



# Study Abroad in Belize



**Early bird application deadline: May 5<sup>th</sup> – Get \$50 off your program cost!**

## Early Childhood Education and Foundations of Teacher Education Students: Travel 2-weeks in January, 2018

The program will enrich cultural and diverse perspectives of Belize's early childhood educational system, including family involvement. Students will be directly engaged with one of The Ministry of Education's preschool programs and two Belize colleges. Cultural exploration, service learning, and professional development will be a focus of the program.

### Program inquiries:

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### Financial and other inquiries:

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- **Estimated program cost: \$2,700** (includes flight, lodging, & some meals) Costs do not include: recommended vaccinations, tuition, some meals, and passport fees
- **Financial support is available:**
  - International Programs Grant
  - Federal financial aid is available for those that qualify
- **Tuition Opportunities:**
  - ECE and FTE students: 3 practicum credits
- **Application deadline: September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017**
- **Apply NOW!** The study abroad application is located on [nwtc.edu](http://nwtc.edu) Navigate to Student Experience, then select Study Abroad

## Important Details for the Belize Study Abroad Program:

- Study Abroad application and International Programs Study Abroad Grant application deadline: **September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017**
- **Early bird applications are due May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017**. Applications will be reviewed the following week and accepted students will be asked to make a \$350 payment by Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> to secure their spot on the program
  - Drop off the completed applications in Student Involvement, SC118 or email the forms to [lacy.frewerd@nwtc.edu](mailto:lacy.frewerd@nwtc.edu)
- Applicants will be notified via email if they are selected for the program and if they have been awarded the grant by **September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017**
- Students secure their participation in the program by submitting their first payment. Payment details below
- Participants are required to attend pre-departure meetings, starting in October



September 2017				
Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday, 19 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday, 20 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, 21 <sup>st</sup>	Friday, 22 <sup>nd</sup>
Applications due		Applicants notified		1 <sup>st</sup> payment due securing participating in program

## Payment Deadlines **(ALL PAYMENTS ARE NONREFUNDABLE!)**:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Payment of \$600, due September 22<sup>nd</sup> (cannot apply the International Grant to the first two payments)
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Payment of \$600, due September 29<sup>th</sup> (cannot apply the International Grant to the first two payments)
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Payment of \$600, due October 27<sup>th</sup>
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Payment of \$600 due November 17<sup>th</sup>
  - 5<sup>th</sup> and final payment of \$300 due December 15<sup>th</sup>
- The study abroad payments do not include: passport fees, tuition, some meals, and recommended vaccinations.
  - Payments can be made by stopping by or calling ([920-498-5483](tel:920-498-5483)) Student Involvement, SC118. We accept checks (made out to NWTC), cash, Visa, MasterCard and Discover. You can mail a check to the below address.
  - You are responsible for keeping track of payments made/money owed.

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