

# Steps of your registration and arrival

## Before your arrival

Step	Description	Period of time
<b>Registration online</b>	<p>Once you are admitted at ESTP Paris, please register on the ESTP Paris website: <a href="#">click here</a></p> <p>Fill all the fields in, as precisely as possible.</p>	<b>ASAP</b>
<b>Visa and residency card</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Students from the European Union have nothing to do.</li> <li>- Non-European students have to request their visa as soon as possible by finding an <a href="#">Espace Campus France</a> in your country. If there is no Espace Campus France in your country, you have to go directly to the French embassy or consulate.</li> </ul> <p>In both cases, you have to get the OFII form, stamped by the consular authorities.</p>	<b>ASAP</b>
<b>Social security in France</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Students from the EU: you have to get in your country your European Health Insurance card</b></li> <li>- Non-European students: a registration on the French social security system “Assurance maladie” is mandatory: <a href="#">click here</a>. It is highly recommended that you choose a complementary protection. Two centers are specialized for students: LMDE and SMEREP (Minimum price in 2021/2022: 119€/year), for instance.</li> </ul> <p>Ask advice to the International Relations Office at your arrival.</p>	<b>Precautions to take before arrival and things to do at arrival</b>
<b>Choice of courses</b>	<p>This step is to be made only by students coming for an exchange programme of one or two semesters (double-degree or N+i students: a programme is already established).</p> <p>Read carefully the rules you have to comply with when choosing the courses. Make your choice only in the list given to you by the International Relations Office.</p>	<b>Deadline for courses of the first semester: <u>August 1st</u></b> <b>Deadline for courses of the second semester: <u>January 3rd</u></b>

## At your arrival

<b>Welcoming session for ESTP Paris international students</b>	<b>Attendance mandatory.</b> Welcome by the direction, by ESTP Paris team, and by the student association HiStudent, whose aim is to integrate foreign students. Presentation of ESTP Paris, reminder of crucial information.	<b>Mid September/Beginning of October</b>
<b>Visa and residency card</b>	You have to have your visa validated. Send scanned versions to the International Relations Office.	<b>At your arrival</b>
<b>Documents to get</b>	Certificate of registration: it can temporarily replace the student card. This document will be given to you by ESTP Paris team. The International Relations Office can also sign any documents (certificates of arrival, learning agreements,...).	<b>At your arrival</b>
<b>Open a bank account</b>	The main banks have a special offer for students. Ex: Société Générale, BNP Parisbas, LCL... these banks have stands on the campus at the beginning of the academic year.	<b>At your arrival</b>
<b>Telephone</b>	Telephone companies in France: Orange, SFR, Bouygues Telecom, Free. Visit their websites or agencies.	<b>At your arrival</b>
<b>Transportation card</b>	As a student, you can get the « Imagine'R » card (but only if you are under 26 years old). <a href="#">Click here</a> .	<b>At your arrival</b>
<b>Social security in France</b>	You will have to finalize your affiliation and receive the necessary documents from your center.	<b>At your arrival</b>
<b>Computing, IT</b>	You will be given computer codes, giving you access to your BVE (Bureau Virtuel des Elèves – Students online office), where you can find all information about ESTP Paris.	<b>At your arrival</b>
<b>CAF (caisse d'allocations familiales)</b>	The CAF provides a subsidy to some people, to help them pay their rent. Once you have found accommodation, you have to create a file online, on the CAF website: <a href="http://www.caf.fr">www.caf.fr</a> . Register as soon as possible because the calculation of the subsidy depends on the date of creation of the file. Take with you a birth certificate officially translated in French, because it will be requested by the CAF.	<b>Once you have found accommodation</b>