



京都産業大学

Kyoto Sangyo University
Center for International Programs



Introduction to KSU

KSU lies nestled in the scenic north of Kyoto city, the cultural and historical center of Japan, where 17 World Heritage sites are only a short bus ride away. 10% of our city's population are students and we attract undergraduate and post graduates from around the world.

For more than 40 years, KSU has been implementing international exchange programs for students and researchers in line with our ever-expanding global society. The first student exchanges began in 1978 with Massey University, New Zealand. KSU now has active agreements with more than 50 universities throughout the world.



- Founded – 1965
- Academic Staff – 387, Administrative Staff - 412
- University student population – 13,250
- International students from more than 22 countries
- Size of campus – over 600,000sqm
- Academic Year – April to March
- University logo – constellation of Sagittarius embodying the University's hope for students to embark on great ventures throughout the world as global citizens.
- Affiliated Schools – KSU Junior/Senior High School – 1,468 students
- Sumire Kindergarten – 325 students



Undergraduate Faculties Post Graduate Divisions

- Economics
- Business Administration
- Law
- Foreign Languages
- Cultural Studies
- Science
- Computer Science & Engineering
- Life Sciences

- Economics
- Management
- Law
- Foreign Languages
- Science
- Engineering
- Frontier Informatics
- Law School
- Economics by correspondence

Research Organizations

- Institute for World Affairs
- Institute of Japanese Culture
- Institute of Advanced Technology
- Avian Influenza Research Center
- Honeybee Research Center
- Institute of Comprehensive Academic Research
- Plant Organellar Genome Research Center
- Structural Biology Research Center

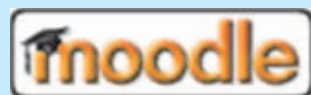


KSU's Unique Features

- H5N1 Research
- Honey & Honey Bee Research
- Koyama Astronomical Observatory
– free public viewings
- KSUi Home – intelligent apartment
- Extensive English Reading Program
– Moodle Reader module used worldwide
- Library with Automated Retrieval System
- Nobel Prize winner - Physics, 2008



**Dr. Toshihide Maskawa,
Laureate
2008 Nobel Prize in Physics**





Green



State-of-the-art research

Our Campus



Reflective



Celebrates all four seasons



Connected



Spacious



Challenging



Thought provoking

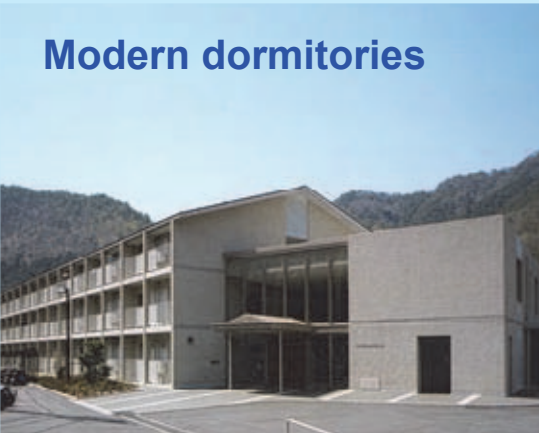
Student Life at KSU



**Cooperative
Program**

KYOTO SANGYO UNIVERSITY

**Career
Support**



Modern dormitories

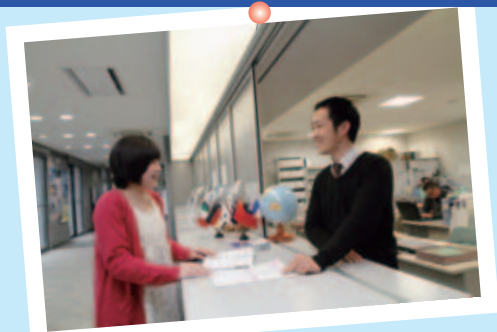


Study Abroad

For International Students



English taught academic classes
Through the Global Japan Program



Personalized support



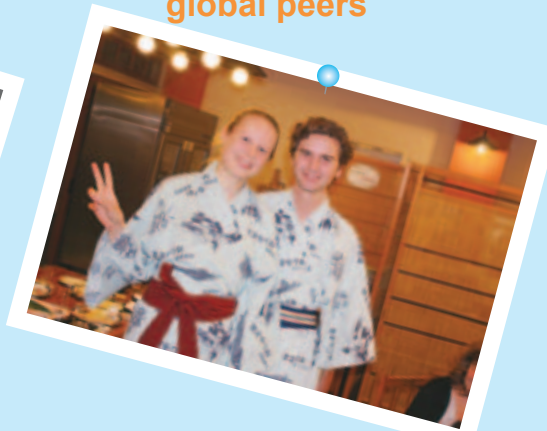
Japanese Language classes



A place to meet your
global peers



Clean, convenient and
affordable accommodation



Cultural weekend excursions

See our English website for more details

Global Japan Program

GJP is an English taught academic program designed to strengthen students' knowledge of Japan through a range of subjects from historic and modern perspectives. Classes are also open to Japanese students so English-speaking exchange students are able to study alongside their Japanese peers furthering adding to students' inter-cultural experience and global awareness.

Subjects Offered (as of 2013)

- Introduction to Japanese Culture A & B
- Japanese Religion A & B
- Japanese History A & B
- Japanese Literature A & B
- Current Topics A & B -Japanese Theater & Film
- Sociology of Japan A & B
- Introduction to Japanese Economy A & B
- Principles of Economics (Autumn)
- Japanese Management & Business Systems A & B
- Japanese Politics & Government A & B
- Japanese Science and Technology A & B
- Japanese Foreign Policy (Autumn)
- Japanese Foreign Aid A & B
- Readings in English on Japanese Law (Spring)
- Introduction to Japanese Law (Autumn)
- The World of History
- Considering American Society
- Approaches to Literature and the Arts



A = Spring semester
B = Fall semester

Enrollment Requirements

Exchange students are required to enroll in a minimum of 8 classes per semester including 4 Japanese language classes. Students with advanced Japanese may enroll in Japanese taught academic courses.

Japanese Language Classes

Exchange students will be allocated to Japanese language classes appropriate to their individual level. Students are expected to at least be able to read and write Hiragana and Katakana characters by the time they arrive at KSU.

Sample GJP Schedule

Example only

	1st Period (9:00 - 10:30)	2nd Period (10:45 - 12:15)	3rd Period (13:15 - 14:45)	4th Period (15:00 - 16:30)	5th Period (16:45 - 17:15)
	Subject	Subject	Subject	Subject	Subject
Mon	General Japanese (Vocabulary & Reading 1)	General Japanese (Vocabulary & Reading 3)	Japanese Management & Business Systems	Sociology of Japan	Japanese Law
	General Japanese (Vocabulary & Reading 2)	General Japanese (Vocabulary & Reading 4)	日本語コミュニケーション(実 践)Ⅳ	日本語 (語彙・読解)Ⅱ	
		日本語コミュニケーション (話す・聞く)Ⅱ			
Tue	General Japanese (Grammar 3)	General Japanese (Grammar 1)	Japanese Foreign Aid	Japanese Science& Technology	Japanese Literature
	General Japanese (Grammar 4)	General Japanese (Grammar 2)	Introduction to Japanese Culture	Current Topics	
		日本語 (読解と文章表現)Ⅳ	日本語コミュニケーション (読む・書く)Ⅱ	日本語 (聴解)Ⅱ(1&2)	
			International Transaction Law Ⅲ(Anglo American)	Readings in English on Law (Legal Topics)	
Wed		Japanese Religion	Japanese History		
Thu	General Japanese (Conversation 1)	General Japanese (Conversation 2)	Lectures on Economics In English	Japanese Foreign Policy	
	General Japanese (Conversation 4)	General Japanese (Conversation 3)	Japanese Politics & Government		
			日本語 (口頭表現)Ⅱ		
Fri		General Japanese (Listening 1-4) B	International Transaction Law (Anglo American)		
			日本語 (作文)(1&2)		

Japanese Language classes
Other classes taught in English



GJP classes



Comments from Exchange Students



Ragnar – Iceland

KSU is nice. Students and teachers are friendly and most of my problems the international office has gladly helped with. My Japanese level has improved and I find it easier to talk with native speakers than before I came. The people in the I-house come from everywhere, and for me, living with them has been very pleasant. Although I am not very social, I've still managed to make many friends here.

Anne – Germany

For my fellow students back in Germany my decision to go on an exchange to Kyoto Sangyo University appeared to be pretty exotic and adventurous. Nevertheless the two semesters I am allowed to study here are offering me one of the most memorable experiences of my life. I am thankful for being able to participate in Japanese everyday life in this town full of history and tradition, which I promptly became familiar with.



Gian-Marco – Italy

There is always something here to keep you busy. For sure there is homework and lots of things to study as should be expected, but there is also a wide choice of club activities, from sports to tea ceremony, that you can be part of along with a lot of events organized by the university. There is also time to hang out with all the new friends you will surely make. If you are not such a sporty person or much of a party lover, the city boasts a lot of temples and shrines and nature so you can easily find a spot to relax in quiet.

Wang Shu – China

All of the teachers and staff here are very tender and amiable. Don't worry about whether you can get along with the life here because they will give you all the advice and guidance that you need. Moreover, there will be many other lovely students together with you living in I House.



Exchange Student Applications

Exchange students should submit the following application document via their home university's international office. For further details, please refer to our application information on-line.

<http://www.kyoto-su.ac.jp/english/admin/applications.html>

- Application for Admission
- Exchange student language proficiency questionnaire
- Japanese Computerized Adaptive Test (J-CAT) results.
- Cover letter from the student's home university
- Two (2) letters of recommendation from faculty or staff of the student's home university
- Transcript from current university in Japanese or English
- Four (4) passport-size photographs
- Passport photocopy (pages showing your identity)
- Application for certificate of eligibility
- Designated certificate of health
- JASSO scholarship application forms (for students coming for two semesters)
- Bank statement or other evidence funds. (An average of 80,000 yen per month is advised)
- Accommodation application form

Note: Only applications which include all of the above forms correctly completed will be accepted.

Application Periods:

Autumn semester admissions: April 1 to 30

Spring semester admission: October 1 to 31

Applications will not be accepted outside of these periods.

Mail to:

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Or e-mail to: cip-ml@star.kyoto-su.ac.jp

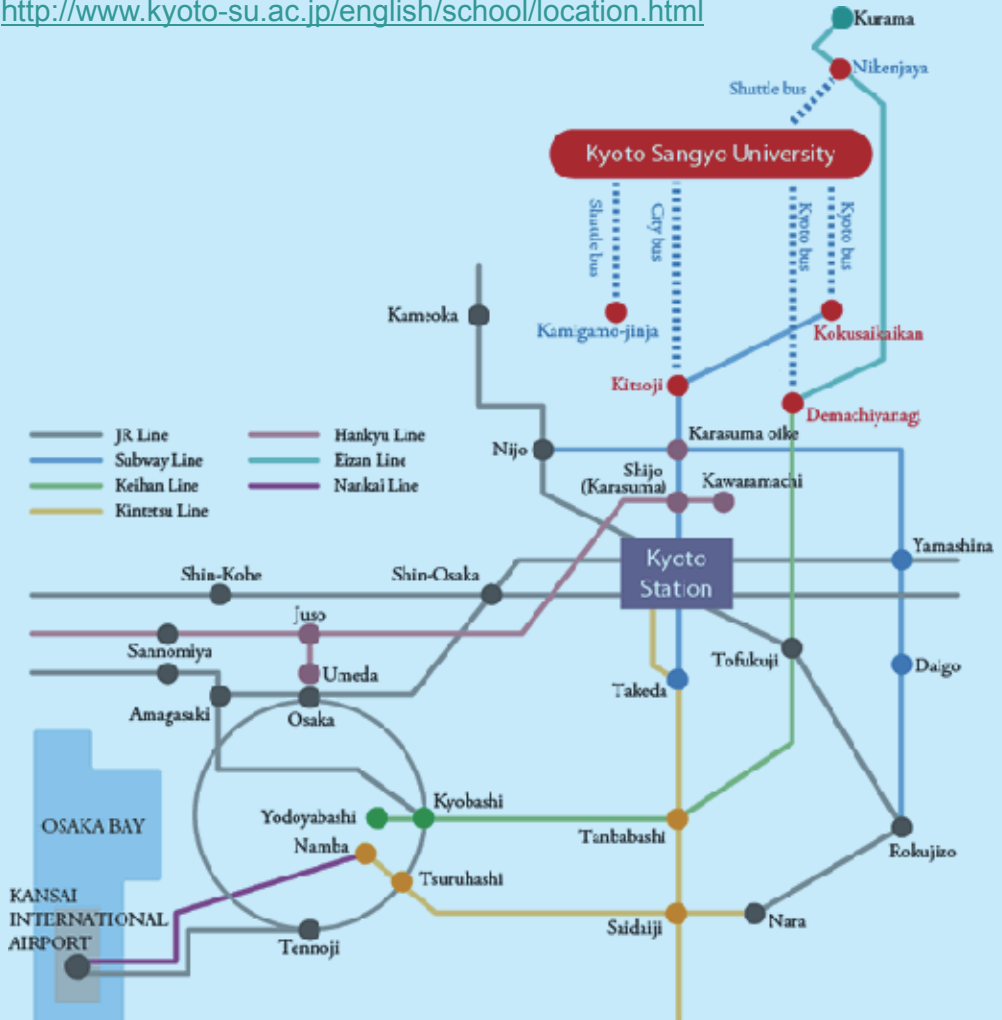
How to get to KSU

• From JR Kyoto Station:

- Karasuma subway to Kitaoji station, transfer to a City bus or Kyoto Bus.
- Karasuma subway to Kokusaikaikan station, transfer to a Kyoto Bus.
- Get off at Kyoto Sandai Mae.

• From Demachiyana Station on the Keihan Line:

- Kyoto Bus to Kyoto Sangyo Daigaku Mae.
- Eiden train line to Nikenchaya station, then free shuttle to KSU
- <http://www.kyoto-su.ac.jp/english/school/location.html>





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