

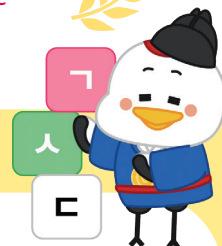
SUN MOON UNIVERSITY,

Where students' Dreams become reality



No.1 VISA

Top-Ranked for Visa Issuance
Excellent Institution by IEQAS Evaluation
Best Certified by the Ministry of Education
High Visa Approval Rate



LINC3.0

56.24

Billion KRW

Phase 3 University-Industry-Research
Cooperation Leading University
Development Project (2014~2027)

Software-Centered University Project

20.89

Billion KRW

(2018~2029)

Advanced Industry (Semiconductor)
Talent Development Bootcamp

7.0

Billion KRW

(2024~2028)

Digital New Technology Talent
Development and Innovation
Shared University Project

6.54

Billion KRW

(2024~2028)

BK21+(Brain Korea 21 Project)

6.33

Billion KRW

(2016~2026)

ODA Leading University Project

2.5

Billion KRW

(2022~2029)



RISE Project: Chungnam
Regional Innovation-Centered
University Support System

9.2

Billion KRW

(Ranked No.1 Among Private
Universities in Chungnam)



Overseas Training-Students
Dispatched to 17 Countries

496

Students

(2024)



University Football Champions

4-Time Champions

Korean University Football Federation
Best Organization Award (2024)



Top University

2024 Ministry of Education &
Korean Accreditation Board
of Engineering Education
Evaluation

- Best in Eco-Friendly Automotive Field
- Excellence in Media Field



University Institutional
Accreditation

All Pass

- University Mission & Management
- Curriculum & Teaching-Learning
- Faculty & Staff, Student Support & Facilities

Employment Rate (Based on the 2024
Academic Year Official Disclosure)

70.7

%

No.1 in Daejeon-Sejong-Chungcheong
for 2 Consecutive Years (Universities
with 1,000+ Single-Campus Graduates)



Average Annual Scholarship per Student (2024)

4.19

Million KRW

(National University Average: KRW 3.57 Million)

New students can receive 40%~100% scholarships
for their first semester

Current students can earn scholarships based on GPA
and TOPIK level.



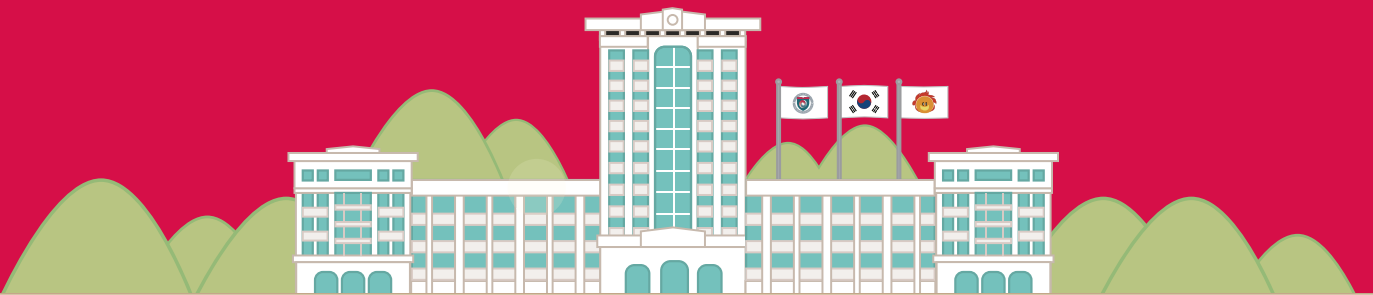
Seoul to Asan!

It takes **33** minutes

Cheonan and Asan have emerged as cities meeting the criteria of a million-population metropolitan area, underpinned by their strategic proximity to Seoul, sustained job creation, and superior educational infrastructure. These factors have collectively contributed to establishing both cities as stable and desirable residential hubs.

SUN MOON UNIVERSITY

Sun Moon University
Admission Consultation
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► Admission to undergraduate school(D-2 visa) is possible with English scores

- IELTS 5.5, TOEFL IBT score of 59 higher, etc.

► Employment opportunities in Korean companies after graduation

- Expansion of Employment Opportunities under the F-2-R and E-7 Visa Categories, and Other Related Visas

► Foreigner Employment Support Programs

- Employment Workshops and Career Fairs
- Glocal Job Festival

► Reasonable tuition fees and low living expenses

► Provides major-related internship opportunities

► First Semester for New Students

40% to 100% scholarship depending on grades

TOPIK Level 6	100% Tuition Fee
TOPIK Level 5	80% Tuition Fee
TOPIK Level 4	55% Tuition Fee
TOPIK Level 3	50% Tuition Fee
Applicants with English Qualifications	50% Tuition Fee
Passer of SUN MOON UNIVERSITY's Korean Test, Completed King Sejeong Intermediate Level 1 or higher, Completed Korea Immigration and Integration Program Level 3 or higher, or obtained a score of 61 or higher on the assessment test.	40% Tuition Fee

※ Enrolled students can earn scholarships based on GPA and TOPIK level.



SUN MOON UNIVERSITY

2026 Academic Year New (Transfer) Students

International Admission Guide

Undergraduate Program



SUN MOON UNIVERSITY

A university near Seoul, right by the station: SUN MOON UNIVERSITY



The World You Meet at SUN MOON

- 2,663 students from 56 countries are enrolled at SUN MOON UNIVERSITY, including those in the Korean Language Institute, undergraduate, and graduate programs (based on first semester 2025 academic year data)
- 55 global vice presidents representing 45 countries

The 5th Korean Language Institute established in Korea

- No.1 in Chungnam for language proficiency in 2022
- In 2022, 86.3% of graduates achieved TOPIK Level 4 or higher

Reasonable Tuition and Generous Scholarships

- Tuition fees more accessible than at universities in the capital region
- 40%-100% scholarships awarded according to grades

English Track Program

- Students can apply for undergraduate (D-2-2) admission based on their English results
- Departments Offering an English Track
[Division of Computer Science and Engineering, Division of Interdisciplinary Studies for International Students(Major in International Business and Trade)]

Dormitory

- 100% of incoming international students guaranteed housing
- Comfortable living spaces and a variety of convenient facilities provided
- Large kitchens with full equipment for preparing cuisines from around the world

Employment Opportunities for International Students

- Employment opportunities at Korean companies after graduation
- International Student Employment Support Programs
- Job camps and career fairs
- Global Job Festival

A Leading University for Global Talent Employment

- Selected as one of the nation's Top 10 Universities (by the Ministry of SMEs and Startups, April 2025)
- Customized employment-linked programs for international students

Chungnam RISE: International Student Recruitment and Settlement Project

- Fostering global talent for regional development in cooperation with local industries
- Enhancing international students' employability and expanding support for local settlement





01 Admission Schedule

■ Type I: Foreign applicants whose parents are all foreign nationals

Category	Schedule	Remarks
	Fall Semester (2 nd Semester)	
Submission of Application and Relevant Documents	2026.6.8.(Mon) ~ 6.12.(Fri)	- Application Fee: 80,000 KRW - SUN MOON UNIVERSITY Admissions Website (https://ilove.sunmoon.ac.kr)
Korean Language Test and Interview	2026.6.25.(Thr)	- Applicants currently residing in Korea: In-person interview - Applicants Abroad: Call or Online Interview
Announcement of Successful Applicants	2026.7.9.(Thr)	SUN MOON UNIVERSITY Admissions Website
Tuition Payment (Registration of Documents)	2026.7.23.(Thr) ~ 7.24.(Fri)	SUN MOON UNIVERSITY Admissions Website

■ Type II: Foreign nationals and overseas Koreans who have completed an educational curriculum abroad equivalent to elementary, middle, and high school education in Korea.

Category	Schedule	Remarks
	Fall Semester (2 nd Semester)	
Submission of Application and relevant Documents	2026.6.8.(Mon) ~ 6.12.(Fri)	- Application Fee: 80,000 KRW - SUN MOON UNIVERSITY Admissions Website
Korean Language Test and Interview	2026.6.25.(Thr)	- Applicants currently residing in Korea: In-person interview - Applicants Abroad: Call or Online Interview
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- Failure to complete registration within the specified period may result in cancellation of admission.
- The deadline for final tuition payment will be announced separately on the website.
- International admissions are conducted throughout the year, independent of the aforementioned schedule.
- The schedule provided above is subject to modification based on prevailing circumstances.

02 Academic Colleges in SUN MOON University

- Selection within the university's capacity

Unit	Division	Department	Major / Track	Unit	Division	Department	Major / Track
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	Humanities and Social Sciences	Department of History		College of Health Sciences		Department of Aquatic Life Medical Sciences	
		Department of Police Administration Law				Division of Food Technology and Nutrition	Major in Food Technology Major in Food Nutrition
		Department of Counseling Psychology				Department Of Pharmaceutical Engineering & Biotechnology	
		Department of Social Welfare				Division of Architecture	Major in Architecture Major in Architectural Engineering
		Department of Digital Content				Department of Mechanical Engineering	
School of Media and Communication		Major in Digital Media Major in Advertising and Public Relations	College of Engineering	Science and Engineering	Department of Advanced Automotive Engineering	Division of Echo-friendly Autonomous Electric Vehicles Division of Automotive Design	
Department of English					Department of AI Robotics		
Department of Japanese Language and Japanese Studies					Department of Industrial and Management Engineering		
Department of Spanish Language and Latin American Studies					Department of Fire and Disaster Prevention		
Department of Asian Studies		East Asian Studies Major Eurasian Studies Major			Department of Electronic Engineering		
Department of Business Administration					Department of semiconductor materials engineering		
Department of Information Technology Management					Department of Display and Semiconductor Engineering		
Department of Global Economics					Division of Computer Science and Engineering	Computer Science Data Science Game Software	
Department of Tourism & Hotel Management major					Division of Computer Science and Engineering(English Track)		
Department of Airline Service					Department of Artificial Intelligence and Software Technology		
College of Theology	Department of Theology	Department of Theology		College of Arts and Sports	Arts and Sports	Department of Taekwondo	
College of Health Sciences	Department of Nursing Science	Department of Nursing Science				Department Of Martial Arts & Security	
	Department of Physical Therapy	Department of Physical Therapy				Department of Sports Science	
	Department of Dental Hygiene	Department of Dental Hygiene					
	Department of Emergency Medical Services	Department of Emergency Medical Services					

Unit	Division	Department	Major / Track
College of Arts and Sports	Arts and Sports	Department of Fitness and Rehabilitation	
		Department Of Design	Visual Communication Design Broadcast Content Design
		Department of Film and Media Arts	

Unit	Division	Department	Major / Track
College of Interdisciplinary Studies	Interdisciplinary Studies	Division of Interdisciplinary Studies for International Students	Major in Korean Language and Culture Major in International Business and Trade(English Track) Major in Interdisciplinary Studies
		Division of Interdisciplinary Studies	

■ Important Notes

- ※ The Division of Interdisciplinary Studies for International Students, the Division of Computer Science and Engineering(English Track) are programs exclusively for international students.
- ※ Applicants with disabilities may request accommodations in advance for the interview process.
- ※ Department Of Pharmaceutical Engineering & Biotechnology is not related to pharmacist license qualification.
- ※ The Department of Nursing operates its bachelor's degree program in accordance with the accreditation standards of the Korean Accreditation Board of Nursing Education (KABONE). The program has been accredited for five years (Dec. 2024 - Dec. 2029). All nursing students are required to participate in the accredited program and fulfill the graduation requirements, including those set by KABONE.

- ※ The Department of Mechanical Engineering and the Department of Advanced Automotive Engineering operate accredited programs under the Accreditation Board for Engineering Education of Korea (ABEEK). Students admitted to these departments are automatically enrolled in the accredited program and must satisfy the graduation requirements established by ABEEK.
- ※ The School of Architecture offers two tracks: Major in Architecture (5-year program, accredited by KAAB) and Major in Architectural Engineering (4-year program) and the Architecture major (5-year) is accredited by the Korea Architectural Accrediting Board (KAAB). Graduates are eligible to take the Architect Licensing Examination after completing required practical training.
- ※ U.S. veterans scholarship recipients are not eligible to apply to SUN MOON UNIVERSITY.

03 Applicant Qualifications

□ **Admissions Criteria: Applicants must satisfy all of the following nationality, educational, and language proficiency requirements corresponding to their chosen admission type/recruitment unit. Refer to the table below.**

- Admission Type I: Applicants who are both foreign nationals themselves and have foreign national parents.
- Admission Type II: Applicants who have completed their entire education abroad as foreign nationals or overseas Koreans.

Category		Content
Nationality/ Educational Qualifications	Freshmen	Applicants must meet one of the following conditions: - Type I: Both the applicant and their parents are foreign nationals, and the applicant has graduated (or is expected to graduate) from a regular high school in Korea or abroad. ※ Applicants with dual nationality are not eligible. - Type II: Foreign nationals and overseas Koreans who have completed the entire curriculum equivalent to Korea's elementary, middle, and high school education outside of Korea. ※ High School Equivalency Examinations (GED in Korea or abroad) are not accepted.
	Transfer Students	Applicants must satisfy all of the following conditions: - Meet one of the following: - Type I: Both the applicant and their parents are foreign nationals. - Type II: Foreign nationals and overseas Koreans who have completed the entire curriculum equivalent to Korea's elementary, middle, and high school education outside of Korea. - Must have graduated from a regular high school. - For 2nd-year transfer admission: Completed at least 1 year (2 semesters) at an accredited university abroad and earned the required credits. - For 3rd-year transfer admission: Completed at least 2 years (4 semesters) at an accredited university abroad and earned the required credits. ※ For junior colleges (2-3 years): Only graduates (or expected graduates) of regular programs are eligible. ※ For 5-year combined high school + university programs: Applicants must submit a diploma, transcript, and an official certificate verifying the 5-year program. ※ Applicants from universities without a credit system are not eligible (transcripts must show credits and percentage scores). ※ Dual nationality holders are not eligible. ※ High School Equivalency Examinations (GED) are not accepted.
Language Proficiency	Korean Track	Applicants must meet one or more of the following: - TOPIK Level 3 or higher (including TOPIK iBT). - Minimum required score on SUN MOON UNIVERSITY's Korean language test. - Completion of Intermediate Level 1 or higher at King Sejong Institute (online Sejong Institute not accepted). - Completion of Level 3 or higher in the Ministry of Justice's Social Integration Program, or obtain 61 points or higher in the pre-evaluation.
	English Track	Applicants must meet one or more of the following: - TOEFL iBT 3.5* - IELTS 5.5 - CEFR B2 - NEW TEPS 202 - Equivalent score in a nationally recognized English test ※ Nationals of countries where English is the native or official language may substitute with a high school graduation certificate.

04 Selection Process

□ **Evaluation Criteria and Score Distribution**

Recruitment Unit	Interview Examination	Minimum Academic Standard	Total
All Recruitment Units	100 pts	Meeting the Korean or English Language Proficiency Requirement	100 pts

05 Required Documents



□ Type I: **Foreigners whose parents are both foreigners**

No.	Documents	Applicable to		Note
		Freshmen	Transfer	
1	Application Form	○	○	University Prescribed Form
2	Agreement for Enrollment & Academic Credits	○	○	University Prescribed Form
3	Personal Information Inquiry Agreement	○	○	University Prescribed Form
4	High School Graduation Certificate (expected graduation)	○	○	- China: ① Submit the original document along with an official translation, or ② Submit the original document that has been notarized. - Other countries: Submit a certified Apostille or a document approved by the consular office. - Expected graduates: Submit proof of expected graduation certificate initially, and the final graduation certificate must be submitted later.
5	College Enrollment/ Graduation (expected) Certificate	X	○	
6	Complete High School Transcript	○	X	
7	Complete College Transcript	X	○	- Submit the original document along with a translated copy from a certified translation company or a notarized copy. - Expected graduates: Submit the current academic transcript. The final graduation certificate must be submitted after graduation.
8	High School Graduation Certificate	○	X	
9	University Enrollment/Graduation Certificate	X	○	Original Document must be submitted - For applicants from China: Submit documents issued by the China Academic Degrees & Graduate Education Development Center (CDGDC) or documents certified by a Korean consular office. - For applicants from countries other than China: Provide an apostille certificate or a document certified by the consulate. ※ Transfer applicants: - For 4-year university students: Submit a certificate verifying current enrollment or graduation from a university. - For vocational college students: Submit a certificate verifying graduation from a vocational college. ※ Graduates from domestic schools are not required to submit these documents.
10	Documents on Proof of Qualifications (Family Relation Certificate & Copy of Passport)	○	○	- Submit a Family Relationship Certificate or Birth Certificate - Documents must confirm the nationality and relationship of the applicant and their parents. - For China: Household register is not acceptable; submit a notarized certificate of kinship or a certificate issued by the local police station. - Submit the original document along with a translated copy from a certified translation company or a notarized copy. - Copies of parents' passports: Submit copies of both parents' passports. If passports are not available, submit copies of their ID cards. If the nationality of the parents can be confirmed on the Family Relationship Certificate, submission is not necessary. - If family relationships cannot be proven due to death or divorce, submit a death or divorce certificate. If the family relationship with both parents can be proven, submission is not necessary. - The documents must clearly indicate the names and nationalities of the applicant and their parents.
11	Official Language Proficiency Certificate	○	○	Korean or English Proficiency Score
12	Applicant's Passport Copy	○	○	Passport not exceeding expiration date
13	Applicant's ARC Copy	△	△	To be submitted only by those residing in Korea
14	Financial Documents (Certificate of Bank Balance)	△	△	Original must be submitted Amount: minimum of 16,000,000won(Graduate of SUN MOON UNIVERSITY Korean Language school: minimum of 8,000,000 won) - For applicants residing in Korea: Only successful applicants are required to submit proof of funds one month prior to enrollment. The account must be in the applicant's name and held in a Korean bank. - For applicants residing overseas: Proof of funds can be submitted during the application process. The account can be in the applicant's name or their parents' name (overseas accounts are acceptable). Date of issuance: Within 30 days of submission. If proof of funds was submitted during the application process, a new document must be obtained and submitted to the consulate when applying for a visa.

□ Type II: **Foreigners and overseas Koreans who have completed the entire curriculum equivalent to elementary and secondary education in Korea in a foreign country**

No.	Documents	Applicable to		Remark
		Freshmen	Transfer	
1	Application form	○	○	University Prescribed Form
2	Agreement for Enrollment & Academic Credits	○	○	University Prescribed Form
3	Personal Information Inquiry Agreement	○	○	University Prescribed Form
4	High School Graduation Certificate (Expected Graduation)	○	○	- China: ① Submit original document along with an official translation by a translation company, or ② Submit an original notarized document. - Other countries: Substitute with a certified Apostille or a document approved by the consular office. - Expected graduates: First submit proof of expected graduation certificate, followed by submission of the final graduation certificate later on.
5	College Enrollment/ Graduation (expected) Certificate	X	○	
6	Transcript from Elementary to High School (or School Records)	○	X	
7	Complete College Transcript	X	○	- Submit original document along with a translation by a translation company or a notarized copy. Specify the period of enrollment. - If the period of enrollment is not specified on the academic transcript, submit a separate enrollment certificate. - Expected graduates: Submit current academic transcript. Final graduation certificate required after graduation.
8	High School Graduation Certificate	○	X	
9	University Enrollment/ Graduation Certificate	X	○	Original Document must be submitted - For applicants from China: Submit documents issued by the China Academic Degrees & Graduate Education Development Center (CDGDC) or documents certified by a Korean consular office. - For applicants from countries other than China: Provide an apostille certificate or a document certified by the consulate. ※ Transfer applicants: - For 4-year university students: Submit a certificate verifying current enrollment or graduation from a university. - For vocational college students: Submit a certificate verifying graduation from a vocational college. ※ Graduates from domestic schools are not required to submit these documents.
10	Certificate of Entry and Exit Records	○	○	
11	Official Language Proficiency Certificate	○	○	Korean or English Proficiency Score
12	Applicant's Passport Copy	○	○	Passport not exceeding expiration date
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Important Notes

- ※ **All application documents must be submitted in their original form.** For documents that cannot be reissued, such as original certificates, a copy with verification of the issuing institution (original document verification) or a notarized copy from a notary public must be submitted.
- ※ Documents written in languages other than Korean, English, or Japanese must be accompanied by a certified translation in Korean or English.
- ※ If using the university's application forms, they must be downloaded from the university's website, printed, completed, and submitted.
- ※ Additional documents may be requested for the qualification assessment of applicants.
- ※ Please note that the above document requirements may be subject to slight changes according to guidelines from the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Justice.

06 Office in Charge of Admission

- Global Admissions Team: Main Building Room 117,
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- TEL : 041-530-2090, 2097 • FAX : 041-530-2093 • MAIL : go_smu@sunmoon.ac.kr



01 Tuition

1. Application Fee: 80,000 won

2. Tuition Fee

- 1-semester tuition fee
(March, 2026 standard)

Humanities &
Social Sciences
3,724,850

Natural
Sciences &
Physical Education
4,273,225

Engineering
& Arts
4,582,775

Health
Sciences
4,582,775

- ※ The above amount is subject to change.
- ※ All fees are based on Korean Won (KRW).

General Guidelines

02 Scholarship Information

Category	Scholarship Candidate	Type of Scholarship					
Freshmen	- Self-financed international students from all countries (excluding Korean nationals)- Applicants with TOPIK Level 3 or higher (scholarship varies by TOPIK level)- Applicants with English proficiency (TOEFL IBT 3.5*, IELTS 5.5, CEFR B2, NEW TEPS 202)- Applicants who passed SUN MOON Korean Test, completed King Sejong Institute Intermediate 1+, or Social Integration Program Level 3 (61+ points)	TOPIK Level 6		100% Tuition Fee			
		TOPIK Level 5		80% Tuition Fee			
		TOPIK Level 4		55% Tuition Fee			
		TOPIK Level 3		50% Tuition Fee			
		Applied using English Qualifications		50% Tuition Fee			
		Passer of SUN MOON UNIVERSITY's Korean Test, Completed King Sejong Institute Level 1 or higher, Completed Korea Immigration and Integration Program Level 3 or higher, or obtained a score of 61 or higher on the assessment test.		40% Tuition Fee			
Enrolled Students	※ Effective for new students entering in the 2026 academic year ● Scholarships differ depending on the student's previous semester GPA (refer to the table on the right) ● Required credits: - 1st~2nd semester: completed 12 units or more from the previous semester - 2nd~3rd year: completed 15 units and above from the previous semester (applicable from 2015) - 4th year: completed 12 units or more from the previous semester	Tuition Fee					
		Grade Criteria		TOPIK level 3 or below		TOPIK 4 above	
		4.2 above		60%	*70%	100%	
		4.0 above~4.2 below				TOPIK 6 above	
		3.6 above~4.0 below		40%		60%	
		3.0 above~3.6 below		30%		50%	
		2.5 above~3.0 below		20%		30%	
		2.0 above~2.5 below		None	20%		
		2.0 below			None		

- Matters regarding scholarship disbursement are governed by the university's scholarship regulations.
- Please note that this information is subject to change based on future revisions to the scholarship regulations.