



Kyoto Sangyo University

International Programs

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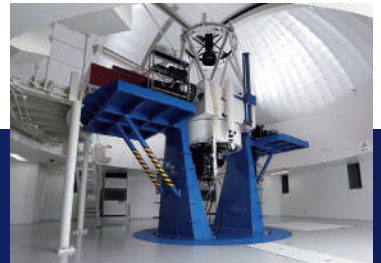
KSU is a modern university founded in 1965 on the principle that individuals should have a working knowledge and appreciation of other cultures and be able to understand and deal with ever-changing domestic and international affairs.

The symbol of KSU is the constellation of Sagittarius which represents the combination of bravery and adventure reflecting the will of the university to see its students gowned in the skills and spirit required to be effective members of the local and international community.

KSU has 9 undergraduate faculties, 8 postgraduate divisions and is home to world renowned research institutes in the fields such as avian influenza, astronomy and honey bees.

Features of KSU

- ▶ Founded in 1965.
- ▶ Over 13,000 undergraduate and graduate students.
- ▶ 10 undergraduate faculties and 8 postgraduate divisions
- ▶ Over 150 club activities
- ▶ Nobel Prize in Physics in 2008
- ▶ Koyama Astronomical Observatory has largest lens for a private university in Japan



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Features of Kyoto

Kyoto was the political capital of Japan for more than 1,100 years and remains the cultural capital even to this day. A population of 1.5 million discretely finds its home amongst the time honoring blend of traditional architecture, modern shopping havens, state-of-the-art research facilities and world renowned tertiary institutes.

No where else in Japan can international students experience aspects of traditional and modern Japanese culture to the degree that they are offered by Kyoto. Host to approximately 50 million tourists a year, Kyoto boasts tranquility and a vibe unparalleled elsewhere. Progressive academic studies coexist to produce great talent, unique industries, and global firms. This city allows students the opportunity to experience all aspects of Japanese culture and society.



<https://www.kyoto-su.ac.jp>



Campus Location

KSU is located in the north of the ancient city of Kyoto and within a few minutes walk from "Kamigamo Shrine", one of Kyoto's many world heritage sites.

KSU is easily accessible by public transport so students can fully enjoy the city from the retreat of our campus. We are only 40 mins to Kyoto JR and connections to other destinations in Japan, and approximately 120 mins from Kansai International Airport by public transport or shuttle bus. KSU has the perfect setting for appreciating Kyoto's tranquility and vibe of modern day Japan.



Center for International Programs

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Faculties

- ### Economics

 - Public Policy
 - Industrial Economics
 - International Economics
- ### Business Administration

 - Management Strategies, HRM
 - Marketing Strategy, Consumer Behavior
 - Finance and Accounting, Social Governance etc
- ### Law

 - Law
 - Interdisciplinary Studies in Law and Policy
- ### Sociology

 - Sociology
 - Health and Sports Development
- ### International Relations

 - International Relations and Politics
 - International Relations and Economics
 - International Relations and Global Coexistence
- ### Foreign Studies

 - English
 - European Languages
 - Asian Languages
- ### Cultural Studies

 - Kyoto Studies
 - Intercultural Studies
- ### Science

 - Mathematics
 - Physics
 - Astrophysics and Atmospheric Sciences
- ### Information Science and Engineering

 - Network Systems
 - Information Security
 - Data Sciences etc
- ### Life Sciences

 - Life Medical Sciences
 - Food and Resource Sciences
 - Environmental and Ecological Sciences etc

Graduate School

- ### Economics
- ### Management
- ### Law
- ### Foreign Languages
- ### Science
- ### Frontier Informatics
- ### Life Sciences
- ### Kyoto Studies

*correspondence education

Sample course outline

Introduction to Japanese Literature

The main goal of the class is again to introduce masterpieces of short narrative fiction, tanpen shōsetsu, and to foster an appreciation of the form. A primary focus will be the works of such leading authors as Akutagawa Ryūnosuke, Natsume Sōseki, Tanizaki Jun'ichirō and Mishima Yukio as well as those who wrote for the screen.

Japanese Science and Technology

The aim of this course is to provide students with a broad overview of major issues related to the development, structure and operation of science and technology in Japan. The course will examine various characteristics related to science and technology. We will read materials on health, medicine, and social processes in Japan and discuss what actions, policies, and technologies have been applied.

Academic Calendar

Spring Term						
April	May	June	July	August	September	
Spring Semester begins	Golden Week		Classes end. Final Exams	Final Exams Summer vacation	Spring semester Transcripts released.	
Fall Term						
September	October	November	December	January	February	March
Fall Semester begins		Koyama Festival	Winter break	Classes end. Final Exams	Final Exams	Fall semester Transcripts released.

International Programs

Exchange Student Program



Being surrounded by KSU's beautiful scenery, riding your bike along the Kamo River and enjoying sightseeing around Kyoto are all part of a KSU exchange student's daily life. As KSU hosts international students from more than 80 partner Universities and Institutes in more than 28 countries, exchange students have a fantastic opportunity to form friendships with students from around the world.

KSU offers a carefully packaged selection of English taught academic classes tailored for exchange students who intend to learn in depth about facets of Japanese society. Classes offer historic and modern perspectives in their various fields and allow English-speaking exchange students to study alongside their Japanese peers, further increasing exchange and global awareness of all students.

Comments from Exchange Students

In my future job as a teacher I want to connect people from different countries, cultures and backgrounds because I think that is what teaching languages is mostly about. At KSU I met different people from all over the world and made friends through the different languages I speak. It is always fun to exchange your language with others and learn together a new one.

When you come to KSU make sure you don't hide in your room but explore the world with others, visit temples, shrines, mountains and other cities. Regarding the university, I recommend to also take classes outside the Japanese language program and take part in clubs/circles or sport classes in order to meet new Japanese people.

Sabrina
Germany

How to Apply

- Go to the English Application webpage
Exchange students: <http://www.kyoto-su.ac.jp/english/admin/applications.html>
YAP students: <https://www.kyoto-su.ac.jp/english/admin/yap/aid.html>
- Download and prepare all documents shown.
- Email all prepared documents to cip-ml@star.kyoto-su.ac.jp.

Application Information

Western Europe

UK

- University of Kent
- University of Leeds

Ireland

- Griffith College Dublin

Iceland

- University of Iceland

Portugal

- Porto University

Spain

- University of Salamanca
- University of La Rioja
- Polytechnic University of Valencia

France

- Normandy Business School
- Catholic University of Lyon
- Université Catholique de l'Ouest

Italy

- University of Naples Federico II
- University for Foreigners Perugia
- University for Foreigners of Siena
- University of Salento

Eastern Europe

Finland

- University of Jyväskylä

Russia

- The Pushkin State Russian Language Institute
- Saint Petersburg State University
- Peoples' Friendship University of Russia

Poland

- Adam Mickiewicz University

Czech Republic

- Palacky University Olomouc
- Metropolitan University of Prague

Hungary

- University of Szeged

Germany

- University of Leipzig
- University of Passau
- University of Cologne
- University of Greifswald
- Ludwigshafen University of Applied Sciences

The Netherlands

- The Hague University of Applied Sciences
- University of Applied Sciences Utrecht

Americas

Canada

- Algoma University
- Thompson Rivers University
- Université du Québec à Montréal

United States of America

- Presbyterian College
- University of California Riverside
- San Diego State University
- Stony Brook University
- The University of North Carolina at Greensboro
- University of Hawaii at Hilo

Mexico

- The Autonomous University of Guadalajara
- The National Autonomous University of Mexico
- Guanajuato University

Argentina

- Universidad Nacional de La Plata

Chile

- The Pontifical Catholic University of Chile

Partner Universities

Year Abroad Program (YAP)



Year Abroad Program (YAP) is your opportunity to study at a comprehensive university in an ancient city in modern Japan. After nearly 40 years of hosting bilateral student exchanges, KSU is now welcoming individual students to study with us for a semester or a year through our Year Abroad Program (YAP).

YAP students will have access to the same facilities and services that all KSU students take advantage of. This includes; world-class active-learning classrooms, extensive personal study space, centrally located library and sports facilities, clean and convenient student accommodation and extremely friendly staff offering personalized service and care.

Comments from Exchange Students

I choose Japan because I thought that it will be a great place to experience a totally different culture from mine. Going abroad was something I had wanted to do for my degree and having the chance to experience it in KSU was fantastic.

Arriving in Japan I didn't speak Japanese so well, but after eight weeks you begin to understand some things. Studying in KSU was totally different from the way I study in Mexico because we were taught in English. We took Japanese language lessons in Japanese, but the others were taken in English, and that makes the experience so nice because you are able to understand all the topics of the classes you choose and you are not worried about do not understanding the classes because you are in a Japanese University.



 **Oscar**
Mexico

Application Periods

Fall admissions : **April 1 to 30** Spring admissions : **October 1 to 31**

Tuition and Administrative Fees

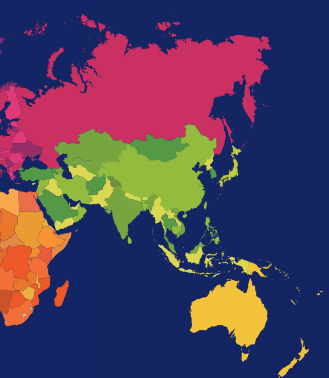
Waived for Exchange students
YAP : **306,000yen per semester** (subject to change)



For details see our
International Students
website

For details regarding full-time undergraduate or post graduate study at KSU, please contact our admissions office and refer to our Japanese webpage; <https://www.kyoto-su.ac.jp/admissions/>

Universities



North East Asia

- Korea**
- EWha Womans University
 - Kyung Hee University
 - Pusan National University
 - Konkuk University
 - Pukyong National University
 - Korean National Police University
 - Dankook University
 - Inje University
- China**
- East China Normal University
 - Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences
 - Soochow University
 - The University of International Business and Economics
 - Communication University of China
 - Nanjing Normal University
 - Harbin Normal University
 - The University of Science and Technology Beijing
 - Chinese University of Hong Kong
 - Dalian Neusoft University of Information
- Taiwan**
- Fu Jen Catholic University
 - National Taichung University of Education
 - National Taipei University of Education
 - National Chi Nan University

South West Asia

- Vietnam**
- VNU University of Social Sciences and Humanities
 - The University of Danang
 - Hue University
 - Hoa Sen University
- Thailand**
- Kasetsart University
 - Chiang Mai University
 - Payap University
 - Mahidol University
- Indonesia**
- Padjadjaran University
 - Gadjah Mada University
 - Sanata Dharma University
 - Institut Teknologi Bandung
- Malaysia**
- University Utara Malaysia
- Sri Lanka**
- University of Colombo
- India**
- Vidya Prasarak Manda

Oceania

- Australia**
- Edith Cowan University
 - Macquarie University
 - University of Tasmania
- New Zealand**
- Massey University
 - Ara Institute of Canterbury

International House

The International House dormitory was established to enhance student's study and cross-cultural exchange experiences through sharing of accommodation and everyday life with fellow students from around the world. Various events are organized by students throughout the year including welcome and farewell parties, Tanabata parties, Christmas parties, birthday parties, dance parties, a stall for the annual university festival, cooking classes, and communal dinners. Students may also participate in events run in conjunction with Kyoto City and other universities in the city.



Room Type	Admission fee	Rent (per month)	Includes
Twin Shared	20,000 yen	19,000 yen	Water and electricity
Single	30,000 yen	38,000 yen	Water and electricity
Family	40,000 yen	60,000 yen	

Buddy

KSU arranges volunteer buddies to aid exchange students in settling into their new lives in Japan and to assist them with their studies. Buddies are initially asked to assist for the first two months after the exchange student's arrival, after which time, continuing to meet is the decision of the exchange student and tutor.



Club Activities

To maximize their student life experience at KSU, exchange students are encouraged to participate in university club activities, especially more traditional clubs such as Tea Ceremony, Japanese Calligraphy, Flower Arrangement, Aikido, and Karate. It is expected that by participating in lectures and student club activities, overseas students will have a chance to view Japanese society not as a visitor but as a member of the community. For more details, exchange students can ask their buddy to accompany them to Student Affairs where all details on clubs and circles is held.



Global Commons

The KSU "Global Commons"(GC) provides space and opportunity for students to cultivate a global mind. Students can deepen their understanding of different cultures and acquire real communicative language skills. The GC offers fun activities such as a communication lounge and various workshops. International students are always welcome to join the lounge and share about their study abroad experiences. Come see our friendly Global Commons team!

