

Student Life



The doors of the Saratov State University (SSU) are open to students from all over the world. Students from 32 countries are studying at the SSU. The SSU has signed cooperation agreements with foreign universities from 17 countries (USA, Italy, Germany, Great Britain, Turkey, France, Ukraine, Kazakhstan, Iraq, Bulgaria, Poland, Azerbaijan, etc.). The SSU carries out educational programs of three levels: Bachelor (4 years), Master (2 years), Post-Graduate School (3 years).

International students who do not speak Russian pass pre-university training course at the Preparatory Department. Preparatory course is completed with Russian as a Foreign Language Test. The students who complete the test successfully receive a certificate.

Saratov State University has a new comfortable dormitory for the international students, situated 5 minutes away from the University campus.



International students are actively involved in the SSU student life: the students participate in scientific conferences, seminars and forums, cultural events, as well as learn Russian customs and traditions. Russian students willingly help to organize various stages of international student adaptation process.

International students in cooperation with Russian students have developed socio-cultural adaptation projects for those who have



just arrived to the Saratov State University and those, who have been studying at the SSU for a while. These projects also involve cultural and sport events.

In order to help international students to adapt in Russian environment the SSU students developed volunteer movement “International Student Basic Training”. This movement activity is aimed at overcoming

the difficulties international students face during their first year in Russia and the University. This accelerates the adaptation process to the living and studying conditions in Russia

The University has already set a good tradition for carrying out such events as International Day of Peace, International Week of Science and Peace as well as themed festivals devoted to peculiarities of a specific

culture in which foreign students actively participate.

Saratov State University allows every international student to experience Russian student life atmosphere, get acquainted with the culture and traditions of the largest country in the world, learn Russian language as well as get education in the prestigious university.

