## Kyushu University Student Exchange Programs Information (as of December 1st, 2018)

Note: These are basic information. For more details, please contact us before each application.

	Japanese Language and Culture Course (JLCC)	Japan in Today's World (JTW)	Schools and Graduate Schools	
Website *Please visit our website before application.	http://www.isc.kyushu- u.ac.jp/jlcc/Japanese/index.html	http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/jtw/	http://www.isc.kyushu- u.ac.jp/intlweb/en/admission/exchangetop	
Access & Campus Map	Ito Campus	Ito Campus	Please check the website of each school for its campus, or contact us in advance.	
	http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/campus			
Language in use	Japanese	English	Japanese *English speakers may be acceptable in some schools and graduate schools. Please contact us in advance.	
	http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/center/f/japanese.html			
Japanese Language Classes	We offer Japanese Language Courses for international students for free. For details, please visit International Student Center's website. Please be noted that JTCs and JCs are non-credit courses.			
	JACs	JACs	JACs or JTCs at Ito, JCs at Ohashi & Chikushi	
Number of Exchange Students *These numbers are not finalized ones. Please contact us for each individual case before application.	1 or 2	1 or 2	1 for each school	
Exchange Study Period	October - August *JLCC is designed only for 11 months stay students and participation for 1 semester is not allowed.	<ol> <li>1) 1 year: October - July</li> <li>2) Fall only: October - February</li> <li>3) Spring only: April - July</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>1) 1 year: April - March / October - September</li> <li>2) 1 semester only: April - September / October - March</li> <li>Study Period for Business School (QBS): October - March</li> </ol>	
VISA / Certificate of Eligibility for Status of Residence (CoE)	http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/supportcenter/en/visa-application/coe#01			
	*Japanese immigration law stipulates that international students with "student" visa have to spend at least ten hours in class every week.			
Participants	Undergraduate who majors in Japanese studies at his/her home institution *Post grads can apply, although the program is designed for undergrads.	Undergraduate *Post grads can apply, although the program is designed for undergrads.	Undergraduate / Graduate	
Eligibility (minimum study at home university)	1 year	1 year	1 year	
GPA	3.2/4.0	3.2/4.0	3.2/4.0	
Language Requirements	JLPT N1 or Level 1 *N2 or Level 2 would be acceptable.	PBT 550/ iBT 79 IELTS 6.0 for non- native English speakers	JLPT N1 or Level 1 who wish to study using Japanese PBT 550/ iBT 79 IELTS 6.0 who wish to study using English	
Courses which are NOT open to exchange students	<ol> <li>Practical courses such as Medicine, Pharmacy and Dental Sciences and 2) Professional courses like Business School and Law School are not open to JLCC and JTW students.</li> <li>*If your student wishes to take faculty course(s) except for the above- mentioned, he/she needs to obtain permission(s) both from the program coordinator and the faculty.</li> </ol>		Practical courses like Medicine, Pharmacy, Dental Sciences are not open to exchange students. Courses offered by Kyushu University Business School (QBS) are open only to exchange students who are enrolled in QBS. Exchange students at QBS should take more than 4 QBS courses. Courses taught in English offered by Law Faculty (LLM & LLD, except CSPA) are open only to exchange students who are enrolled in the School/Graduate School of Law.	
Syllabus	http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/education/class/learning/syllabus/department http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/intlweb/en/admission/e-class			
Credit	Two credits are usually awarded for each course of 30 hours (2 hour session x 15), while one credit is awarded for each language course of 30 hours.			
Student Support	Exchange student has a priority Dormitory during his/her exchan A tutor for each student.	3	Exchange student has a priority to live in Kyushu University Dormitory during his/her exchange study.	

	http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/education/schedule/				
Academic Calendar	Fall: October 1 - February 28 Spring: April 1- August 31 *Actual dates are to be determined.	Fall: October 1 - February 28 (Orientation: late September) Spring: April 1 - July 31 (Orientation: late March) *Actual dates are to be determined.	Spring: April 1 - September 30 Fall: October 1 - March 31 *Actual dates depend upon each school.		
Application Form		http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/intlweb/en/admission/exchangetop			
	All application materials need to be sent to us through international office at home university by priority mail.				
Application Deadline	February 10	<ol> <li>1) 1 year or Fall only: February 10</li> <li>2) Spring only: November 10</li> </ol>	1) from Spring: <b>November 10</b> 2) from Fall: <b>March 10</b>		
Selection Result (When we will notify Partners)	middle May	<ol> <li>1) 1 year or Fall only: middle April</li> <li>2) Spring only: end of December</li> </ol>	1) from Spring: end of January 2) from Fall: end of June		
Transcript Issuance (When we will send Transcript to Partners)	Fall semester: late March Spring semester: late October	Fall semester: late March Spring semester: mid September	Spring semester: late October Fall semester: late April		
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<b>Contact Person</b> (All staffs belong to International Student Exchange Division)	General matters to: Junko Koga (Ms.)				
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	Outgoing to Partners at Others:	Chiharu Onoue (Ms.)	ryugaku@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp		
	[Mailing Address] Center Zone 4, 744 Motooka, Nishi-ku, Fukuoka 819-0395, Japan (Ito Campus, Kyushu University)				
Scholarship	An exchange student from our partner institution is eligible for a JASSO scholarship. Those who would like to apply for a JASSO scholarship should check "Yes" for "JASSO" in Question 1, "Are you intending to apply for a Japanese scholarship?" at page 4 of an application form. Only applicants who ticked it will be considered for scholarship nomination. Being nominated by Kyushu University, however, does not guarantee he/she will receive the scholarshipthe final decision to award is made by the JASSO. If he/she is selected for nomination, Kyushu University will inform his/her home university and request any necessary supporting documentation, which then should be promptly forwarded. Please be noted that Kyushu University may not be able to notify him/her before his/her arrival to Japan if he/she is nominated or not .				
Part-time Work Permit	An international student has to get permission by the Immigration Bureau for his/her part-time work. He/she works not more than 28 hours a week.				
International Student and Researcher Support Center	http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/supportcenter/en				
Housing	http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/supportcenter/en/housing If applicants' enrollment period is until September/March, they are required to leave on-campus accommodation before the end of August/the middle of March due to the preparation of students coming next semester. Please check the website above for further information.				
Health Insurance	All international students are required to buy the National Health Insurance (NHI) Plan during the study period. By paying monthly premiums, subscribers are required to cover only 30% of their medical expenses. *We do recommend, however, that an exchange student considers buying travel insurance for emergency-related evacuation and repatriation costs, which NHI does not cover.				
Emergency Security Plan (ESP)	All international students at Kyushu University must subscribe Emergency Security Plan (ESP) during their stay (about 1,000yen/year).				
Estimated Cost of Living per Month	Housing and utilities: 15,000 - 50,000 yen Food: 30,000 yen (lunch at the school cafeteria runs about 400 yen, and students typically prepare their own breakfast and dinner at dormitories) Local transportation: 10,000 yen (individual spending habits may vary) Books and supplies: 5,000 yen (instructors typically provide reading materials in class) Health insurance: 2,000 yen Personal expenses: 20,000 yen (individual spending habits may vary)				
Links:	Global Gateways	International Student Center	JTW JLCC		
http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/	http://www.isc.kyushu- u.ac.jp/intlweb/en	http://www.isc.kyushu- u.ac.jp/center/home.htm	http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/jtw/		

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