

Kansai University International Dormitory



This dormitory for international students located in a quiet residential area, and 20 minutes away by bicycle from Kansai University's Senriyama Campus. International students at Kansai University are the main residents in this dormitory, and Resident Assistants (RA) also live there to support their daily life in Japan. The rooms are mainly single occupancy and there are shared kitchens, shower and washrooms, and toilets on each floor. All rooms are equipped with wired and wireless internet LAN and air conditioners. There are multipurpose room and study room available for students to interact. Cultural exchange events are held with people from the local community.

Dormitory specifications

Address	3-3 Tsukumo-dai, Suita-Shi, Osaka 565-0862
Building	5 story building (residential facility for both males and females)
Establishment	1964 (renovation work completed in 2008)
Number of rooms	140 rooms (136 single rooms and 4 twin rooms)
Residence room size	Approximately 8 m ² (single room)
Security system	Self-locking doors. Manager is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Dormitory fee (per person)

Single room: JPY 30,000 per month

- * Electricity, gas, water, Internet, and linen Leasing fee are included.
- * You are required to pay JPY15,000 as an entrance fee.
- * The dormitory fee is subject to revision annually.
- * One month dormitory fee (JPY30, 000) will be charged for the security deposit.
(If there are no outstanding fees, the security deposit will be applied to the last month's obligatory payment.)

Period of residency

2 semesters
in principle

Meals

No meal plan at this dormitory
(prepare on your own)

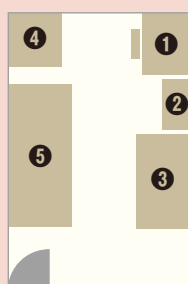
Room furnishings

Bed, desk, chair, bookshelf, closet, wired and wireless internet LAN, refrigerator, air conditioner, window curtain, linen, desk light, dustbin, drying pole



Room Layout

Single room



- 1 desk
- 2 bookshelf
- 3 closet
- 4 refrigerator
- 5 bed

Common area furnishings

Kitchen (cookware, oven toaster, microwave), toilet, washroom, shower room, laundry room (washer & drier), multipurpose room, study room, bicycle stand, elevator, rental articles (vacuum cleaner, iron, ironing board)



Resident Assistant

3 Resident Assistants on each floor.
(Maximum 15 RAs)



What is a Resident Assistant?

Resident Assistants are Kansai University students, and 3 reside on each floor. They mainly support the daily activities of international students, and regularly organize activities in the dormitory. They will be always there for you if you need help at any time.

Residents Assistant Message

After becoming a Resident Assistant, I have had to manage my schedule to maintain a balance between RA activities and my studies. I learned to use my time more efficiently than before, although preparing for events can be a particularly busy time. Resident Assistants have a lot of things to do and sometimes it can be challenging. But living together with people from so many different cultures is a valuable experience.

International Student Message

When I first came to Japan, I found it difficult as I was not accustomed to the Japanese language and culture, and was unable to express myself. But the Resident Assistants were very kind to me, and we hang out together and go out for dinner. This really improved my Japanese, and I was able to make more friends. I am able to enjoy my life in Japan more thanks to the RAs. Based on my experience in the dormitory, I also wanted to support other international students in my home country, so I decided to become a Resident Assistant when I return to New Zealand.

Q&A

Q Is there a supermarket near the dormitory?

A There are supermarkets, drug stores, banks, and a post office in front of Minami-Senri station.

Q What should I prepare before checking in to the dormitory?

A Please organize your own tableware such as dishes and chopsticks, and other amenities such as towels. Furniture (bed, desk, chair, refrigerator, etc.) and bedding (pillow, comforter, mattress, covers) are provided by the dormitory.

Q Are meals provided in the dormitory?

A The dormitory does not have a cafeteria, so you will have to prepare meals on your own. Each floor has a kitchen with a microwave oven and a toaster.

Q Is there a curfew?

A No, there is no curfew. The entrance door is self-locking, but you can go in and out freely. The dormitory manager is on duty at the entrance for 24 hours, so it is fully secure.

Q What kind of rules are there?

A Here are some typical dormitory rules for communal living.

- Drinking is not permitted outside the dormitory rooms.
- Smoking is not permitted inside the dormitory. (Smoking is permitted only the designated smoking space.)
- Non-residents are not allowed to enter the living space. (Non-residents are allowed to see residents in the multipurpose room only.)
- Entering the floors and the rooms of the opposite sex is not permitted.



Annual Event Schedule (Example)

Apr. Welcome party

May Spring hiking

Jun. Instant noodles making

Jul. Farewell party

Aug. Pancake party

Sep. Welcome party

Oct. Halloween party

Nov. Fusion cuisine party

Dec. Christmas party

Jan. *Hatsumoude*
(first visit of the year to a shrine)

Feb. Farewell party

Mar. Osaka food party

Contact information

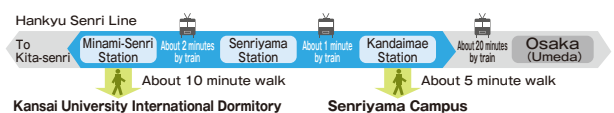
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Access

About 10 minutes walk from Hankyu Senri Line "Minami-Senri" Station.



Time Required to Kansai University's Campuses

Senriyama Campus: About 20 minutes by train/ About 20 minutes by bike
Takatsuki Campus: About 80 minutes by train
Takatsuki Muse Campus: About 50 minutes by train
Sakai Campus: About 80 minutes by train