



STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM FACT SHEET

ABOUT DANKOOK UNIVERSITY

Established	1947
Type	Private
Mascot	Brown Bear
Founding Spirit	Self-reliance, Independence, National Salvation
Guiding Principle	Truth, Service
Academics	Bachelor, Master, Doctoral programs
Campus	Jukeon Campus: Yongin, Gyeonggi Province Cheonan Campus: Cheonan, Chungnam Province
Students	38,318
Faculty	3,228

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<https://www.dankook.ac.kr/web/international/overview1>

IMPORTANT DATES

Event	Fall 2021	Spring 2022
Nomination Open	March 15	September 15
Nomination Deadline	April 30	October 30
Application Deadline	May 15	November 15
Arrival Period (TBA)	mid-August	mid-February
Classes Begin	August 30	March 1
Classes End	December 16	June 16

APPLICATION PROCESS

1 Nomination

Students wishing to study at Dankook University as an exchange student need to be nominated by their home university first. Our exchange partners may nominate their students through a link provided by email. The nomination details will include student's full name, email address, period of study, academic major and intended field of study.

2 Online Application

After being nominated, students will receive an email with a link for completing online application. Students will need to submit the following documents:

- Copy of Passport
- Copy of Transcripts
- Study Plan
- ID Photo

Eligibility

Student nominees are required to meet the following criteria:

- enrolled as a full-time student at one of our exchange partner institution
- completed at least 1 semester at their home university
- be in a good academic standing (no minimum GPA requirements)
- have a sufficient level of proficiency in English or Korean (proof is not required)

3 Acceptance

The application screening process will be conducted at once after we receive all applications. Students can expect to receive a decision on their application within one month from the application deadline. After being accepted, students will receive an acceptance package which includes official acceptance letter and certificate of admission for visa purposes.

4 Visa

Students will need to visit the Korean embassy or consulate in their home country to obtain a student(D-2-6) visa. Obtaining a student visa is required for every non-Korean student wishing to study in Korea. Students are individually responsible to contact the nearest Korean embassy or consulate general in a timely manner for their own student visa. Visa fees may apply.

5 Health Insurance

All incoming exchange students are required have a health insurance that covers the period of their stay in Korea. Students will need to purchase a health insurance in their home country on their own and submit the certificate before coming to Korea. The insurance policy should cover sickness, accident and death. Student should also make sure to know how the health insurance works if any medical problems occur.

Starting from March, 2021, all foreign students in Korea need to enroll in the national health insurance service. More details will be given at the stage of acceptance.

6 Tuberculosis Test

In accordance with the requirements of the Korean Immigration Service, students are required to submit proof of an authorized tuberculosis test (through x-ray, skin or blood) result that is taken within 45 days prior to their arrival in Korea. Students will be asked to attach the scanned copy of their tuberculosis test result on the online application later in February for Spring Semester and August for Fall Semester.

ACADEMICS

Course List

There are more than 3,000 courses offered at each campus every semester. The degree programs at Dankook University are basically taught in Korean and some courses are offered to domestic full-time students only. Therefore, we make a list of English-taught courses every semester that can be offered to exchange students. And students are advised to pick courses from this list only, unless they possess a very high level of Korean proficiency.

List of Courses in English <https://www.dankook.ac.kr/web/international/courses-in-english>

List of Courses in Korean <https://webinfo.dankook.ac.kr/tiac/univ/lssn/lpci/views/lssnPopup/tmtbl.do>

Course Selection

- Students may choose any course from the lists and mix courses from different departments regardless of their major. There is no prerequisite to attend courses in any year level too. However, students need to be certain about their capability to take those courses and determine at their own discretion.
- Students can enroll in up to 19 credits per semester including the Korean language courses. There is no minimum number of courses required for exchange students, but taking at least 12 credits is recommended.
- There are number of Korean language courses offered to exchange students. There is no level test required prior to registration and students may choose courses based on their own judgment by looking at the syllabi if needed. Taking at least one Korean language course is recommended for your daily lives in Korea.
- Students are not allowed to take courses from more than one campus.

Course Delivery Methods

The course delivery methods for Fall 2021 will depend on the nation's social distancing system which comprises five levels – 1, 1.5, 2, 2.5 and 3. Courses will be offered online under Level 2 or above with over 300 daily new cases. Courses can be offered in offline or hybrid formats under Level 1.5 or below. This scheme is subject to change.

- Online: Courses are offered online only.
- Offline: Courses are offered offline only.
- Hybrid: Courses are offered half online and half offline. First and second year courses will have offline classes for the first 7 weeks of the semester, and then go online for the remaining weeks. Third and fourth year courses will have online classes for the first 7 weeks of the semester, and then go offline for the remaining weeks.



ACCOMMODATION

- All incoming exchange students are required to live on campus.
- Students will be automatically placed in a double-occupancy room at the on-campus dormitory, Woongbi Hall, without going through an additional application process.
- Each room is furnished with 2 single beds, bedding, desks, chairs, wardrobes, a telephone, internet connection, and a private bathroom. A variety of facilities are also available for students' convenience such as a coin operated laundry room, restaurant, fitness center, convenience store, etc.

Arrival and Departure

	Fall 2021	Spring 2022
Move-in	August 27	Feb 25
Move-out	December 31	June 30

※ This is subject to change depending on quarantine arrangements.

Accommodation Fees

Period of Stay	Length of Stay	Fees
1 Semester	4 months	1,400,000 won (≒1,200 USD)
2 Semesters	6 months	2,000,000 won (≒1,800 USD)
	4 months	1,400,000 won (≒1,200 USD)

For more information about the dormitory, please visit <https://www.dankook.ac.kr/web/international/j>.



Woongbi Hall, Jukjeon Campus



Danwoo Hall, Cheonan Campus



LANGUAGE TUTORING PROGRAM



The Language Tutoring Program (LTP) is designed to connect foreign students with Dankook students and provide a venue for exchanging language and culture. If selected as a tutor, exchange students will have a small group of 5 Dankook students as their tutees and give them a three-hour conversation class every week. Through this program, students will not only have experience of teaching their language, but also be given opportunities to get acquainted with more Dankook students and involved with the Korean school life. Upon successful completion, tutor students will be awarded a free on-campus accommodation for the semester.

Eligibility

- An exchange student whose native language is one of the following: English, Chinese, Japanese, Spanish, German, French and Russian. A non-native speaker may also apply, but you need to make sure that you are very fluent in both written and spoken in the language that you want to apply for.
- An exchange student who is enthusiastic about teaching languages and exchanging culture with Korean students.

How to Apply

- Students will need to submit a short self-introduction video. In the video, you should include, but not limited to: why you are applying for this program, how you plan to lead your tutoring class, what you hope to learn through the program, etc. The duration of video should be less than 2 minutes.
- More information about applications will be given after acceptance to the exchange program.



ESTIMATED COSTS OF LIVING

Tuition and University Fees	0 won	waived
Quarantine (Unknown)	1,400,000 won	for 2 weeks
On-campus Accommodation	1,400,000 won	for 4 months
Meals & Personal Expenses	*2,000,000 won	for 4 months
Health Insurance	*300,000 won	for 4 months
Books & Supplies	*100,000 won	

*may vary depending on personal lifestyle

In regards to food and living cost in Korea, we recommend you to do some research on your own as it varies depending on personal lifestyle. But here are some examples of what things cost:

- Restaurant : **3,000~7,000 won (on-campus) / 7,000~15,000 won (off-campus)**
- Public Transportation to Seoul : **approx. 2,400 won (one way)**
- A bottle of water : **1,000 won**
- Starbucks tall size Americano : **4,100 won**
- McDonald's Big Mac set : **6,400 won**
- Bread or buns in a bakery : **2,000~5,000won**
- Movie at theater : **9,000won (varies depending on time/date)**