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STUDY ABROAD

The layered impact of study abroad on students between the ages of 17-25.



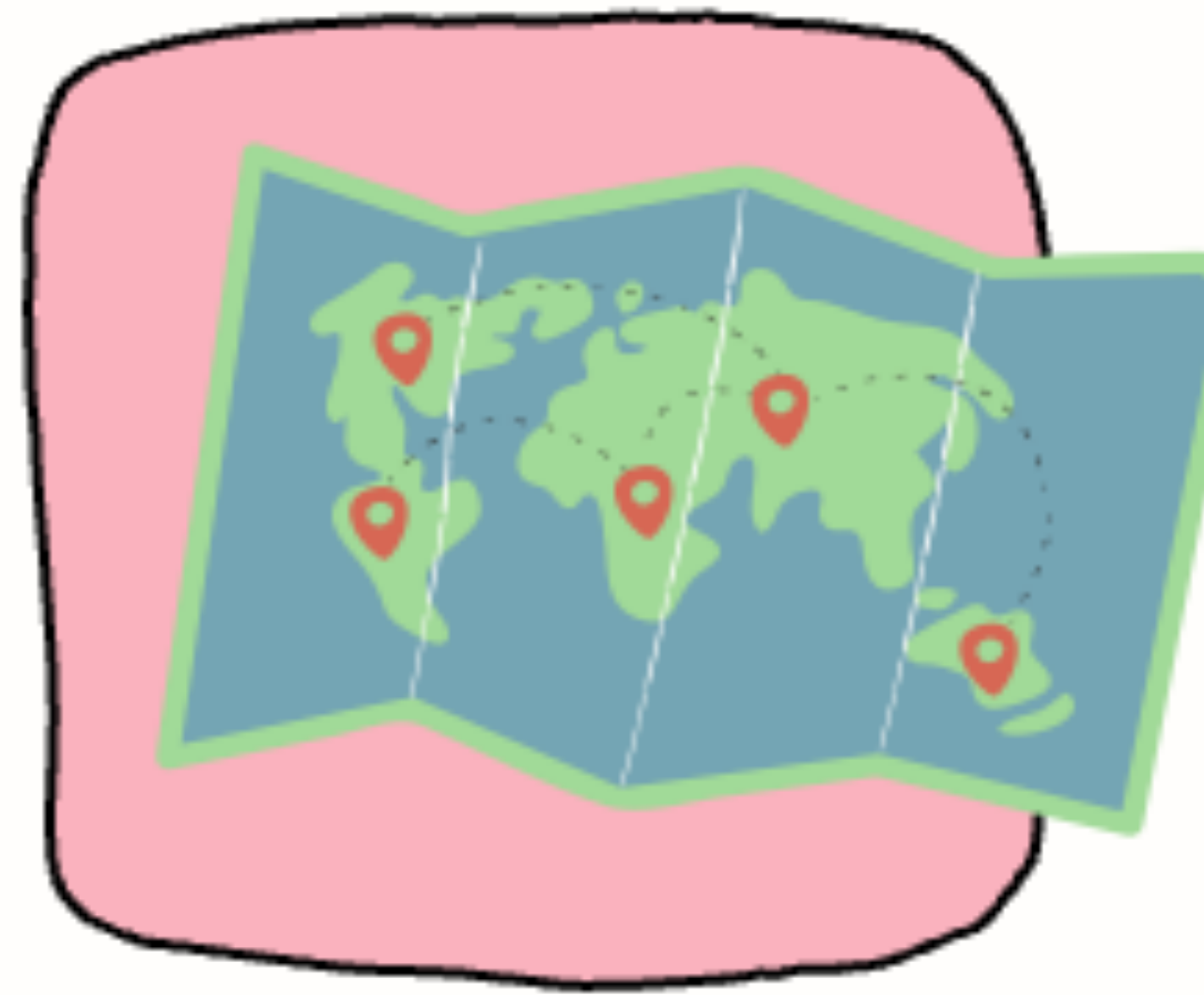
MAIN IMPACTS THAT EMERGED IN STUDIES

Increase in Ability to Speak a Foreign Language

Study abroad was found to increase confidence in language ability and study abroad learners benefitted from the immersive learning environment.

Academic Growth

Although most don't choose to go abroad for the purposes of improving grades, most feel that the additional confidence and maturity, in addition to deeper knowledge of their subject and a break in the pattern of their studies, contributes to their higher achievement



A Broadened World View and Personal Growth

Many studies found that those who study abroad develop their ability to deal with everyday problems and a greater cultural sensitivity, as well as score higher in knowledge of world geography, global interdependence, and interpersonal comfort.

Overall

There is an overall strong connection between growth in all three areas and a study abroad travel experience that can be seen in all studies included in this research paper.