

A. GENERAL INFORMATION		
Name of Institution	Osaka International University	
Year Established	1988	
Country	Japan	
Full Address	6-21-57 Toda-cho, Moriguchi, Osaka, 570-8555	
Department In-Charge for Student Exchange	Name of Department	International Exchange Center
	Institution Name	Osaka International University
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Relevant Website & Sosial Media	Institute	http://www.oiu.ac.jp/
	SFSJS	http://www.oiu.ac.jp/gakubu/bekka/
	Facebook	www.facebook.com/oiubekka/
	Instagram	oiu_bekka
Milestones	Osaka International University (OIU) was established in 1929 originally as Teikoku Women's High School and is managed by Osaka International Educational Institution, based in Moriguchi City, Osaka, Japan. For more than 95 years since its founding, OIU has emphasized the importance of education, our founding Philosophy "Educating the Whole Person", and has progressed as a university that responds to the social needs of higher education. In order to promote education Internationalization, we have concluded international exchange agreements with 112 institutions in 26 countries and region (as of August 2026) and provide diverse programs such as accepting international students, student exchange programs, and short-term study abroad programs to offer even more opportunities to learn. OIU has three faculties: Faculty of International Liberal Arts (Department of International Communication, Department of International Tourism), Faculty of Human Sciences (Department of Psychology and Communication, Department of Health Science, Department of Sports Science), and Faculty of Business Administration and Economics (Department of Business Administration, Department of Economics).	
Contact Person for Students Exchange	Inbound	Outbound
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Type of Institution	Private	
Location and Campus Map	6-21-57 Toda-cho, Moriguchi, Osaka, 570-8555 on Google Maps	

B. PROGRAM FOR STUDENT EXCHANGE	
Program	School of Japanese Language and Cultural Studies
Course Information	https://www.oiu.ac.jp/gakubu/bekka/credit.html

C. ACADEMIC INFORMATION			
Academic Calendar		Spring Semester 2026	Fall Semester 2026
	Orientation Program	30 Mar to 1 Apr -26	8 to 11 Sep -26
	Entrance Ceremony	2-Apr-26	10-Sep-26
	Instruction begins	6-Apr-26	14-Sep-26
	Last day of Instruction	29-Jul-26	19-Jan-27
	Holidays	(Golden Week) 2 to 6 May (Summer Holidays) 2 Aug to 14 Sep	(Winter Holidays) 22 Dec to 6 Jan (Spring Holidays) 23 Jan to end of Mar
	Examination period	30 Jul to 5 Aug -26	20 to 22 Jan -27
	Commencement Ceremony	6-Aug-26	28-Jan-27
Language of Instruction	Japanese		
Exchange Duration	One semester or Two semesters (1 Academic Year)		
No. of teaching week in a semester	15 weeks		
Requirements for Completion for SJSFS	In order to complete the course with a certificate from OIU, students are required to obtain a minimum of 32 credits in total in two semesters with GPA above 2.0.		

D. APPLICATION	
Language Requirement	Japanese Language Proficiency Level N4, or J.TEST Test of Practical Japanese level E Or any other Japanese official tests that demonstrate Japanese proficiency equivalent to the A2 level of the "Reference Framework for Japanese Language Education"
Application Procedure and Documents required	https://oiubekka-newstudents.actibookone.com/category/list?param=eyJYXRlZ29yeV9udW0iOiE4MDMzfQ==
OIU Official Form	http://www.oiu.ac.jp/gakubu/bekka/exchangestudents.zip
E. ACCOMMODATION, LIVING EXPENSES, MISCELLANEOUS	
Accommodation	Off-campus apartments We will assist students in finding a room. Key money: JPYEN35,000-100,000 Rent: JPYEN 35,000 ~ /per month
Living Expenses	Living expenses vary depending on a student lifestyle. The estimated cost will be JPYEN 100,000 ~ 150,000/ per month.
Health Insurance Requirement	International students have to join the following insurance plans: *Japanese National Health Insurance about JPYEN 3,000/per month *Comprehensive Insurance for Students Lives Couped with PAS JPYEN 12,200 for one academic year Note: All students must purchase these Health Insurances, there are no exceptions even if your home university requires you to purchase their health insurance.
Visa Information	We will apply for a Certificate of Eligibility at Osaka Regional Immigration Services Bureau on behalf of the student, and once it is issued, we will send it to him/her. Then the student can apply for a student visa at the Japanese Embassy/Consulate. The student should contact the nearest embassy/consulate to find out what other documents are required for the visa application.
Way to get from Kansai International Airport	There are various ways to transport from Kansai International Airport. 【Easy access route search】 ※English, Korean and Chinese is available https://visit.jorudan.co.jp/kix/Access?lng=1
Social Program	Regional collaboration Center will provide information on social programs for students who wish to participate in social programs. Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/oiu.oic.volunteer/ Youtube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqINzDCfIKnnlFHC09awROw?view_as=subscriber
Campus Facilities	*Wi-Fi *Cafeteria *School health clinic *Italian Café *Library *Book Center *Gym
Additional Informaton	Exchange students from our partner universities study Japanese and Japanese society and culture with many visiting students at the School of Japanese Language and Cultural Studies. The School has more than thirty years history and has more than 1,300 graduates all over the world.