

What is planned for Fall 2022 with the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic?

Throughout the COVID-19 pandemic, Northeastern has been committed to maintaining the continuity of learning and research, while keeping the community safe – with a proven track record both in Boston and around the globe. In the 2021-2022 academic year, the university has been fully in-person, and in Fall 2021, both N.U.in and NU Bound enrolled students at international locations. As it has throughout the pandemic, a university task force monitors developments and data worldwide, campus COVID-19 surveillance testing results, and data points like hospitalizations. Northeastern leaders continue to consult with public health experts, including many of the university's own faculty.

Can you talk more about NU Bound and how it differs from The N.U.in Program?

Both programs provide students with a distinct and meaningful pathway into the Northeastern community. Some similarities and differences are outlined here:

- NU Bound students will spend their first two semesters living and learning at a distinctive location within the Northeastern network. Students will continue their studies on our Boston campus beginning in the fall of their second year. Locations will include a domestic and international location.
- N.U.in students will spend their first semester away from Boston at one of Northeastern's worldwide partner institutions. Students will join the Boston campus community in the spring semester of their first year.
- Both programs will provide an opportunity for students to immerse themselves in the location, but to varying degrees. N.U.in students will have a shorter but meaningful immersion in a global location, experiencing much of what the location has to offer. NU Bound students will find themselves deeply immersed in a Northeastern campus location, beyond just the physical location, connecting with alumni and local industry partners.
- Both NU Bound and The N.U.in Program leverage Northeastern's expanding global network to offer students an opportunity to expand their perspective and foster a sense of academic independence. These programs also offer extensive support to participating students throughout the process, including a network of faculty, staff, advisors, program alumni, and peers. Following completion of the program, students who participate remain a tight-knit group throughout their unique journeys at Northeastern and beyond.

Will I receive academic credits through NU Bound?

Yes. Students in the NU Bound program will earn a full year's worth of college credit, which will transfer to Northeastern. A grade of C or higher is required to earn any transfer credit.



Can I receive any advanced credits from high school?

Yes. Results from your AP exams, IB exams, and other international matriculation examinations may enable you to receive advanced credits from Northeastern in your second year of study. Please review the [Undergraduate Admissions website](#) for additional information about receiving advanced credits.

What type of academic support does the program offer?

Every student has an academic advisor who supports their educational goals throughout the NU Bound program. All of our faculty make time for students throughout their time in the program to provide additional support. Students can make use of one-on-one tutoring through the International Tutoring Center and peer tutoring in select courses. Students may also take advantage of group programming through the Global Student Success office.

Once I complete the program, do I need to then apply as a transfer student?

No. Students will not be required to apply as a transfer student. As soon as students complete the NU Bound program, they will transition directly into their undergraduate day program and no additional application is required.

What is the transition to campus like after NU Bound?

Once you and your peers complete your two semesters in the NU Bound program, you will enroll as full-time, degree-seeking students in one of the undergraduate colleges or schools on Northeastern's Boston campus for your second year. No additional transfer application is required. You will be invited to attend orientation and receive ongoing support as you transition into academic and social life in Boston. Your experiences with NU Bound will allow you to apply a unique perspective in the classroom and beyond.

Will housing be provided during my second year of study at Northeastern?

We are pleased to be able to offer students who complete NU Bound next year the opportunity to reside in university housing during their second year when they arrive in Boston. Interested students will have the opportunity to declare their intention to reside in university housing during the Spring '23 term. This opportunity does not represent a mandatory requirement as students can still decide to live in off-campus housing in the local area if they choose. Please note that university housing for all students—including students completing NU Bound—can take the form of traditional campus residence halls, leased apartments, or leased hotel spaces in the area around campus. We will provide more information about specific housing options for NU Bound later in the 2022-2023 academic year.



Will students who successfully complete the NU Bound program be eligible for merit aid from their second year of study onward?

No. All merit scholarships are offered at the time of admission.