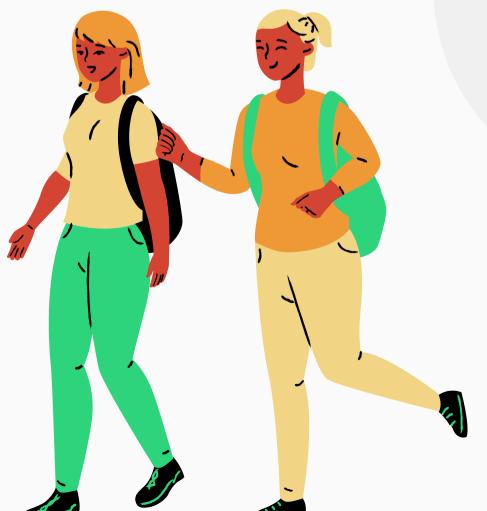
You meet you buddy upon

your arrival or can request their help any time

throughout your stay

When you know your exact arrival date, please contact:

buddy@hsemsk.esnrussia.org

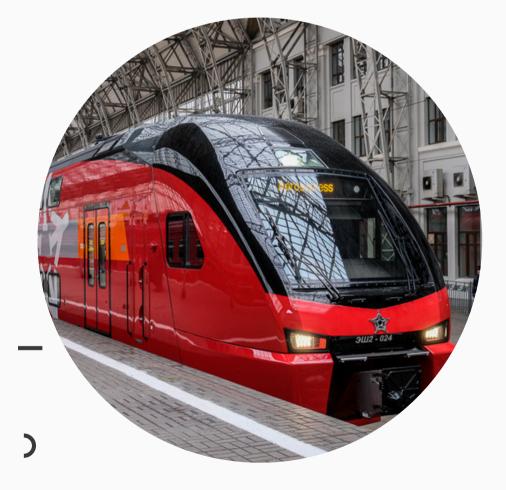


Buddy will meet you at the Aeroexpress station (not at the airport!)

GETTING AROUND MOSCOW

GETTING TO YOUR PLACE OF RESIDENCE FROM THE AIRPORT

by AEROEXPRESS



~ RUB 400

by BUS



RUB 57-180

Sheremetyevo (SVO) Airport –	№948 O
'Rechnoy Vokzal' Metro Station	Nº817

Domodedovo (DME) Airport –	Nº405
'Domodedovskava' Metro station	11 400

Vnukovo (VKO) Airport –	Nº611
'Yugo-Zapadnaya' Metro Station	

GETTING AROUND MOSCOW

GETTING TO YOUR PLACE OF RESIDENCE FROM THE AIRPORT

Yandex.Maps

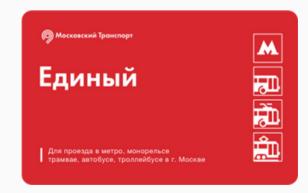


by METRO





RUB 42 +RUB 50



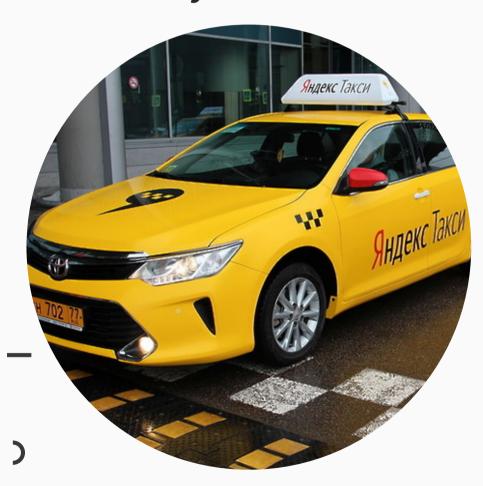
RUB 60

GETTING AROUND MOSCOW

GETTING TO YOUR PLACE OF RESIDENCE FROM THE AIRPORT



by Taxi



~ RUB1500

Yandex.Taxi



CityMobil



Uber



Mobile communication



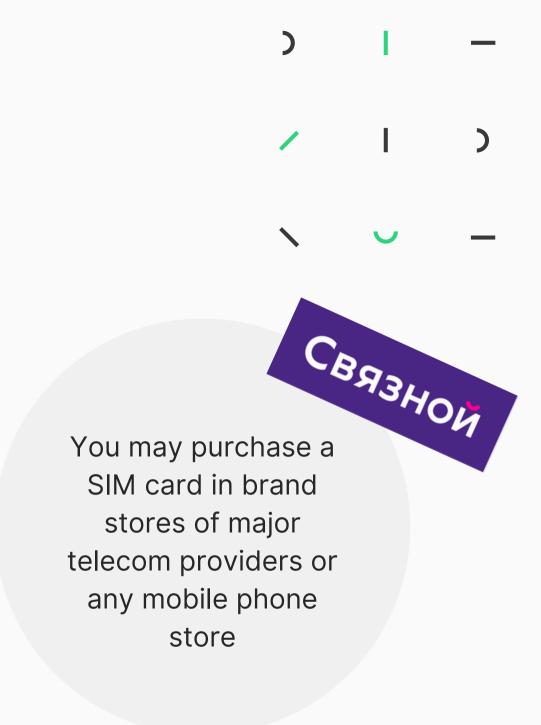
In order to buy a SIM card, you will need to present your passport







Approximate communication cost per month = RUB.500



CURRENCY EXCHANGE









Not all stores or businesses may accept foreign cards

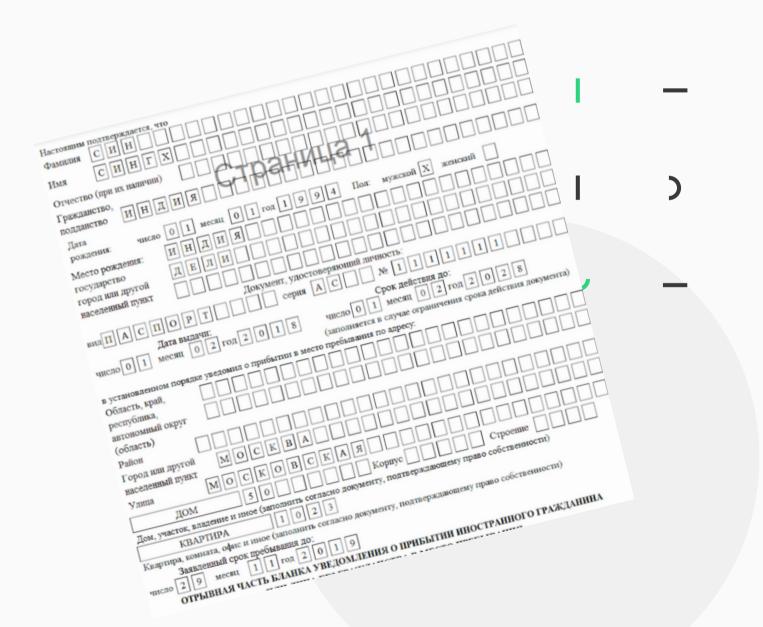
We advise using currency exchange points at popular Russian banks

In every HSE building, you will find an ATM where you can withdraw cash

3. Arrival and First Days

Applying for a Registration





WHY DO I NEED REGISTRATION?

Every foreign citizen is obliged to get registered at his/her actual place of residence

DORMITORY/ALTERNATIVE RENTED OPTION

on the first working day after your arrival please visit passport officer

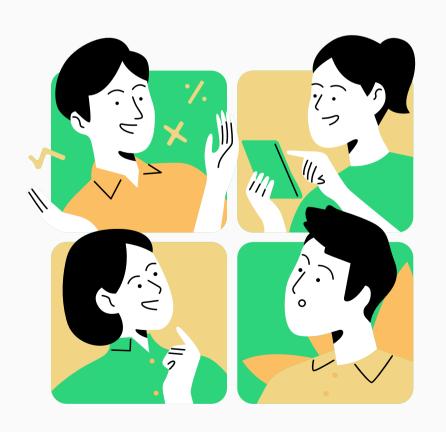
RENTED APARTMENT

ask your landlord to help you get registered at the local migration office of the Russian Ministry of Internal Affairs (MVD)

Orientation for international students (August 24)

Meet the staff and students of the university





You will learn about life at the University and non-academic life in Moscow

You will be able to pose questions to University administrators

PROGRAMME OFFICE INDUCTION MEETING (end of August)

You will meet
Faculty's and
Programme Office's
staff

You will learn about the academic process

You will receive your student ID card, log-ins and passwords for your corporate e-mail and LMS accounts

Welcome Week (13- 19 September) Ways to adapt to the new learning environment



How to work throughout the school year?

How to take care about your mental health?

HEALTH AND SAFETY COURSE

(from the beginning of September until the end of October)



This core course is obligatory for all first-year students



Online course

Opportunity to choose homework

If there are any questions left



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