

Australian Volunteers Program living and accommodation allowances

Figures quoted are paid monthly and effective 1 July 2026. Allowances are quoted in AUD.

Country	Living Allowance	Accommodation	Fuel supplement (will be incorporated into living allowance)	TOTAL
Bhutan	767	675	55	1497
Cambodia	1370	1057	50	2477
eSwatini	1450	650	89	2189
Federated States of Micronesia (Pohnpei)	1493	2094	65	3652
Federated States of Micronesia (Yap)	1108	1138	65	2311
Fiji (Suva)	1391	1369	76	2836
Fiji (rest of)	1026	1127	76	2229
Indonesia (Jakarta, Bandung, Bali)	990	380	60	1430
Indonesia (rest of)	796	317	60	1173
Kiribati	1424	0 **	100	1524
Laos	2076	1266	106	3448
Lesotho	1250	922	92	2264
Marshall Islands	1818	0 **	130	1948
Mongolia	1015	990	87	2092
Nepal	1330	300	75	1705
Niue	2053	1800	114	3967
Palau	1402	0 **	135	1537
Papua New Guinea (Port Moresby)	1781	0 **	87	1868
Papua New Guinea (rest of)	1781	0 **	87	1868
Philippines (Manila, Quezon City, Cebu City)	1115	776	56	1947
Philippines (rest of)	1034	691	56	1781
Samoa	1407	998	79	2484
Solomon Islands (Honiara)	1982	3141	94	5217
Solomon Islands (rest of)	1828	2500	94	4422
South Africa (Johannesburg)	1650	945	84	2679
South Africa (Cape Town)	1650	1012	84	2746
Sri Lanka (Colombo)	967	1300	71	2338
Sri Lanka (rest of)	967	815	71	1853
Tanzania (Dar es Salaam)	1200	645	83	1928
Tanzania (Arusha)	1200	645	83	1928
Timor-Leste	1883	1422	83	3388
Tonga (Nuku'alofa)	1309	1687	105	3101
Tonga (Vava'u)	1705	2282	105	4092
Tuvalu	1265	0 **	100	1365
Vanuatu (Port Villa)	2038	2022	112	4172
Vanuatu (rest of)	1948	1538	112	3598
Vietnam	1032	964	42	2038

*If the partner organisation or the program provides accommodation directly to the volunteer, the volunteer will not receive an accommodation allowance from the program.

** Accommodation is provided and paid for by the Australian Volunteers Program.

These allowances are based on the cost of living in-country. They are reviewed periodically, and subject to DFAT approval may change. Volunteers will be given notice of any changes.

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