

# **KANSAI UNIVERSITY GUIDE BOOK 2020 FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**



**KANSAI UNIVERSITY**

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30,750  
Students  
undergraduate &  
graduate students



1,100  
International  
Students



740  
Faculty Members

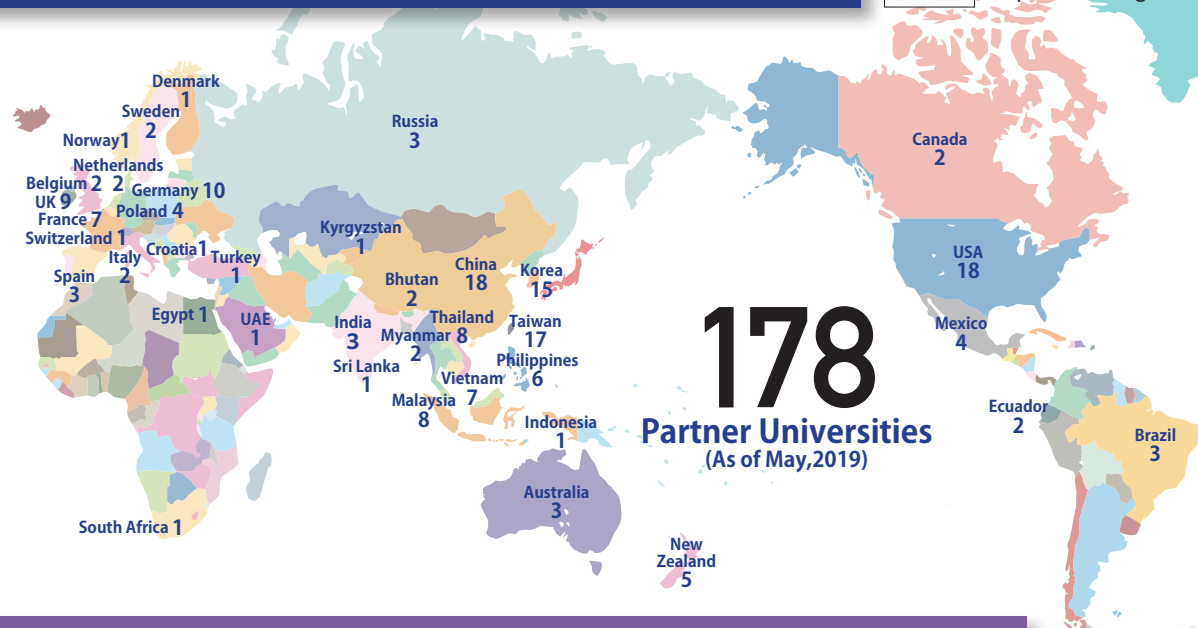


680  
Staff Members

## Overseas Partner Universities



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178  
Partner Universities  
(As of May, 2019)

## Kansai University's Overseas Office

- Japan-EU Research Center
- Shanghai Office
- Bangkok Office
- Taiwan Office
- Beijing Office



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## Undergraduate

13 faculties facing modern topics with  
'THINK × ACT' philosophy for the betterment of society

### Faculty of Law

Department of Law and Politics

### Faculty of Letters

#### Department of General Humanities

Department of English Linguistics and Literature / American and British Cultural Studies / Japanese Language and Literature / Philosophy and Ethics / History of Religions / Art Theory, Art History and Aesthetics / French Studies / German Studies / Japanese History / World History / Geography and Regional Environment / Chinese Studies / Education and Culture / Elementary Education / Psychology / Information Studies / Film and Media Studies / Cultural Symbiotics / Asian Culture Studies

### Faculty of Economics

#### Department of Economics

Economic Theory / Finance and Accounting / Public Economics / History and Economic Thought / Industrial and Business Economics / Regional and Global Economic Studies / Statistics and Econometrics

### Faculty of Business and Commerce

#### Department of Business and Commerce

Distribution and Marketing / Finance / International Business / Management / Accounting

### Faculty of Sociology

#### Department of Sociology

Sociology / Psychology / Media Studies / Social System Design

### Faculty of Policy Studies

#### Department of Policy Studies

International Politics and Economics / Politics and Policy / Local Community and Administration / Organization and Management

#### Department of Global and Asian Legal Policy Studies

### Faculty of Foreign Language Studies

#### Department of Foreign Language Studies

### Faculty of Health and Well-being

#### Department of Health and Well-being

Sport and Wellness Course / Social Work and Well-being Course

### Faculty of Informatics

#### Department of Informatics

### Faculty of Societal Safety Sciences

#### Department of Safety Management

### Faculty of Engineering Science

#### Department of Mathematics

#### Department of Pure and Applied Physics

Physics Course / Applied Physics Course

#### Department of Mechanical Engineering

Mechanical Science Course / Mechanical Systems Course

#### Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Electrical and Electronic Engineering Course / Information and Communication Engineering Course / Applied Information Engineering Course

### Faculty of Environmental and Urban Engineering

#### Department of Architecture

#### Department of Civil, Environmental and Applied System Engineering

Infrastructure Design Course\* / Civil and Environmental Planning Course\*  
Applied Information System Course in Environmental and Urban Engineering\*  
\*Courses' name may be changed

#### Department of Chemical, Energy and Environmental Engineering

Energy Engineering Course / Environmental Chemistry Course

### Faculty of Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering

#### Department of Chemistry and Materials Engineering

Materials Science and Engineering Course / Applied Chemistry Course / Bio-Related Chemistry Course

#### Department of Life Science and Biotechnology

Life Science Course / Biotechnology Course

## Graduate Schools

13 graduate schools and 2 professional graduate schools  
with state-of-the-art educational facilities and research system

### Graduate School of Law

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Law and Politics Major

### Graduate School of Letters

[Master's Degree Program]

General Humanities Major  
English Linguistics and Literature / American and British Cultural Studies / Japanese Language and Literature / Philosophy / Art Theory, Art History and Aesthetics / Japanese History / World History / German Studies / French Studies / Chinese Literature / Geography / Education / Cultural Symbiotics / Film and Media Studies  
[Ph.D. Degree Program]  
General Humanities Major  
English Linguistics and Literature / Japanese Language and Literature / Philosophy / History / German Studies / French Studies / Chinese Literature / Geography / Education

### Graduate School of Economics

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Economics Major

### Graduate School of Business and Commerce

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Business and Commerce Major

### Graduate School of Sociology

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program]

Sociology Major / Social System Design Major / Mass Communication Major

### Graduate School of Informatics

[Master's Degree Program] Social Informatics Major / Intelligent Informatics Major

[Ph.D. Degree Program] Informatics Major

### Graduate School of Science and Engineering

[Master's Degree Program]

Engineering Science Major  
Mathematics / Pure and Applied Physics / Mechanical Engineering / Electrical Electronic and Information Engineering / Environmental and Urban Engineering Major  
Architecture / Civil, Environmental and Applied Systems Engineering / Chemical, Energy and Environmental Engineering  
Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering Major  
Chemistry and Materials Engineering / Life Science and Biotechnology  
[Ph.D. Degree Program]  
Integrated Science and Engineering Major  
Mathematics / Pure and Applied Physics / Mechanical Engineering / Electrical Electronic and Information Engineering / Architecture / Civil, Environmental and Applied Systems Engineering / Chemical, Energy and Environmental Engineering / Chemistry and Materials Engineering / Life Science and Biotechnology

### Graduate School of Foreign Language Education and Research

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program]

Foreign Language Education and Research Major

### Graduate School of Psychology

[Master's Degree Program] Psychology Major / Clinical Psychology Major

[Ph.D. Degree Program] Psychology Major

### Graduate School of Societal Safety Sciences

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program]

Disaster Prevention and Reduction Major

### Graduate School of East Asian Cultures

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Cultural Interaction Studies Major

### Graduate School of Governance

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Governance Major

### Graduate School of Health and Well-being

[Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Health and Well-being Major

### School of Law

### School of Accountancy



# Undergraduate 2020 spring enrollment (April) International Undergraduate Students Entrance Examination

Faculty of Informatics also accepts applications in June (for autumn enrollment).  
Faculty of Foreign Language Studies is not given the International Students Entrance Examination.  
For more details, please check the admission guidelines on the page of “Admission Information” (various entrance examinations) of the “Kan-Dai web” which is a comprehensive website for entrance examination information of Kansai University.

## ■ Eligibility for applicants (September applications • November applications)

All conditions (1) to (4) below must be met to apply for the entrance examination.

- (1) Applicants who must be of foreign nationality.
- (2) Applicants who have completed or will have completed by the time a student enters the university a 12-year schooling in countries other than Japan (includes those who completed a 12-year curriculum in less than 12 years through skipping a grade).  
\* In addition, there are cases in which application is admitted as those who have completed or will have completed the above schooling curriculum.  
For more details, please check the eligibility for applicants on page 5 of the “Entrance Examination Guidelines”.
- (3) Applicants who have taken the subjects specified by each faculty in any of the examinations specified by each faculty in the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU).

**[Applications in September]** <Faculty of Law> ◆ 2019 1st session (in June)

<Faculty of Letters / Sociology / Informatics> ◆ 2018 2nd session (in November) ◆ 2019 1st session (in June)

<Faculty of Economics> ◆ 2017 2nd session (in November) ◆ 2018 1st session (in June)

◆ 2018 2nd session (in November) ◆ 2019 1st session (in June)

**[Applications in November]** ◆ 2019 1st session (in June) ◆ 2019 2nd session (in November)

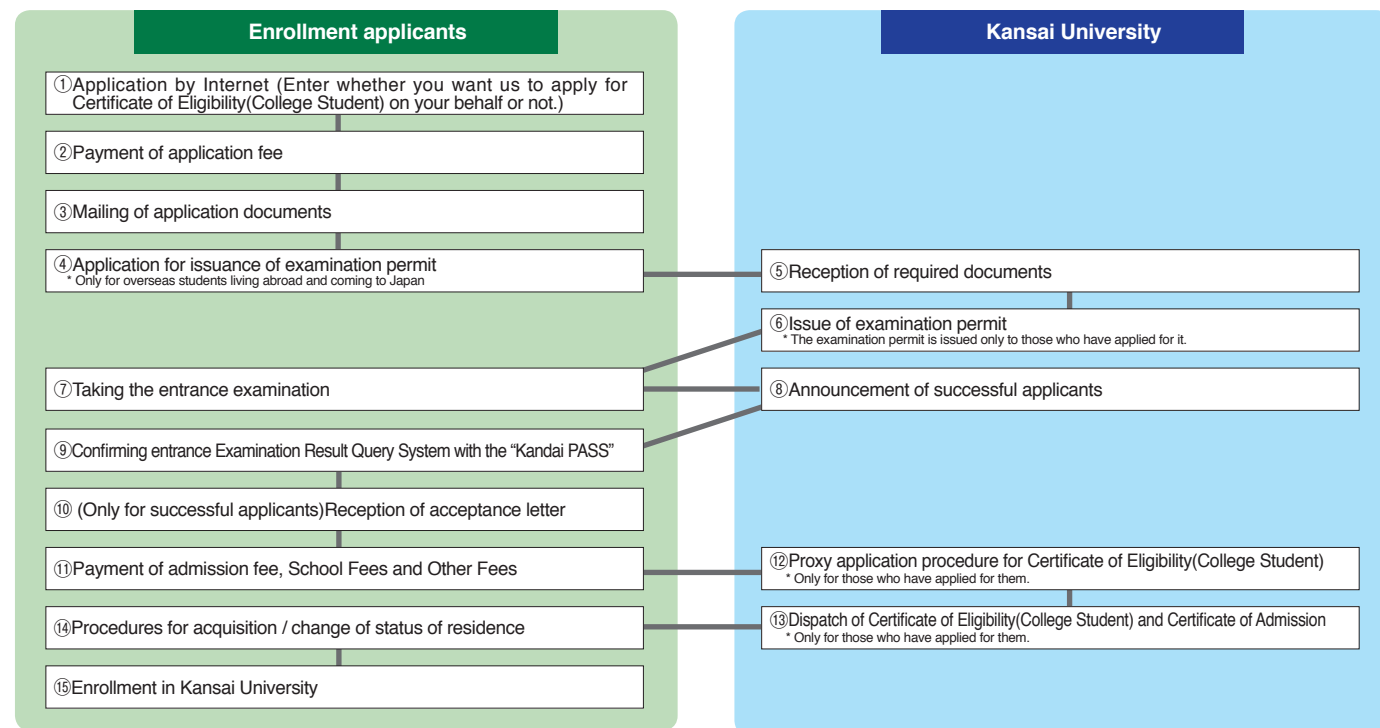
- (4) Scores of the Foreign Language Certificate Examination to be submitted with the application form.

<Only for Faculties of Letters, Economics, Business and Commerce, Sociology, Health and Well-being>

\* The score or grade must be the one which achieved within the two years. TOEFL ITP® and TOEIC® L&R IP are inapplicable.

## ■ Application Fee 35,000 yen

## ■ STEPS: FROM APPLICATION TO ADMISSION



## ■ 2019 Results of International Undergraduate Students Entrance Examination (Application in September)

(by Person)

Faculties	Number of applicants	Number of successful application
Law	42	4
Letters	19	6
Economics	38	18
Sociology	35	13
Informatics	45	5
Total	179	46

## ■ 2019 Results of International Undergraduate Students Entrance Examination (Application in November)

(by Person)

Faculties	Number of applicants	Number of successful applicants
Law	56	8
Letters	36	10
Economics	52	13
Business and Commerce	79	29
Policy Studies	85	12
Health and Well-being	17	3
Societal Safety Sciences	6	4
Engineering Science	96	26
Environmental and Urban Engineering	44	16
Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering	66	23
Total	537	144

## Entrance Examination Guidelines

For details, refer to Entrance Examination Guide.



## ■ Application Period/ Exam Date/ Pass Announcement Date

Applications	Application Period (Registration Date · Payment of Entrance Examination · Document deadline)	Exam Date	Exam results
Applications in September	Sep 5, 2019 (Thu) to Sep 13, 2019 (Fri)	<b>Oct 20, 2019 (Sun)</b>	Oct 25, 2019 (Fri)
Applications in November	Nov 18, 2019 (Mon) to Nov 25, 2019 (Mon)	<b>Jan 12, 2020 (Sun)</b>	Jan 17, 2020 (Fri)

## ■ Faculties, Department (Major), Enrollment Capacity, Screening Method, Examination Venue, etc. (Enrollment in April 2020)

Faculties		Applications		Screening method		Examination	
Faculties	Departments	September	November	Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU)	English proficiency examination	Kansai University original examination	Examination venue
Law	Law and Politics	○	○	Japanese*2, Japan and the World	—	—	—
Letters	General Humanities Studies	○	○	Japanese*2, Japan and the World	Cambridge English, EIKEN Test in Practical English Proficiency, United Nations Associations Test of English, IELTS Academic Module, TOEFL iBT®, or TOEIC®L&R	Interview	Senriyama Campus
Economics	Economics	○	○	Sep: Japanese*2 Nov: Japan and the World	TOEFL iBT® or TOEIC® L&R	Sep: Interview Nov: —	
Business and Commerce	Business and Commerce	—	○	Japanese*2	TOEFL iBT® or TOEIC® L&R	Interview	
Sociology*1	Sociology (Sociology Major, Psychology Major, Media Studies Major, Social System Design Major)	○	—	Japanese*2, Japan and the World	IELTS Academic 3.5 or higher, TOEFL iBT® 37 or higher, or TOEIC® L&R 420 or higher	Interview	
Policy Studies	Policy Studies, Global and Asian Legal Policy Studies	—	○	Japanese*2 Choose 1 subject from Japan and the World, Mathematics (Course 1) and Science (choose 2 subjects from Physics, Chemistry and Biology)	—	—	—
Health and Well-being	Health and Well-being	—	○	Japanese*2, Japan and the World	TOEFL iBT® or TOEIC® L&R	Interview	Sakai Campus
Informatics	Informatics	○	—	Japanese*2, Japan and the World Choose 1 subject from Japan and the World, Mathematics (Course 1or2), and Science (choose 2 subjects from Physics, Chemistry and Biology)	—	Small thesis (100 points), Interview	Takatsuki Campus
Societal Safety Sciences	Safety Management	—	○	Japanese*2 Mathematics (Course 2), Japan and the World or Science (choose 2 subjects from Physics, Chemistry and Biology)	—	—	—
Engineering Science	Mathematics, Pure and Applied Physics, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering	—	○	Japanese*2 Mathematics (Course 2), Science (Physics and Chemistry)	—	—	
Environmental and Urban Engineering	Architecture, Civil, Environmental and Applied System Engineering, Chemical, Energy and Environmental Engineering	—	○	Japanese*2 Mathematics (Course 2), Science (Physics and Chemistry)	—	—	
Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering	Chemistry and Materials Engineering Life Science and Biotechnology	—	○	Japanese*2 Mathematics (Course 2), Science (choose 2 subjects from Physics, Chemistry and Biology)	—	—	

\*1 A maximum of 4 applications is allowed when applying for Faculty of Sociology.

\*2 Writing task is included in “Japanese” in Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students(EJU).

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2020 spring enrollment (April)

Entrance Examination for Transfer International Students

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■ Eligibility for applicants All conditions (1) to (4) below must be met to apply for the entrance examination.

- (1)Applicants who must be of foreign nationality and have completed 12 years of schooling up to high school in countries other than Japan.
- (2)Applicants who satisfy any of the following conditions.

· Applicants who have completed a regular 14-year schooling in foreign countries. (Applicants who will meet the above qualifications by the end of March, 2020 are eligible).

· Applicants who will have been registered at a four-year university in Japan for at least two years by the end of March 2020 (excluding periods of leave of absence) and have obtained at least 60 of the credits required for graduation from the faculty and department concerned (including applicants who will meet the above qualifications).

· Graduates of a four-year university, junior college or tertiary college in Japan (Applicants who will meet the above qualifications by the end of March 2020 are eligible).

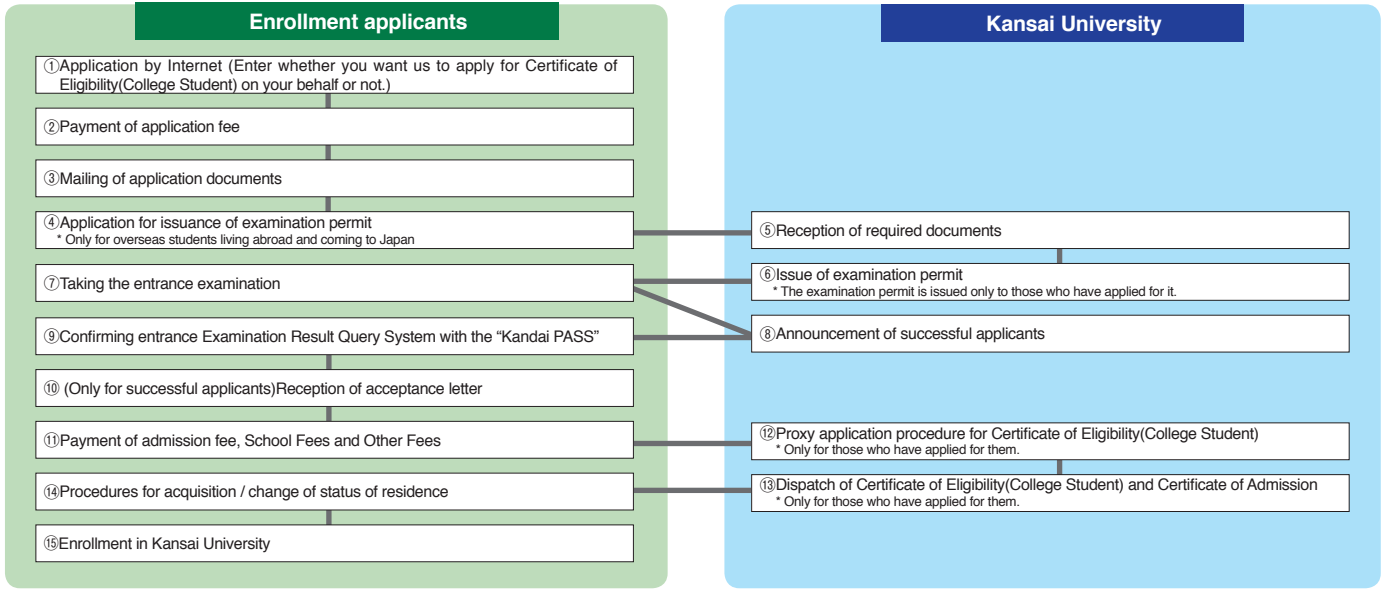
· Students who have completed a specialized course at a special training school in Japan (Applicants who will meet the above qualifications by the end of March 2020 are eligible).

· Others who are recognized to have academic ability equivalent to or greater than that above by the President after discussion by the Faculty Council.
- (3)Applicants who have taken the “Japanese as a Foreign Language (including writing task)” examination in the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU) or obtained Level N1 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT).

\* The EJU of FY2018 EJU 2nd Session (implemented in November) or FY2019 1st session (implemented in June) will be screamed.
- (4)Applicants who can submit a Foreign Language proficiency test score or grade as specified by the faculty.

\* TOEFL ITP® and TOEIC® L&R IP are not included. The score or grade must be the one which achieved within the two years for applicants for the Faculty of Letters. The score or grade must be taken within the valid period of approval of the designated test for applicants for the Faculty of Foreign Language Studies.

■ STEPS: FROM APPLICATION TO ADMISSION



■ Enrollment Period/ Application Period/ Exam Date/ Pass Announcement Date

Application Period (Registration Date · Payment of Entrance Examination · Document deadline)	Pass announcement date
Sep 5, 2019 (Thu) to Sep 13, 2019 (Fri)	Oct. 25, 2019 (Fri)

■ Application, Faculties, Departments, Enrollment Capacity, Screening Method, Examination Schedule, Examination venue, etc. Enrollment in 2020 spring (Enrollment in April 2020)

Faculties	Departments	Transfer entrance year	Enrollment Capacity	Certificate examination about Japanese Language proficiency	English proficiency test	Kansai University examination	Exam date and venue
Letters	General Humanities Studies	3rd year (Only Psychology Major is 2nd year)	Limited numbers	Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (writing task is included in "Japanese") or Japanese Language Proficiency Test "N1"	Cambridge English, EIKEN Test in Practical English Proficiency, United Nations Associations Test of English, IELTS Academic, TOEFL iBT®, or TOEIC®L&R	Writing test (major subject or specialized thesis), Interview	Oct 20, 2019 (Sun), Senriyama campus
Policy Studies	Policy Studies Global and Asian Legal Policy Studies	3rd year	Limited numbers		—	Specialized thesis	Oct 19, 2019 (Sat), Senriyama campus
Foreign Language Studies	Foreign Language Studies	3rd year	Limited numbers		[Students selecting English language major] TOEFL iBT®61 or higher  [Students selecting Chinese language major] HSK grade 5 (210 or higher) or Chinese Proficiency Test grade 2 or higher	Short Essay(in Japanese), Interview [Students selecting English, Chinese major]Implemented in language of major (English or Chinese) and in Japanese [Students selecting Japanese language major] Implemented in Japanese.	Oct 20, 2019 (Sun), Senriyama campus

\* The Faculty of Letters does not recruit applicants for Elementary Education

(by Person)

■ Results of 2019 Entrance Examination for Transfer International Students

Faculties	Applicants	Successful applicants
Letters	2	0
Policy Studies	1	0
Foreign Language Studies	1	0
Total	4	0

Entrance Examination Guidelines

For details, refer to Entrance Examination Guide.



Applicable for students admitted for 2020

Undergraduate

School fees / Other fees

Faculty of Law / Letters (excludes Department of Elementary Education, Psychology) / Economics / Business and Commerce / Sociology (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		465,000	465,000	930,000	1,060,000	1,060,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			752,000	465,000	1,217,000	1,087,000	1,067,000

Department of Elementary Education, Faculty of Letters (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		465,000	465,000	930,000	1,140,000	1,140,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			752,000	465,000	1,217,000	1,167,000	1,147,000

Department of Psychology, Faculty of Letters (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		465,000	465,000	930,000	1,070,000	1,070,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			752,000	465,000	1,217,000	1,077,000	1,077,000

Faculty of Policy Studies (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		475,000	475,000	950,000	1,080,000	1,080,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			762,000	475,000	1,237,000	1,107,000	1,087,000

Faculty of Foreign Language Studies (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		628,000	628,000	1,256,000	※1,387,000	1,387,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			915,000	628,000	1,543,000	1,394,000	1,414,000

\* The tuition fee of the University will be fully exempted while a student is studying abroad under the Study Abroad Program (in principle 2nd year). The amount and payment period of other fees may be changed. Expenses for the Study Abroad Program (including tuition fees for study abroad) are required separately.

Faculty of Health and Well-being (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		485,000	485,000	970,000	1,100,000	1,100,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			772,000	485,000	1,257,000	1,127,000	1,107,000

Faculty of Informatics / Societal Safety Sciences (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		651,000	651,000	1,302,000	1,432,000	1,432,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			938,000	651,000	1,589,000	1,459,000	1,439,000

Faculty of Engineering Science / Environmental and Urban Engineering / Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering (in Yen)

Type	Grade (Year)		1st year (2020)		2nd year (2021)	3rd year (2022)	4th year (2023 and after)
	Category		First semester after enrollment	Fall Semester	Annual payment	Annual payment	Annual payment
School Fees	Admission Fee		260,000	—	260,000	—	—
	Tuition		746,500	746,500	1,493,000	1,624,000	※※1,624,000
Other Fees	Parents' Association Fee	Enrollment Fee	10,000	—	10,000	—	—
		Association Fee	7,000	—	7,000	7,000	7,000
	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	Basic Fee	10,000	—	10,000	20,000	—
			1,033,500	746,500	1,780,000	1,651,000	1,631,000

※ ※ When a student continues to stay registered at the University beyond the term of study (eight semesters) in the Faculty of Engineering Science, Faculty of Environmental and Urban Engineering and Faculty of Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering, the student must pay the tuition fee per semester of 762,000 yen (1,524,000 yen a year). In addition, other fees will be required.

(Note) -Other fees which are currently collected by commission may be revised.

-If a student who has completed the Kansai University International Student Special Course enrolls in an undergraduate program, or if a student who is registered in the university's International Foreign Student Special Course enrolls in an undergraduate program before its completion, the admission fee (enrollment registration fee) will be halved.



Graduate Schools

2020

Spring enrollment (April) • Autumn enrollment (September)

International Students Entrance Examination

For more details about eligibility of applicants, application documents, application procedure, screening method and the like, please check the application guideline of each graduate school. The Clinical Psychology Major of the Graduate School of Psychology (Master's Degree Program) and the Graduate School of Health and Well-being (Ph.D. Degree Program) are not given the International Students Entrance Examination. At the Graduate School of Science and Engineering (Master's Degree Program and Ph.D. Degree Program) and the Graduate School of Societal Safety Sciences (Ph.D. Degree Program), there is another program that you obtain the degree. For more details, please check the “English-based Program” on Kansai University's Admissions Information website.

Master's Degree Program/ Ph.D. Degree Program

Eligibility for applicants

Master's Degree Program

Applicants must satisfy any one of the following (1) to (5) conditions (including applicants who are expected to have satisfied any one of the following conditions (1) to (4) conditions before enrolling the Graduate School)

(1) Applicants who have completed a regular 16-years of schooling outside Japan. (Note 1)

(2) Applicants who have graduated from Japanese universities as international students.

(3) Applicants who have completed a program for 3 years or more and awarded a degree by an overseas university or school (Note 2) which is recognized as being equivalent to a bachelor's degree. (2016 ordinance of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, No. 19)

(4) Applicants who have completed Specialized Course at Japanese special training schools after the designated date by the Minister of MEXT as international students. The training schools must satisfy the conditions designated by MEXT including that the length of term required for graduation be at least four years.

(5) Applicants who are recognized as having scholastic abilities equivalent or superior to the graduates of university through pre-qualificational individual screening of the Graduate School. This requirement shall not apply to foreign national who are recognized as having received Japanese regular school education program.

Note 1: Applicants who have been enrolled in the following schools are considered to have the same eligibility conditions as the eligibility for applicants provided that the term is less than four years in total.

- A primary school, a junior high school, a high school, etc. along School Education Law / A foreign school in Japan
- Overseas educational facilities accredited or designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

Note 2: Educational facilities evaluated by those who have been accredited by the overseas government or relevant organization with respect to the comprehensive situation of education and research activities etc., or designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology.

Ph.D. Degree Program

Applicants must satisfy any one of the following (1) to (5) conditions (including applicants who are expected to have satisfied any one of the following conditions (1) to (3) conditions before enrolling the Graduate School).

(1) Applicants who have obtained a master's degree or a degree equivalent to a professional degree in a graduate school overseas.

(2) Applicants who have obtained a master's degree or a degree equivalent to a professional degree in a Japanese graduate school as an international student.

(3) Applicants who have completed the course of the United Nations University based on the resolution of the United Nations General Assembly adopted on December 11, 1972, as defined in Article 1, paragraph 2 of the Act on Special Measures, in accordance with the implementation of the agreement on the headquarters of United Nations University between the United Nations and Japan.

(4) Applicants designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (Notification No. 118, Ministry of Education, in 1989)

(5) In addition, applicants who have been admitted to have a degree equal to or higher than a master's degree by the Graduate School and who will reach the age of 24 before entering the Graduate School. This requirement shall not apply to foreign national who are recognized as having received Japanese regular school education program.

Graduate Schools laying down conditions on linguistic ability as requirements for application

Graduate Schools	Level/Score
Sociology (M)	JLPT: N1 or “Japanese as a Foreign Language” in EJU:240 or higher <sup>*3</sup>
Informatics (M/D) <sup>*1</sup> Psychology (M/D) Health and Well-being(M)	JLPT: N1 or “Japanese as a Foreign Language” in EJU:270 or higher <sup>*3</sup>
Science and Engineering (M) <sup>*2</sup>	Submission of TOEIC®L&R or TOEFL® score

(Note) M means Master's Degree Program and D means Ph.D. Degree Program.

<sup>\*1</sup> Only applicants who will meet the above qualification based on the eligibility condition (1), (3), or (5) in Master's Degree Program, and (1), (4), or (5) in Ph.D. Degree Program.

<sup>\*2</sup> Only applicants for Pure and Applied Physics, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Electronic and Information Engineering of Science and Engineering Major, and Architecture and Civil, Environmental and Applied Systems Engineering of Environmental and Urban Engineering Major.

<sup>\*3</sup> Writing task is included in “Japanese” in Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students.

Graduate Schools

2020 April acceptance and September acceptance

Foreign Research Students Selection Examination

Foreign Research Student Program

This program is targeted at foreigners who have own research theme and wish to receive research guidance from a specific graduate school. “Foreign research students” are not regular students of a graduate school of Kansai University. However, if they complete subjects specified by the graduate school and pass their examinations, a maximum of 6 credits may be accredited as credits acquired prior to admission after their enrollment in graduate schools of Kansai University. The number of subjects that foreign research students need to obtain status of residence for study in Japan as foreigners is listed in “Research Fee of foreign researchers” on page 11.

Eligibility for applicants

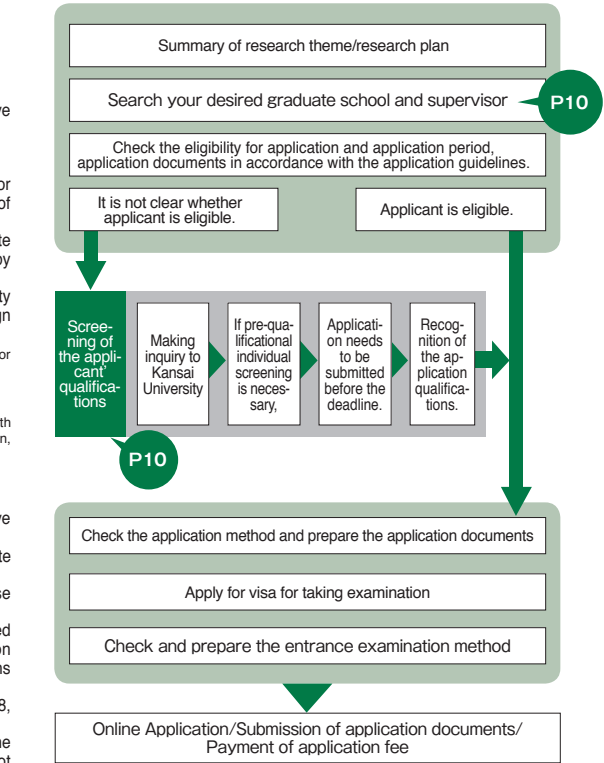
The above application qualifications for Master's Degree Program shall apply. In addition, applicants who have received approval from the supervisor they wish to receive guidance and have the Japanese language ability specified by the graduate school.

Graduate Schools	Level/Score
Law, Letters, Economics, Business and Commerce, Foreign Language Education and Research, Psychology, Societal Safety Sciences, East Asian Cultures, Governance, Health and Well-being	JLPT: N2 or higher
Sociology	JLPT: N2 or higher or “Japanese as a Foreign Language” in EJU:240 or higher
Informatics, Science and Engineering	JLPT: N3 or higher

<sup>\*1</sup> Applicants for admission in the Graduate Schools of Foreign Language Education and Research will be exempt of the qualification in Japanese Language Proficiency if their prospective advising supervisor approves. In addition, some graduate schools recognize the scores of the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students required for entrance examination for Master's Degree Program as eligibility qualification, as long as applicants apply for admission as a regular international student simultaneously. For more details, please check the application requirements.

<sup>\*2</sup> Writing task is included in “Japanese” in Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students.

STEPS: FROM APPLICATION TO ADMISSION



Application Fee 35,000 yen

Entrance Examination Schedule

Enrollment Period	Application Month	Online Application Period/ Application Fee Payment Period	Application Period	Exam Date	Exam results Date
2020 Spring Enrollment	July	May 17, 2019 (Fri) to May 31, 2019 (Fri)	May 24, 2019 (Fri) to May 31, 2019 (Fri)	<b>July 6, 2019 (Sat)</b>	July 12, 2019 (Fri)
	October	Aug 23, 2019 (Fri) to Sep 6, 2019 (Fri)	Aug 30, 2019 (Fri) to Sep 6, 2019 (Fri)	<b>Informatics/Societal Safety Sciences/Health and Well-being Oct 5, 2019 (Sat) Other graduate schools Oct 6, 2019 (Sun)</b>	Oct 11, 2019 (Fri)
	December	Oct 25, 2019 (Fri) to Nov 8, 2019 (Fri)	Nov 1, 2019 (Fri) to Nov 8, 2019 (Fri)	<b>Dec 8, 2019 (Sun)</b>	Dec 13, 2019 (Fri)
	February	Dec 20, 2019 (Fri) to Jan 10, 2020 (Fri)		<b>Feb 22, 2020 (Sat)</b>	Feb 28, 2020 (Fri)
2020 Autumn Enrollment	July	May 15, 2020 (Fri) to May 29, 2020 (Fri)	May 22, 2020 (Fri) to May 29, 2020 (Fri)	<b>July 5, 2020 (Sun)</b>	July 10, 2020 (Fri)

Screening Method/ Application months

Admit applicants based on a comprehensive evaluation of screening document, written examination, and oral examination results.

Graduate Schools	Application Month (Enrollment Period)					Written Examination	
	July (Spring)	Oct (S)	Dec (S)	Feb (S)	July/Autumn	Master's Degree Program	Ph.D. Degree Program
Law		●	●			Legal and Political Studies Course: 1 Major subject and 1 elective subject Business Law Course and Public Policy Course: 1 elective subject	Major subject and Foreign Language (Select one language from English, German, French and Chinese)
Letters		●	●	●		Foreign Language (Japanese) *Geography: Japanese or English	Foreign Language (Select one language from English, German, French, Chinese, Russian, Spanish and Korean) *Japanese Language and Literature and Chinese Literature: Japanese *Geography: Japanese or English
Economics		○		●		Specialized subject and Foreign Language (English) *Specialized subject only for Project Course.	Specialized subject and Foreign Language (English)
Business and Commerce		●		●		Specialized subject (Select one subject from Commercial Science, Business Administration, Economics, Accounting or Statistics) and Foreign Language (English) *Specialized subject only for Professional Research Course	Specialized subject and Foreign Language (English)
Sociology		○		●		Specialized subject *Specialized subject and English for Special Study Course of Sociology Major	Specialized subject and English
Informatics		●		●		Specialized subject	Specialized subject and English
Science and Engineering		●		●	●	Specialized subject and Foreign Language (English) *Only specialized subjects for Engineering Science Major (Pure and Applied Physics, Mechanical Engineering, and Electrical Electronic and Information Engineering); and Environmental and Urban Engineering Major (Architecture, Civil, Environmental and Applied Systems Engineering) *No written examination for Electrical, Electronic and Information Engineering of Engineering Science Major	No written examination
Foreign Language Education and Research		●	●	●		Foreign Language (Japanese)	Foreign Language (Japanese)
Psychology (major in psychology)		●		●		Specialized Examination	Specialized Examination
Societal Safety Sciences		●		●		Specialized Subject	Specialized Subject and Foreign Language (English)
East Asian Cultures		●		●	●	Foreign Language (Japanese)	Foreign Language (Select one language from English, German, French, Chinese, Russian, Spanish, Korean and Japanese)
Governance		●		●		Specialized Subject (answer in Japanese or in English)	Specialized Subject and English
Health and Well-being		○	○	○		Specialized Subject	—

Note) ●mark means the entrance examination for applicants for Master's Degree Program and Ph.D. Degree Program, and ○mark means the entrance examination for applicants for Master's Degree Program only.

Application Fee 14,000 yen

<sup>\*</sup> If you apply for admission as a regular international student and as a foreign research student, the selection fee of “foreign research student” will be exempted.

Duration of Enrollment

One year (extension may be allowed in some cases)

Selection Schedule / Graduate schools / Screening Method

The above Selection Schedule for Master's Degree Program/ Ph.D. Degree Program shall apply. Provided, however, that the examination will be implemented on July 4, 2020 (Sat) for the graduate schools of Informatics/Societal Safety Sciences/Health and Well-being for acceptance in September 2020 (July application).

Enrollment Period	Application months	Graduate Schools	Screening Method
2020 April Acceptance	October	All graduate schools	Document selection and oral examination
	December	Foreign Language Education and Research	
	February	All graduate schools	
2020 September Acceptance	July	All graduate schools	

Simultaneous Application for Admissions as a Regular International Student and as a Foreign Research Student

It is possible to simultaneously apply for admissions as a regular international student and as a foreign research student. The oral examination for screening of applicants who wish to simultaneously apply for admissions will be conducted simultaneously. The application documents for the “International Students Entrance Examination” and “Foreign Research Students Selection Examination” are different in form. Applicants are requested to check both application requirements.

Application documents for simultaneous application (Ex.: Graduate School of Psychology)

Foreign Research Students Selection Examination		International Students Entrance Examination		Common documents
Application form (Master's Degree Program/Simultaneous application by foreign research student)				
Academic transcript of the graduating university, etc.				
Certificate of (expected) graduation of the graduating university, etc.				
Original copy of Certificate of Proficiency in Japanese required by the graduate school				
Copy of Residence Card/Passport				
Motivation letter for Selection of foreign researchers (prescribed form)		<Graduate School of Psychology> Motivation letter (prescribed form)		
Research plan for Selection of foreign researchers (prescribed form)		Research plan		
Letter of Recommendation		—		

Graduate Schools

2020 spring enrollment (April)

International Students Entrance Examination

For more details about eligibility of applicants, application documents, application procedure, screening method and the like, please check the applicational guidelines of each graduate school. The Graduate School of Law does not implement the International Student Entrance Examination.

School of Accountancy

Entrance Examination Schedule

Enrollment Period	Application Month	Online Application Period/ Application Fee Payment Period	Exam Date	Exam results Date
2020 Spring Enrollment	July	Jun 17, 2019 (Mon) to Jun 24, 2019 (Mon)	July 7, 2019 (Sun)	July 12, 2019 (Fri)
	October	Oct 8, 2019 (Tue) to Oct 15, 2019 (Tue)	Oct 27, 2019 (Sun)	Nov 1, 2019 (Fri)
	January	Jan 7, 2020 (Tue) to Jan 14, 2020 (Tue)	Jan 26, 2020 (Sun)	Jan 31, 2020 (Fri)

Eligibility for applicants

Following the application qualifications for Master's Degree Program on page 8 shall apply.

[Language Ability Requirements (Applicants who apply for it under condition (1),(3)and(5).]

JLPT : N1 or "Japanese as a Foreign Language" in EJU(Writing task is included in "Japanese"): 270 or higher

Application Fee 35,000 yen

Screening method

Short essay and interview

Result of International Student Entrance Examination

Master's Degree Program / Ph.D. Degree Program

(by Person)

Graduate Schools	2018 Autumn Enrollment				2019 Spring Enrollment			
	Master's Degree Program		Ph.D. Degree Program		Master's Degree Program		Ph.D. Degree Program	
	Applicants	Successful applicants	Applicants	Successful applicants	Applicants	Successful applicants	Applicants	Successful applicants
Law	—	—	—	—	12	0	0	0
Letters	8	3	0	0	46	13	2	2
Economics	—	—	—	—	59	16	1	0
Business and Commerce	—	—	—	—	89	13	1	0
Sociology	—	—	—	—	65	18	2	0
Informatics	—	—	—	—	3	2	2	2
Science and Engineering	1	0	0	0	23	15	2	2
Foreign Language Education and Research	—	—	—	—	46	9	3	1
Psychology	—	—	—	—	13	3	2	1
Societal Safety Sciences	—	—	—	—	5	2	0	0
East Asian Cultures	5	2	4	4	27	9	10	6
Governance	—	—	—	—	4	2	0	0
Health and Well-being	—	—	—	—	0	0	—	—
Total	14	5	4	4	392	102	25	14

School of Accountancy

(by Person)

Graduate School	2019 Spring Enrollment	
	Applicants	Successful applicants
Accountancy	5	4



How to search and contact Professors

Kansai University Graduate School Administrators will not search for a professor within their department whose current work closely matches your own research or transfer your e-mail to the professor.

Please contact the professor whom you would like to have as your academic supervisor.

(All Foreign Research Student and students who are applying to Graduate School of Sociology, Informatics, Science and Engineering and Health and Wellbeing will need to contact with potential professors before the admission process starts.)

For example, Information (Digital Brochure) open on Kansai University Graduate School Admission site will offer details about professors' research themes and contact information.

Moreover, on Kansai University System for Academic Information, you can search researchers by their affiliation, specialized field, and / or keywords.



Pre-qualification Individual Screening

The past academic background of applicants will be examined based on the application documents whether it corresponds to the schooling program of universities in Japan. Some of the closing date of application for pre-qualification individual screening may be set one month earlier than the application period depending on the examination month. Applicants are requested to check your qualification according to the application requirements of the graduate school you wish to apply for. If you are unable to judge whether qualified or not by yourself, please make quick inquiry through the "pre-qualification individual screening" on the admission information website of the Graduate Schools of Kansai University.

[An example where a pre-qualification individual screening is required]

•Graduates of a junior college or three-year university

•Graduates of Five-year primary school (15 years to university graduation)



Application Guidelines

Please download from the admission information website of the Graduate Schools of Kansai University

For International Students Entrance Examination



For Foreign Research Students Selection Examination



Graduate Schools

2020 School Fees and Other Fees

Some graduate schools have a long-term registration system (three-year course) for the Master's Degree Program and the Graduate School of Accountancy has a long-term study system (three-year course and four-year course). The academic fees for each year of the course are defined separately. Please refer to the entrance requirements for each separate graduate school for further details.

(Note 1) Graduates of Kansai University, graduates of Kansai University Graduate School, and undergraduate students at the University specified in Paragraph 1-11, Article 46 of the Graduate School Rules (Early Entrance Students) are not required to pay the admission fee (admission registration fee) on continuing their studies at one of the Graduate Schools. In addition, when students specified in Paragraph 11, Article 26 of the Graduate School Rules (Early Entrance Students) for Accountancy continue their studies at the Graduate School of Accountancy (Graduate School of Professional Accountant), the admission fee (admission registration fee) is reduced by 50%.  
(Note 2) Graduates of the Kansai University Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Yugakusei-Bekka) or students who continue their studies without finishing the program of the Course at one of the University's faculties or Graduate Schools are eligible to receive a 50% discount on the admission fee (admission registration fee).  
(Note 3) The University collects a total of ¥30,000 (¥10,000 at the time of enrollment and then ¥20,000 at the following academic year) on behalf of the Alumni Association. (From students entering at the Fall Semester, the University collects a total of ¥30,000 on behalf of the Alumni Association by collecting ¥10,000 at the Spring Semester in the academic year following the year of enrollment and then ¥20,000 at the next Spring Semester.) The dues are not collected from graduates of the Graduate Schools of Kansai University or students specified in Paragraph 1-11, Article 46 of the Graduate School Rules (Early Entrance Students) who have already paid them.  
(Note 4) M means Master's Degree Program and D means Ph.D. Degree Program

Spring Enrollment

Graduate Schools of Law, Letters, Economics, Business and Commerce, Sociology, East Asian Cultures, Governance (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	364,500	364,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	504,500	364,500	749,000

Graduate School of Informatics (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	489,500	489,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	629,500	489,500	999,000

Graduate School of Science and Engineering (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	569,500	569,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	709,500	569,500	1,159,000

Graduate School of Foreign Language Education and Research (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	404,500	404,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	544,500	404,500	829,000

Graduate School of Psychology, Psychology Major (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	374,500	374,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	514,500	374,500	769,000

Graduate School of Societal Safety Sciences (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	489,500	489,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	629,500	489,500	999,000

Autumn Enrollment

Graduate Schools of Letters, East Asian Cultures (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020	2021		2022 and after
	First semester	Per semester	Fall semester	First semester after enrollment
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—	—
	Tuition	364,500	364,500	364,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	—	10,000	—
Total	494,500	374,500	364,500	384,500

Graduate School of Science and Engineering (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020	2021		2022 and after
	First semester	Per semester	Fall semester	First semester after enrollment
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—	—
	Tuition	569,500	569,500	569,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	—	10,000	—
Total	699,500	579,500	569,500	589,500

Foreign research students 2020 Research Fee

(1) Teaching fee of foreign research students 1 subject [1 semester (half year)] ...¥45,000 (2) Other lecture subjects 1 subject [1 semester (half year)] ...¥30,000

[Graduate Schools of Law, Business and Commerce, Sociology, Informatics, Science and Engineering, Foreign Language Education and Research, Psychology, Societal Safety Sciences, Governance, and Health and Well-being]

It is necessary for foreign research students to attend 1 subject under tutor guidance and other 6 lecture subjects for each 1 semester (half year) to obtain status of residence for reasons of study, which will cost ¥225,000.

Graduate School of Health and Well-being (M)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	384,500	384,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	524,500	384,500	789,000

Graduate Schools of Law, Letters, Economics, Business and Commerce, Sociology, East Asian Cultures, Governance, Foreign Language Education and Research, and Health and Well-being (D)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	364,500	364,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	504,500	364,500	749,000

Graduate Schools of Informatics, Science and Engineering, and Societal Safety Sciences (D)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	409,500	409,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	549,500	409,500	839,000

Graduate School of Psychology (D)

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—
	Tuition	374,500	374,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	514,500	374,500	769,000

Professional Degree Program

School of Accountancy

(in Yen)

Category	2020		2021 and after
	First semester after enrollment	Fall semester	Yearly
School Fees	Admission Fee	260,000	—
	Tuition	660,000	660,000
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	10,000	—
Total	930,000	660,000	1,370,000

Graduate Schools of Letters, East Asian Cultures (D)

(in Yen)

Category	2020	2021		2022		2023 and after
	First semester	Per semester	Fall semester	Per semester	Fall semester	First semester after enrollment
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—	—	—	—
	Tuition	364,500	364,500	364,500	364,500	364,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	—	10,000	—	20,000	—
Total	494,500	374,500	364,500	384,500	364,500	364,500

Graduate School of Science and Engineering (D)

(in Yen)

Category	2020	2021		2022		2023 and after
	First semester	Per semester	Fall semester	Per semester	Fall semester	First semester after enrollment
School Fees	Admission Fee	130,000	—	—	—	—
	Tuition	409,500	409,500	409,500	409,500	409,500
Other Fees	Alumni & Alumnae Association Fee	—	10,000	—	20,000	—
Total	539,500	419,500	409,500	429,500	409,500	409,500



# Kansai University (Bekka)

As a part of an international initiative, Kansai University opened Kansai University Minami- Senri International Plaza in April, 2012. This new Plaza offers Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka). The purpose of this course is to provide instruction in Japanese language, Japan studies, and Japanese culture to international students who intend to proceed to the next stage of education as a student at Kansai University or at other Japanese universities after passing the entrance examination. This is a one year-program <sup>(\*)</sup> in principle.  
※The period of study can be extended up to two years at maximum with permission from the Center for International Education.

## Subjects

### First Group: Japanese Language Class (18 subjects・2 credits each)

These classes are designed to acquire the four basic language skills (reading, writing, listening, and speaking) in accordance with the student's level of Japanese proficiency.



Japanese Language Class

### Third Group: Japan Studies Fourth Group: Japanese and the World (3 subjects・4 credits each)

Japan Studies in the third group is designed to develop understanding of basic knowledge required in everyday life in Japan through lectures and other activities.  
Japanese and the World in the fourth group conducts in-depth studies on Japanese politics, society, economics, geography and history. This class also provides preparation for the "Japanese and the World" topic in the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU).



Japan Studies(Japanese Archery Experience)

### Second Group: Special Lectures or Seminar (9 subjects・4 credits each)

The Second Group is designed to develop knowledge about technical terms and academic skills. Students will work on writing coherent reports, and delivering oral presentations utilizing appropriate academic expressions.

### Fifth Group: General Subject (8 subjects・2 credits each)

This class is designed to enhance academic ability such as English, mathematics, and science in order to excel at undergraduate or graduate school level.

## Timetable (2019) (for reference)

Below is the timetable of the course. Along with the subjects highlighted in blue, the students are able to choose and enroll in classes highlighted in orange that meet their academic needs.

		Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.
1st Period	09:00 -10:30	Japanese I-VI (General)	Japanese I-VI (General)	Japanese I-VI (General)	Japanese I-VI (General)	Japanese I-VI (General)
2nd Period	10:40 -12:10	Japanese I-VI (Reading)	Japanese I-VI (Reading)	Japanese I-VI (Reading)	Japanese I-VI (Reading)	Japanese I-VI (Reading)
3rd Period	13:00 -14:30	Japanese I-VI (Written & Oral Expressions)	Japanese I-VI (Written & Oral Expressions)	Japanese I-VI (Written & Oral Expressions)	Japanese I-VI (Written & Oral Expressions)	Japanese I-VI (Written & Oral Expressions)
4th Period	14:40 -16:10	Academic Japanese I Academic Japanese III	Academic Japanese III English III Chemistry	Academic Japanese II Japan Studies	Academic Japanese III English III Physics	Academic Japanese I Academic Japanese III
5th Period	16:20 -17:50	Academic Japanese I	General Subject II English I	Academic Japanese II Japan Studies	General Subject II English I	Academic Japanese I Mathematics I
6th Period	18:00 -19:30		General Subject I English II	Biology	General Subject I English II	Mathematics II

## Examination Results from Academic Year 2018 (The number of students who passed the entrance examinations)

Under graduate	Full-time	Kansai University(13), Osaka University of Tourism(1), Osaka University of Economics(1), Osaka Sangyo University(1),Otemae University(1), Kwansei Gakuin University(3), Kyoto Sangyo University(3), Kindai University(2), Kobe Gakuin University(3), Kobe International University(1), Shoin University(1), Doshisha University(1), Nagoya University of Commerce & Business(1), Japan Institute of the Moving Image(1), Nihon Fukushi University(1), St. Andrew's University(1), Rikkyo University(1), Ritsumeikan University(3), University of Marketing and Distribution Sciences(1)
Graduate Programs	Full-time	Kansai University(12), Osaka Gakuin University(1), Osaka University of Commerce(1), Kobe University(1), Nara Institute of Science and Technology(1),Ritsumeikan University(1)
	Part-time	Kansai University(1), Tohoku University(1)

The Bekka employs the semester system so that students can enter and graduate from the course in either the Spring (April – September) or the Fall (September – March) Semester. Acceptance to the Bekka is based upon application documents and an interview.

Number of students	100 students (Total for April Admission and September Admission)
Qualifications	Students who are foreign nationals and meet the following two requirements: (1) Those who have completed 12-year curriculum of schooling in their home country or expect to complete their education before entering the Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka) or those who are 18 years of age or more at the time of enrollment and have been deemed to have an equivalent educational back-ground or higher than requirements stipulated above. (e.g., Person who has a "Certificate for Students Achieving the Proficiency Level of Upper Secondary School Graduates in Japan".) ※Contact Kansai University, if your home country has an 11-year education system. Students who are from such a system can apply for the course when The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) acknowledges it as having an equivalent level of education. ※Contact Kansai University, if you possess dual nationality with Japan and other country. (2) Those who have studied Japanese language for more than a year (more than 300 hours) or have Japanese language proficiency equivalent to Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) N4 level at the time of application for the course. ※In principle, those who have studied for more than a year at an educational institution in Japan at the time of entry into this course are not allowed to apply.
Application Period	April Admission 2020: September 6, 2019 (Fri.) – September 30, 2019 (Mon.) September Admission 2020: April 3, 2020 (Fri.) – April 30, 2020 (Thu.)
Application Fee	JPY 20,000
Selection Procedure	Reviewing application materials and an interview

Admission Guide and Application Forms are available for download from our website.  
<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/ku-jpn/English/about/download/>



### Tuition (Admission of 2020 Academic year) (in Yen)

Division	1st Semester	From 2nd Semester
Classification		
Admission Fee	100,000	—
Tuition	345,000	345,000
Total	445,000	345,000

### Enjoy life with students from diverse backgrounds

The Minami-Senri International Plaza is a modern educational facility and a dormitory for international students. In this dormitory, resident assistants who are students at Kansai University will live in the dormitory to support the daily life of Bekka students. Bekka Students at the dormitory can live and learn with other students at Kansai University

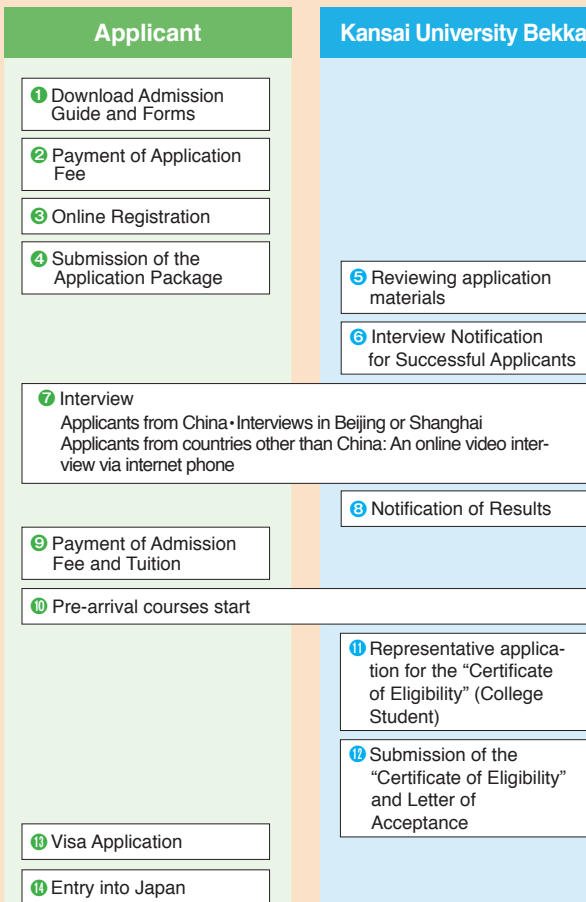
### Scholarship for 2019 (Tentative)

Students who have an excellent academic record, and who are in need of financial support, will be recommended for "Kansai University Bekka International Exchange Fund Scholarship". This scholarship grants JPY 30,000 per month for total of 10 students (5 students each semester). In addition to this scholarship, students may receive public scholarship or privately funded scholarships.

### Admission Data (from the last 2 years)

	Applicants	Successful Applicants
September 2017 Admission	123	75
April 2018 Admission	62	52
September 2018 Admission	94	83
April 2019 Admission	61	50

### Application Flowchart



Registration

# International Student Support

## Grant-type scholarships

**A total of nearly 300 international students receive grant-type non-refundable scholarships.**

### [Scope]

Any privately financed international students with a foreign nationality who is registered on a full-time undergraduate or graduate schools course and who satisfies the eligibility criteria defined by the University. (Any student in excess of the standard term of study is excluded.)

**Number of students receiving grant-type scholarships**  
(Record in FY2018)

Recipients

291

Applicants

666

Total number including students receiving both scholarships for international students and scholarships within the university (for students with excellent academic results)

\* There are also a number of grant type of scholarships. Check the details at the orientation after entrance.

**A new scholarship program will start from the FY2020 admission students.**

Details will be shown at:

<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/english/from/support.php?id=scholarship>



## ● Average living expenses per month for international students

(Excluding tuition and teaching materials)

Tokyo: 100,000 yen

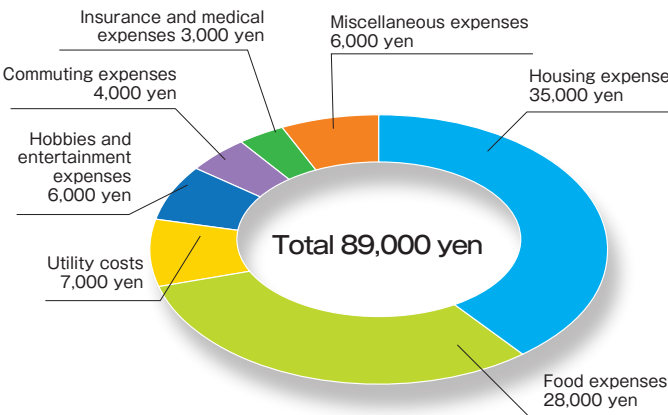
Kinki: 89,000 yen

The cost of living is lower than in Tokyo!

Source: FY2017 Survey of Living Conditions of International students in Japan (JASSO)

\* Kinki is Kansai area in Japan including Osaka, Kyoto, Nara, Hyogo, Shiga, Wakayama, and Mie.

## ● Breakdown of expenditure items (Kinki)



## A great variety of dormitory rooms for international students

A variety of accommodation environments are prepared, including the unit type where six or seven people share common spaces such as the kitchen and lounge, the shared type with a Japanese student and a single room type. In addition, there are also resident assistants who mainly provide support to the dormitory life and daily life of international students.

### Student House Shureiryō

- Dormitory Type: Men's, double occupancy (some single occupancy)
- Entrance Fee: JPY 15,000
- Room Rent: JPY 31,500 (includes electricity, gas, Internet and water)
- Miscellaneous Fees: None
- Linen Leasing Fee: JPY 1,100 / Month
- Meals: (Pay-as-you-go)  
Breakfast JPY 240 / Dinner JPY 480
- Location: 5-minute walk from Senriyama Campus



### Minami-Senri International Plaza International Students Dormitory

- Dormitory Type: Co-ed, single occupancy
- Entrance Fee: None
- Room Rent: JPY 43,000 / Month
- Miscellaneous Fees: JPY 5,000 / Month (includes electricity, gas, water, Internet and linen leasing fee)
- Meals: Self cooking
- Location: 5-minute walk from Minami-Senri Station on the Hankyu Railway Senri Line
- \* Room rent and miscellaneous fees are subject to annual revision.
- \* Linen leasing fee is included in the miscellaneous fee.



### Dormitory Tsukigaoka

- Dormitory Type: Women's double occupancy
- Entrance Fee: JPY 15,000
- Room Rent: JPY 31,500 (includes electricity, gas, Internet and water)
- Miscellaneous Fees: None
- Linen Leasing Fee: JPY 1,100 / Month
- Meals: (Pay-as-you-go)  
Breakfast JPY 240 / Dinner JPY 480
- Location: 15-minute walk from Senriyama Campus



### Kansai University International Dormitory

- Dormitory Type: Co-ed, single occupancy
- Entrance Fee: JPY 15,000
- Room Rent: JPY 25,000 / Month
- Miscellaneous Fees: JPY 5,000 / Month (includes electricity, gas, water, Internet and linen leasing fee)
- Meals: Self cooking
- Location: 10-minute walk from Minami-Senri Station on the Hankyu Railway Senri Line
- \* Entrance fee, room rent and miscellaneous fees are subject to annual revision.
- \* Linen leasing fee is included in the miscellaneous fee.



In addition to the above, there is also available a dormitory for international students operated by Kyoritsu Maintenance Co., Ltd. through a business partnership with Kansai University and Kandai Pansee Co., Ltd. For more details, refer to the website of the Division of International Affairs. (<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/Dormitory/>)

## International Student Support Organization

### [KU Bridge]

The KU Bridge is a peer community engaging in international exchange activities to serve as a "bridge" between international students and Japanese. It mainly plans and operates international exchange events with a view to providing support to international students from the same perspective as a student to enable them to live a fulfilling study life abroad.

### [International Student Association]

The International Student Association is a community for international students by international students. It expands networks of international students and creates opportunities to support each other. This Association holds various events to enable international students to get used to their life in Japan as soon as possible.

## Learning Support

### Japanese Language Support Program

Program	Details	Level
Japanese Language Tutor/Tutee System	Tutor (Japanese student) gives advice and support to the tutee (foreign student) with their studies (mainly Japanese) and daily life.	Beginner to Advanced
Conversational Japanese Brush-up Seminar	Provides practical training in Japanese conversational skills that are needed in daily life to adapt to the Japanese society.	Intermediate to Advanced
Academic Literacy Development Seminar	Provides practical training to acquire academic literacy in the Japanese language required to write a graduation thesis at the university or to write a report at a graduate-school level.	Advanced
Japanese Language Academic Writing Lecture, Online Video	Uses videos to inform students about sentence expressions, methods for searching and writing reference materials, thesis structure, etc.	Advanced
Individual Consultations on Japanese Writing	Gives advice on Japanese language, such as sentence expressions and structures, using thesis, reports and other writings brought in by the foreign student.	Advanced

※ The programs and contents might be changed.

## Career Support

**Kansai University as a whole strongly supports job hunting activities of international students in Japan.**

Many international students wish to find a job in Japan after graduation or academic completion, and Japanese companies wish to employ international students who can play an active part globally. However, in order to find employment in Japan, it is necessary for international students to understand the selection methods and recruitment schedule specific to Japan for carrying out job hunting efficiently. To that end, Kansai University offers a variety of support.

### Center for Career Development Program

#### ■ Events for International Students

Many events specialized for international students are available. International students are encouraged to participate in various events, including how to conduct job hunting activities in Japan, how to write application documents, how to participate in internships at Japanese companies, joint company briefing session for international students, etc. Among these events, international students can make a convincing career choice.

#### ■ Individual consultation at Career Center

International students will be able to consult individually about their concerns or troubles in job hunting activities at the Career Center.

#### [Example of companies that employed international students (FY2015-2017)]

- IDEC ● Aeon Retail ● Edion
- NTT Communications ● INPEX Corporation
- Sangetsu ● Sharp ● Sumitomo Wiring Systems
- Takenaka Corporation ● DIC
- Toyo Tire & Rubber Co., Ltd ● Japan Wool Textile
- Nitori ● Tata Consultancy Services
- NHK SPRING Co ● Panasonic ● Hanwa Kogyo
- Hitachi Ltd. ● Hitachi Transport System, Ltd
- Fujitsu Inc. ● Fujitsu ● Funai Research Institute
- Horiba Ltd. ● Miki House
- Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Mitsui & Co. ● Mizuho Financial Group
- Murata Manufacturing ● Yamaha Motor ● Rakuten
- Works Applications, etc

### SUCCESS-Osaka Program (the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) commissioned project) supports international students' job seeking in Japan!



SUCCESS-Osaka Program has been started to support international students' job-seeking so that they can have an active role in the Japanese society after graduation as highly skilled foreign professional.

The program has the following characteristics in job-seeking support activities:

- Offering "Japanese language training for business" in order to work in Japan
- Giving "Career Education" to understand Japanese business practice and manner and to study/research Japanese companies/industries, including understanding of job-seeking activity
- Giving the opportunity of "Internship" by joint development with companies

This program has been implemented in cooperation with many leading companies, local governments including Osaka Prefecture, and peripheral major universities.

**SUCCESS-Osaka website**  
<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/SUCCESS-Osaka/>





# International Students's Message

Second Year Student, Master's Degree Program  
Humanities Major Graduate School of Letters

Wang Lin ting (王 琳婷)

Country or region: China

I entered the Special Course as a foreign student of Graduate School of Letters of Kansai University in order to become a museum curator who promotes understanding and exchange among East Asian countries through cultural assets of each country. For my dream, I take extra lectures which is "EU-Japan Education Research Program" as a sub-major subject to advance my research looking abroad.

In addition, Kansai University offers places where both Japanese and international students can make use of their skills. I do not only serve as a support staff for the Division of International Affairs, but I am engaged in planning and operation of international exchange events for the globalization of Kansai University. Moreover, I work as a student staff at the Kansai University Museum to attend visitors at the reception and guide foreigners in the hall. These experiences do not only brighten my student life, but also lead to my growth.

Meanwhile, I've received scholarships from Kansai University and external foundations and they allow me to spend my student life focused on my research to make my dream come true.

Dear International students who wish to enroll in Kansai University!

Kansai University offers not only good environment of your studies but also opportunities to enhance global perspective and interactions among students. Discover new world at Kansai University.



Third year student, Department of Mechanical Engineering,  
Faculty of Engineering Science

Pan Tongyi (潘 同毅)

Country or region: Taiwan

At the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Faculty of Engineering Science, I learn about technology which incorporates human motions into machines. In addition, I also learn psychology to understand human actions, reactions and thoughts besides mechanical technology to make safer machines. Kansai University has an excellent support system for international students. International exchange events and various seminars for foreign students are held as opportunities to get to know Japanese students. I participate in "SUCCESS-Osaka" as an employment promotion program of international students among various supports for job-seeking. I attend lectures on business Japanese required for corporate monitor events and job-seeking through the program. In addition I receive scholarships to enjoy a fulfilling student life.

In the future, I would like to study not only mechanical engineering technology, but also thoughts and cultures of Japan to find an employment to make good prosthetic limbs.

You might be afraid to venture into an unknown world, but we must keep trying in the belief that "dreams will come true as long as we don't give up". Kansai University offers an environment to achieve what you want. I hope you will do your best with confidence.

## Campus Introduction

### Senriyama Campus



[Faculties]  
Law  
Letters  
Economics  
Business and Commerce  
Sociology  
Policy Studies  
Foreign Language Studies  
Engineering Science  
Environmental and Urban Engineering  
Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering

[Graduate Schools]  
Law  
Letters  
Economics  
Business and Commerce  
Sociology  
Science and Engineering  
Foreign Language Education and Research  
Psychology  
East Asian Cultures  
Governance  
School of Law  
School of Accountancy



### Takatsuki Campus

Faculty of Informatics  
Graduate School of Informatics



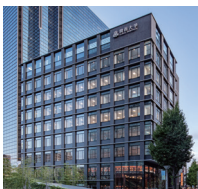
### Takatsuki Muse Campus

Faculty of Societal Safety Sciences  
Graduate School of Societal Safety Sciences



### Sakai Campus

Faculty of Health and Well-being  
Graduate School of Health and Well-being



### Umeda Campus

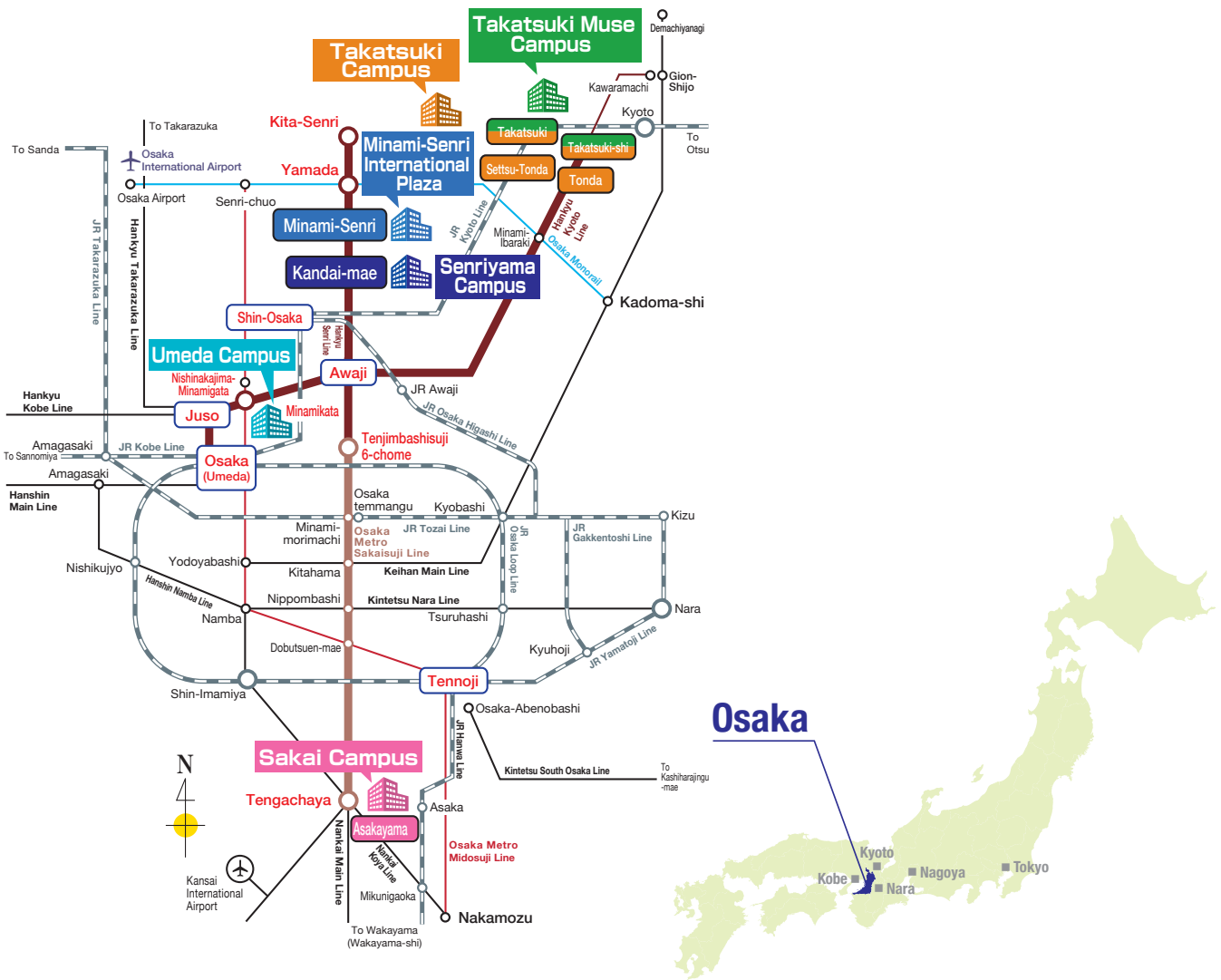
This is an urban type center to serve as a symbol of Kandai-Jin projecting into the future. The nickname is "KANDAI Me RISE"



### Minami-Senri International Plaza

Kansai University Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka)

## Access Map







# Main Events Throughout a Year at Kansai University

<b>4</b> April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Entrance Ceremony</li> <li>● Orientation for New Students</li> <li>● Commencement of Spring Semester</li> <li>● Spring Festival</li> <li>● Culture Festival</li> </ul>	
<b>5</b> May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parents' Association General Assembly</li> <li>● Takatsuki Campus Festival</li> </ul>	
<b>6</b> June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Celebration of Attaining University Status (June 5)</li> </ul>	
<b>7</b> July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Spring Semester Final Examinations</li> </ul>	
<b>8</b> August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Summer Vacation</li> <li>● Open Campus</li> </ul>	
<b>9</b> September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Commencement of Fall Semester</li> </ul>	
<b>10</b> October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Open Campus</li> </ul>	
<b>11</b> November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Gakuensai (School Festival)</li> <li>● University Foundation Day (Nov. 4)</li> <li>● Open Campus</li> </ul>	
<b>12</b> December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Winter Vacation</li> </ul>	
<b>1</b> January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Fall Semester Final Examinations</li> </ul>	
<b>2</b> February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Entrance Examinations</li> </ul>	
<b>3</b> March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Entrance Examinations</li> <li>● Graduation Ceremony</li> <li>● Spring Vacation</li> </ul>	



You may browse more detailed information within the website of Kansai University

## Undergraduate

### Undergraduate Entrance Examination Information

<https://www.nyusi.kansai-u.ac.jp/admission/ao/index.html>  
Email: rgs@ml.kandai.jp



## Graduate Schools

### Graduate School Entrance Examination Information

[http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Gr\\_sch/](http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Gr_sch/)  
Email: grd-adm@ml.kandai.jp



## Division of International Affairs

### Division of International Affairs

<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/english/>  
Contact: <https://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/department/contact.php>



## Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka)

### Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka) Information

<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/ku-jpn/English/>  
Email: ku-jpn@ml.kandai.jp





## Kansai University's movie

### Division of International Affairs

<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/Kokusai/department/pr.php>



## Branding Project



### KUMP

<http://www.kansai-u.ac.jp/ku-smart>

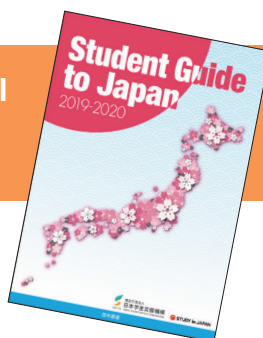
### KU-ORCAS

<http://www.ku-orcas.kansai-u.ac.jp/>



**Student Guide to Japan is an essential book for international students planning to study in Japan.**

\*(Student Guide to Japan was prepared by Japan Student Services Organization, an independent administrative institution. )



### JASSO

[https://www.jasso.go.jp/ryugaku/study\\_j/sgtj.html](https://www.jasso.go.jp/ryugaku/study_j/sgtj.html)



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