

2026 Freshman Admission

Fall 2026 International Student Admission Guidelines



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Foreign Nationals with both parents being foreign nationals

1. Admission Units and Number of Applicants

Campus	Admission Units	Korean Track	English Track	Number of Admissions	Remarks
Yeongdong	Social Welfare	○		Selected by admission unit within the capacity of each department.	
	Sports	○			
	Hotel and Foodservice Culinary Arts	○			
	Wine Science	○			
	Smart-Farm	○			
	Dental Hygiene	○			
	Physical Therapy	○			
	Emergency Medical Service	○			
	Occupational Safety and Health	○			
	Smart Lifelong Education	○			
	Open Major	○			
	Global Korean Language	○			International Students Only
Asan	Future Automotive	○		No Limit	
	Drone Application	○			
	AI Software	○			
	Department of Media & Content	○			
	Beauty Care		○		
	Police and Fire Administration	○			
	National Defense Person of Talent Development	○			
	Early Childhood Education	○			
	Elementary Special Education	○			
	Secondary Special Education	○			
	Occupational Therapy	○			
	Cultural Welfare Convergence	○			
	Future Life Convergence	○			
	Open Major	○			
	Global K-Culture		○		International Students Only

2. Admission Schedule

Category	1st Intake	2nd Intake	Remarks
Application & Document Submission	Apr. 13 (Mon) – Apr. 30 (Thu), 2026	Jun. 8 (Mon) – Jun. 26 (Fri), 2026	In-person or Mail Submission
Document Review	May 6 (Wed) – May 8 (Fri), 2026	Jun. 30 (Tue) – Jul. 2 (Thu), 2026	
Announcement of Admission Results	May 13 (Wed), 2026	Jul. 8 (Wed), 2026	Individual Notification
Tuition Payment	May 20 (Wed) – 22 (Fri), 2026	Jul. 14 (Tue) – 16 (Thu), 2026	
Issuance of Certificate of Admission (CoA)	From May 27 (Wed), 2026	From Jul. 21 (Tue), 2026	Individual Notification

3. Eligibility and Qualifications

a. Eligibility

Category	Eligibility
Academic Requirements	· Applicants and both of their parents must be non-Korean nationals, and the applicant must have completed (or be expected to complete) regular primary and secondary education in Korea or abroad. (Excluded: Those with Korean nationality, including dual citizenship or stateless persons.)

b. Language Proficiency Requirements

Category	Eligibility
Language Proficiency	Language Proficiency Requirements Applicants must meet at least one of the following language proficiency requirements: – TOPIK (Test of Proficiency in Korean) Level 3 or higher. – Completion of Intermediate 1 or higher at the King Sejong Institute. – Completion of KIIP (Korea Immigration and Integration Program) Level 3 or higher, or a score of 81 or higher on the KIIP Pre-test. – Achieved (or expected to achieve) Level 3 or higher on the U1 University Korean Language Proficiency Test (U-TOPIK). (Note: Applicants with TOPIK Level 2 or U-TOPIK Level 2 must complete at least 300 hours of Korean language training during their first year after admission.)
	Applicants must meet at least one of the following English proficiency requirements: – TOEFL 530 (CBT 197, iBT 71), IELTS 5.5, CEFR B2, TEPS 601 (NEW TEPS 327) or higher. (Note: Applicants who hold citizenship of a country where English is the native language, or who have completed secondary or higher education in such a country, will be considered to have met the English proficiency requirements upon submission of official documentation (e.g., Graduation Certificate).)

4. Admission Process

Unit	Screening Method	Total Score	Application Fee
All Recruitment	Document Screening	100	None

5. Required Documents

Required Documents	Details
Application for Admission	University's official format
Consent for Collection and Use of Personal Information	University's official format
High School Graduation Certificate (or Certificate of Expected Graduation)	- Documents written in languages other than Korean or English must be accompanied by a notarized Korean translation. - China: ① Original + translated copy or ② Notarized copy - Countries other than China: Apostille or consular certification - Graduating students: Submit a provisional graduation certificate first, then submit the final certificate later
High School Academic Transcripts (All years)	
Documents Proving Eligibility (Certificate of Family Relations and a Copy of Passport)	- Submit a family relation certificate or birth certificate - Documents verifying the nationality and relationship of parents and the applicant - China: Submit a notarized certificate of family relationship or one issued by a police station (Household register not accepted) - Submit original + translation by a certified translation company or notarized copy - Copy of Passport: A copy of the applicant's and both parents' passports (If a passport is unavailable, a copy of a national ID card may be submitted instead. Submission is not required if the parents' nationalities are clearly indicated on the Certificate of Family Relations.) - If family relation cannot be verified due to death or divorce, submit a death or divorce certificate (not required if both parents' relations are verifiable) - The names and nationalities of both parents must be clearly indicated
Official Language Proficiency Test Score Report	Korean or English language proficiency scores
Certificate of Completion of Korean Language Program Academic Transcripts of Korean Language Program (All semesters)	Original Documents issued by the university where the Korean Language Program was completed.
Copy of Alien Registration Card (Applicant)	Only for those currently staying in Korea
Financial Documents (e.g., Bank Balance Certificate)	- Minimum Balance: KRW 16,000,000 or more (For students from U1 University Korean Language Center: KRW 8,000,000 or more) - Applicants in Korea: Only successful applicants must submit the document one month before admission, and only Korean bank accounts under the applicant's own name are accepted. - Applicants Overseas: May be submitted at the time of application, and accounts under the name of the applicant or their parents (including overseas accounts) are accepted. - Date of Issuance: Within 30 days of the submission date - If submitted during application, a newly issued certificate must be submitted to the embassy for the subsequent visa application.

► Important Notes

- ※ Students from Apostille member countries must submit an "Apostille Certificate".
 - ※ Students from non-Apostille member countries must submit a "Consular Authentication" from the Korean consulate in the country where their final school is located or from the relevant consulate in Korea.
 - ※ Graduates (or Completers) from Educational Institutions in China
 - Submit a "China Higher Education Qualification Certificate" (<http://www.chsi.com.cn/>) or a "China Degree Verification Report" (<http://www.cdgd.edu.cn/>).
 - ※ Applicants must submit **original documents (except where specified otherwise)**. If the original document cannot be reissued, a certified copy verified by the issuing authority (stamped as "Verified against the Original") or a notarized copy from a notary public must be submitted.
 - ※ Documents written in languages other than Korean or English must be accompanied by a notarized translation in Korean or English.
 - ※ Additional documents may be requested for applicant eligibility verification.
 - ※ The required documents are subject to change based on updates to the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Justice.
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6. Guidelines

a. Applicant Guidelines

- In the event that admission is granted but entry to the country is not possible due to a denial of visa issuance by relevant authorities, or if the applicant fails to enter the country within the designated period despite receiving a visa, the admission will be canceled.
- As a rule, documents already submitted cannot be modified, canceled, or returned.
- Applicants must be fully aware of the eligibility requirements as stated in the admission guide and apply based on their own judgment; any disadvantage resulting from failure to meet eligibility, such as errors, omissions, typos, or insufficient documentation, is the sole responsibility of the applicant.
- After the application fee has been paid, changes to the application type, recruitment unit, or cancellation of the application are not permitted.
- Applicants who forge or alter documents, or who fail to meet eligibility requirements, will be disqualified; if such facts are discovered later, the admission or enrollment will be canceled even after admission has been granted.
- Among those expected to graduate in the 2026 academic year, if any individual fails to obtain the graduation qualification within that academic year, their admission will be invalidated and canceled even after acceptance.
- All submitted documents must have been issued within one month of the application deadline.
- Any matters not specified in this guide shall be determined by the University's Admission Management Committee or the Fair Admission Management Committee.

b. Selection and Announcement of Successful Candidates

- During the screening period, notifications, including announcements of successful candidates, will not be individually communicated but will be posted on the admission information website.
- Even if the number of applicants is less than the recruitment target, applicants whose admission scores are significantly lower than other candidates may be restricted from admission based on the decision of the University Admission Committee.

- The evaluation criteria for the admission process will not be disclosed, and all submitted documents will not be returned.
- Other selection criteria not specified in these admission guidelines will be handled according to the University's freshman admission criteria and the additional selection principles established by the University Admission Committee.

c. Tuition Fees and Payment

- If the successful applicant fails to pay the tuition fees by the designated deadline, their admission will be canceled.
- Dual enrollment at the same university for the same academic semester is not permitted.
- If a successful applicant receives an offer of admission from another university during the supplementary acceptance period for both early and regular admissions, they should promptly notify the university they do not wish to register at.
- If an applicant is found to have been admitted through false information, fraudulent behavior, violation of the dual enrollment rule, or any other dishonest means, their admission will be canceled, regardless of whether it is before or after enrollment, including during their studies.
- If the tuition fee is not paid by the final registration deadline, it will be considered a withdrawal, and the admission will be canceled.

d. Application & Tuition Fees① Application Fee: **None** (Applicable to all departments)

② Tuition Fees by Department

• Departments in Humanities and Social Sciences

Department	Tuition
Social Welfare	₩ 3,150,000
Smart Lifelong Education	
Open Major	
Global Korean Language	
Police and Fire Administration	
Cultural Welfare Convergence	
Early Childhood Education	
Elementary Special Education	
Secondary Special Education	
National Defense Person of Talent Development	
Future Life Convergence	
Open Major	
Global K-Culture	
Department of Cultural Welfare	

• Departments in Engineering, Arts & Physical Education, and Natural Sciences

Department	Tuition
Occupational Safety and Health	₩ 3,940,000
Sports	
Nursing	
Dental Hygiene	
Physical Therapy	
Hotel and Foodservice Culinary Arts	
Wine Science	
Smart-Farm	
Emergency Medical Service	
Beauty Care	
Occupational Therapy	
Department of Media & Content	
AI Software	
Drone Application	
Future Automotive	

e. Scholarship Information

Category	Scholarship Details	
New Students	100% Tuition Waiver (Admission Fee Waived)	– Holders of TOPIK Level 3 or higher – Nationals of English-speaking countries, or those who meet one of the following scores: TOEFL 530 (CBT 197, iBT 71), IELTS 5.5, CEFR B2, or TEPS 600 (NEW TEPS 326) or higher
	70% Tuition Waiver (Admission Fee Waived)	– Students admitted through the university's International Admissions Track
Enrolled Students	60% Tuition Waiver	– Those who earn at least the minimum required credits per semester and maintain GPA of 3.5 or higher * Holders of TOPIK Level 4 or higher, or those with a score of TOEFL 575 (CB 233, iBT 90), IELTS 6.5, CEFR B2–C1, or TEPS 700 (NEW TEPS 380) or higher
	50% Tuition Waiver	– Those who earn at least the minimum required credits per semester and maintain GPA of 3.0 or higher * Holders of TOPIK Level 3 or higher, or those with a score of TOEFL 550 (CB 213, iBT 79), IELTS 6.0, CEFR B2, or TEPS 650 (NEW TEPS 350) or higher
	40% Tuition Waiver	– Those who earn at least the minimum required credits per semester and maintain GPA of 2.5 or higher

- Scholarship disbursement is subject to the university's scholarship regulations.
- The details are subject to change based on future revisions to the scholarship regulations.

* Visa Guidance

1. International students who complete final registration at the university must obtain a Student Visa (D-2).
2. The university will issue a Certificate of Admission for visa application. However, students are responsible for preparing additional documents required for visa conversion within Korea, such as a Certificate of Final Academic Certificate and a Bank Balance Certificate.
3. Inquiries: Office of International Affairs +82-43-740-1361~2

7. Dormitory and Transportation Information

a. Dormitory Information

Campus	Room Type	Capacity	Cost per Semester	Facilities
Yeongdong	Myeongin A Off-Campus Dormitory	528 Students	6 Months 600,000 KRW (Excluding Meal)	Common Facilities = Lounge (Large TV, Water Purifier, Sofa), Gym, Laundry Room, Food and Beverage Vending Machines, Outdoor Rest Area Private Facilities = Bed, Desk, Chair, Wardrobe, Shoe Rack, Telephone (Incoming calls only), High-speed LAN access
Asan	Studio-Type	356 Students (M·F)	6 Months 600,000 KRW (Excluding Meal)	Common Facilities = Laundry Room Private Facilities = Bed, Desk, Chair, Wardrobe, Shoe Rack, High-speed LAN access

- Dormitory Contacts : Yeongdong (T.+82-43-740-1265), Asan (T.+82-41-536-5822)
- Dormitory fees are subject to change. (Updates will be announced on the dormitory website.)

b. Transportation Information

<Yeongdong Campus>

◎ Train

- High-speed Train(KTX): Arrive at Daejeon Station, transfer to a regular train → Yeongdong Station on the Gyeongbu Line → Yeongdong Campus (10 minutes)
- Regular Train: Yeongdong Station on the Gyeongbu Line → Yeongdong Campus (10 minutes)

◎ Bus : Yeongdong Bus Terminal → Yeongdong Campus (10 minutes)

◎ Car : Yeongdong I.C. on the Gyeongbu Expressway → Yeongdong Campus (9Km)

<Asan Campus>

◎ Train

- High-speed Train(KTX): Arrive at Cheonan-Asan Station, take the shuttle bus → Asan Campus (20 minutes by shuttle)
- Subway: Arrive at Dujong Station in Cheonan, take the shuttle bus → Asan Campus (30 minutes by shuttle)

◎ Bus : Arrive at Cheonan Express Bus Terminal, take the shuttle bus → Asan Campus (35 minutes by shuttle)

◎ Car : Cheonan I.C. on the Gyeongbu Expressway → Asan Campus (20 minutes)

c. Commuter Bus Routes and Schedule

<Yeongdong Campus>

a. City Shuttle Bus (Free of Charge)

- Yeongdong Station ↔ Dormitory ↔ Yeongdong Campus(Approximately 100 trips per day)

<Asan Campus>

a. City Shuttle Bus (Free of Charge)

- Cheonan Terminal ↔ Asan Campus, Cheonan-Asan (KTX) Station ↔ Asan Campus

b. City Shuttle Bus Route Map and Schedule (Timings may be adjusted in the future)

- Cheonan Terminal Route

Cheonan Terminal → Dujong Station, Line 1 → Seongjeong-dong Lotte Mart → KEPCO Cheonan Branch (McDonald's) → Baeksok-dong E-Mart Everyday → Samil Apartment → Asan Campus

- Cheonan-Asan Station (KTX) Route

Cheonan-Asan Station (KTX) → Y-City → Eumbong Middle School Intersection → Asan Campus

c. Bus Stop Locations

- ★ Cheonan Terminal (In front of Hongseongjo Neurology Clinic)
- ★ Dujong Station, Line 1 (50m ahead from the taxi stand, at the end of the guardrail)
- ★ Cheonan-Asan Station (KTX) (Shuttle bus stop on the 1st floor)

d. Operating Schedule

- The shuttle bus schedule can be found on the official website.
(Main page → University Life → Shuttle Bus)

<Shuttle Bus Contact Information>

- a. Yeongdong Campus: Student Affairs Office, Student Support Division (T.+82-43-740-1712)
- b. Asan Campus : Student Affairs Office, Student Support Division (T.+82-41-536-5861)

2026학년도 외국인 신입생 제출 서류 내역서

지원학과(부)			
성 명		국적	

제출서류		제출여부	비고
(1) 입학원서 ※ 사진 첨부 필수		()	
(2) 개인정보 조회 동의서		()	
(3) 고등학교 졸업(예정)증명서		()	
(4) 고등학교 전과정 성적증명서		()	
(5) 가족관계증명서 또는 출생증명서 ※ 부모가 이혼 또는 사망한 경우 사실 확인 가능 서류 첨부		()	
(6) 여권사본 ※ 기간이 유효 여부	본인	()	
	부	()	
	모	()	
(7) 외국인등록증 사본 ※ 국내 체류자만 제출		()	
(8) 언어성적 증명서 ※ 2년 이내 성적 여부	한국어트랙 (TOPIK 성적표) 영어트랙 (IELTS 성적표)	()	
(9) 한국어연수과정 증명서 ※ 국내에서 한국어 어학 연수(D-4) 후 지원한 국내 체류자만 제출	한국어연수과정 수료증명서	()	
	한국어연수과정 성적증명서	()	
	한국어연수과정 재학증명서	()	
(10) 재정입증서류	은행잔고증명서 ※ 1,600만원 이상	()	최종등록후 제출
	본인 계좌	()	

Fall Semester 2026 (September Intake)

U1 University Application for International Student Special Admission

※ Do not fill out this section.

※ 접수일자	년 월 일 : :
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Application Type	☐ Freshman Admission
Admission Type	☐ International Students with Both Parents Being Non-Korean Citizens
Department (College) of Choice	

Full Name	(Kor)	(Eng)
Nationality		Gender ☐ Male ☐ Female
Date of Birth		Alien Registration Number
Passport Number		Applicant's Mobile Phone
Email Address		Current Place of Residence ☐ Domestic ☐ Overseas
Address	Postal Code()	

Acad. History	Educational Program	Name of School	Period of Attendance		Years of Study
			Admission	Graduation	
	Elementary School				
	Middle School				
	High School				

Korean Language Program	☐ N/A	☐ Completed Program (University, Level) Period : . . . ~ . . . (YYYY.MM.DD)
Language Proficiency Standards	Korean Language Proficiency	
	☐ TOPIK ☐ U-TOPIK Lv. ()	English Language Proficiency ☐ TOEFL IBT ☐ TOEIC ☐ IELTS ☐ CEFR ☐ TEPS Pts ()
Dormitory Application	☐ Yes ☐ No	

I have reviewed the "Applicant Instructions" and hereby apply for admission to U1 University with the required documents. Date (YYYY/MM/DD): ____ . ____ . ____	
접수자	Applicant Name: _____ (Signature or Seal) To: President of U1 University
(인)	

※ Please make sure to complete the "Consent for the Collection and Use of Personal Information" on the back.

[Consent for the Collection and Use of Personal Information]

The International Exchange Center at U1 University intends to collect, use, and provide your personal information to third parties as outlined below for the purposes of international student application processing, admission procedures, and academic administration. Please indicate your consent by checking the appropriate boxes and providing your signature.

[Consent to Collection and Use of Unique Identifying Information]

1. Items of Personal Information: Alien Registration Number, Passport Number
 2. Purpose of Collection and Use: Processing of admissions and management of educational record-keeping
 3. Period of Retention and Use: 10 years, in accordance with the university's standards for the preservation of institutional records
- ※ You have the right to refuse consent to the collection and use of unique identifying information. However, if you refuse to provide consent, there may be restrictions on the submission of your admission application.

Consent to Collection and Use of Unique Identifying Information ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree

[Consent to Collection and Use of Personal Information]

1. Items of Personal Information
Name, Gender, Date of Birth, Mobile Phone Number, Academic Background (School Name, Department, Admission Date, Graduation (or Expected Graduation) Date), Email
 2. Purpose of Collection and Use: Admissions and academic administration
 3. Period of Retention and Use: 10 years, in accordance with the university's standards for the preservation of institutional records
- ※ You have the right to refuse consent to the collection and use of personal information. However, if you refuse to provide consent, there may be restrictions on the submission of your admission application.

Consent to Collection and Use of Personal Information ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree

[Consent to the Utilization of Personal Information]

1. Items of Personal Information
Name, Address, Phone Number, Mobile Phone Number, Academic Background (School Name, Department, Admission Date, Graduation (or Expected Graduation) Date), Nationality, Email
 2. Purpose of Collection and Use: Academic management (Overall academic administration including student records, classes, registration, scholarships, graduation, etc.)
 3. Period of Retention and Use: Semi-permanent or until the completion of administrative duties (However, if the applicant does not enroll, the information will be destroyed without delay once it is no longer necessary.)
- ※ You have the right to refuse consent to the collection and use of personal information. However, if you refuse to provide consent, there may be restrictions on academic management services.

Consent to the Utilization of Personal Information ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree

[Consent to Provide Personal Information to Third Parties (1)]

1. Recipients of Information: Shinhan Bank, Immigration Office, Insurance Companies, Travel Agencies, Dormitory, Korean Council for University Education (KCUE)
 2. Items Provided: Department, Student ID Number, Name, Mobile Phone Number, Tuition (Scholarship, Net Amount Paid), Date of Change in Academic Status, Academic Records, Examinee Number, Alien Registration Number
 3. Purpose of Provision: Tuition payment processing, submission of visa-related documents, insurance enrollment
 4. Period of Retention and Use: Until the purpose of processing is achieved or administrative duties are completed
- ※ You have the right to withhold consent for the provision of personal information to third parties. However, please be advised that if you do not agree, it may be impossible to proceed with the related administrative processes.

Consent to Provide Personal Information to Third Parties (1) ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree

[Consent to Provide Personal Information to Third Parties (2)]

1. Recipients of Information: Partner Agencies (Study Abroad Agencies)
 2. Items Provided: Name, Nationality, Date of Birth, Examinee Number, Passport Number, Gender, Email Address
 3. Purpose of Provision: Delivery of Admission Notification and Certificate of Admission (CoA)
 4. Period of Retention and Use: Until the purpose of processing is achieved or administrative duties are completed
- ※ You have the right to withhold consent for the provision of personal information to third parties. However, please be advised that if you do not agree, it may be impossible to proceed with the related administrative processes.

Consent to Provide Personal Information to Third Parties (2) ☐ Agree ☐ Disagree

Date (YYYY/MM/DD): . . .

Applicant Signature: _____

To: President of U1 University

※ For further inquiries regarding admissions, please contact the Office of International Affairs.

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