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Special Considerations Checklist

NOTE: These conversations will not affect admissions decisions. If you have any health or personal concerns, it is especially important that you disclose details early. Our first priority is to help you have a safe and positive experience abroad.

- Financial aid & scholarships
- Race & ethnicity considerations
- LGBTQ considerations
- Relationships & dating
- Religion & spirituality
- Disability considerations
- Personal safety abroad
- Mental/physical health considerations
- Dietary considerations
- Passports & visas
- Citizenship – Were you or your parents born outside the US?
- Housing/Homestay considerations
- Student conduct issues
- Academic eligibility (if your GPA is below a 2.5)
- Commitments and/or obstacles that you feel might affect your ability to fully participate in GESI