National Kaohsiung Normal University

Exchange /Dual Degree Program Application



Application Submission:

Please read the application Sheet carefully and apply through the coordinator in charge of student exchange.

For applicants:

please consult your plan with the coordinator in charge of student exchange and decide on which department you want to enroll in. You can enroll concurrently in academic courses and Mandarin course, and your applications must be submitted through the office or person in charge of international affairs at your home university.

For coordinators in charge of student exchange:

please advise the prospective exchange/dual degree students prepare the application documents, and Email to us (oia_exchange@mail.nknu.edu.tw) by the due date shown in the application guide.

Date and Deadline:

Application Deadline	Spring Semester	November 30	Fall Semester	May 15
Admission Letter Issuance (Admission letters may not be issued/delayed due to the pandemic)	Spring Semester	January 15	Fall Semester	June 30

Required Application Material:

The students should gather all the necessary documents as following into one single file (in PDF format) and contact the office or person in charge at your home university to submit your application to us.

- 1. Application Form
- 2. Chinese Course Application Form
- 3. One copy of applicant's current official Certificate of Enrollment
- 4. One copy of applicant's current Transcript in English with full academic records
- 5. One letter of recommendation written in English or Chinese from your Institution or International Office
- 6. Photocopy of Passport with a clear passport applicant's FULL bio page (including the signature page).
- 7. Study Plan with motivation and personal statement to describe (i) purpose statement, (ii) outline learning objectives and assignment schedules, (iii) experiment objectives/expected outcomes and future goals. It did not tie to a particular format.



Other Supporting Documents(optional):

- 1. CV (optional)
- 2. English Proficiency Test Certificate (if any)
- 3. Chinese Proficiency Test Certificate (if any)
- 4. other Supporting Documents (if any)

Language Center - Center of Language and Cultural Teaching

NKNU Center of Language and Cultural Teaching (CLCT) offers Mandarin Chinese Courses. As an International Exchange Student, if you wish to enroll in these Mandarin courses, you are free to apply the basic level courses through our International Affairs Office.

What subjects does NKNU has?

Colleges & Departments

Collage of Education	Collage of Humanities	Collage of Arts	Collage of Science	Collage of Technology	
He-Ping Campus			Yen-Chao Campus		
Education BMD	Chinese BMD	Fine Arts BM	Mathematics M	Industry Design BM	
Special Education BMD	English BMD	Music BM	Chemistry BM	Electrical Engineering BM	
Physical Education BM	Geography BMD	Visual Design BM	Physics BMD	Electronic Engineering M	
Business Management BM	Taiwan History, Culture and Languages M	Interdisciplinary Art M	Biotechnology M	Software Engineering and Management BM	
Counseling Psychology and Rehabilitation Counseling MD	Teaching Chinese as a Second/ Foreign Language MD		Science Education & Environmental Education D	Engineering International Graduate Program M	
Adult Education MD Human Resources and Knowledge	Chinese Classics M Hakka Culture Studies M	 B Bachelor's Degree Program M Master's Degree Program D Doctoral Degree Program 			
Management M Gender Education M		For more details, please visit: https://w3.nknu.edu.tw/en/academics_en			



Mandarin Chinese Courses

Center of Language and Cultural Teaching (CLCT)

Mandarin courses of all levels are available at Center for Language and Cultural Teaching (CLCT) for people whose first language is not Mandarin.

NKNU exchange students and dual degree students can be recommended to **CLCT Mandarin course in basic level with tuition waiver** to improve their Mandarin skills and deepen the exchanges to propel understanding of Taiwan culture and community.

* The higher level / intensive language courses may not fall under the exchange tuition waiver.

Courses Introduction

- 1. Learning Hours :15 hours per week
- 2. Certificate & Credit level: Not for credit. Course Certificate will be issued after completing the course.
- 3. Placement Test: Before the class, there will be a placement test to recognize the students' language levels.

Quarter System Schedule

CLCT use the Quarter System Schedule which consists of four 12-week sessions: Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer. The quarter system has different start and end dates from regular academic classes, and will run on a different scheme with the general semester. Please download the full CLCT schedule from the website(https://clcts.nknu.edu.tw/CLCT/Others/Files) for more information.

★ If the CLCT courses ends later than the semester schedule, the students can decide whether to e xtend their visa in Taiwan in order to complete the CLCT courses.

Center Information

For more details about the Mandarin courses and Center information, please visit the CLCT website: $\underline{https://clcts.nknu.edu.tw/CLCT/SignUpInfo/SignUpInfo} \ .$

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E-mail: clcts213@gmail.com



Important Information for Exchange Students

Visa

Please prepare your Letter of Admission, passport, along with any other necessary documents, and apply for a visa at a Taiwan(ROC) diplomatic mission (embassy or consulate) in your country. We recommend that yo u contact the diplomatic mission in advance and ask what documents must be submitted.

Accommodation

Exchange students will be directly reserved the on- campus dormitory room space. Students will be responsible for paying initial fees, rent, and utility fees. The dormitory room is shared by 4 to 6 students for undergraduates; 1 to 2 students for graduates. The cost for 1 semester is 7,000~11,000 NT dollars. More info about dormitory: https://www.nknu.edu.tw/~student/live/dorm/A0.html

Cost, Fees and Expenses

Tuition	Paid to home institution	
Dormitory	NT \$7,000 - \$11,000 / 4 months ◆ 4 - 6 students (undergraduate) or 1 - 2 students(graduate) shared room. ◆ Broadband Internet is included in the rent.	
	◆ Air-conditioning Fee for is NOT included in the rent.	
Food	NT \$7,000 - \$10,000 / month	
	NT \$500 / month	
Student Group Health Insurance	All international students shall have health insurance in accordance with R.O.C. health regulations and pay for the fee. This insurance is offered for students who are not yet eligible to join National Health Insurance(NHI).	
National Health Insurance(NHI)	NT \$826 / month All international students with an ARC and have met the 6-month minimum residency requirement must have National Health Insurance 全民健保 (NHI).	
Other Expenses	other Expenses such as books, telecom service, travel, social activities, etc. are varied based of your personal circumstance.	

Items to prepare and bring before You Arrive

- 1. Cash exchange: Please exchange sufficient New Taiwan Dollars before you arrive in Taiwan.
- 2. **Deposit:** A dormitory keycard deposit will be collected upon your arrival in dorm.
- 3. **Bedding:** Not provided from NKNU, you can bring your own bedding or purchase one when arriving.
- 4. **Electric transformer adapter:** In Taiwan, the standard voltage is 110 V and the frequency is 60 Hz.

Airport Pick-Up

★Please Note: COVID-19 pandemic may cause cancellation of the Airport Pick-up.

Free Airport Pick-Up is available at a scheduled time from Kaohsiung International Airport(KHH). If you would like to take the pick-up service, you can apply via submitting the "Flight Information Sheet" to oia_exchange@mail.nknu.edu.tw (the sheet will be sent after confirming the enrollment). If your flight arrival time is not within our scheduled pick-up time, you have to arrange your own trip to NKNU, and our student volunteers will receive you at NKNU to assist for the dorm check-in.



Important Dates of Fall Semester 2022 for Exchange/Dual Degree Students 交換/雙聯生入學手續重要日程

	Dates &	
Category	Deadlines	Note
Confirm and Submit Flight Details	-date to be confirmed	★Submission for the "Flight Information Sheet" is required, the sheet will be sent later with the Admission Letter.
Airport Pick-up	-date to be confirmed	★Upon arrival, the students should teamed up with others from the same home school before meeting NKNU staffs arrive.
Health exam for School New Students	-date to be confirmed	
Start of Mandarin Classes (CLCT)	August 29, 2022	Download the full CLCT schedule: https://clcts.nknu.edu.tw/CLCT/Others/Files
Start of Semester	September 05, 2022	Download the full calendar: http://www.nknu.edu.tw/~gad/calendar.htm
End of Semester	January 09, 2023	Download the full calendar: http://www.nknu.edu.tw/~gad/calendar.htm
End of Mandarin Classes (CLCT)	February 27,2023	Download the full CLCT schedule: https://clcts.nknu.edu.tw/CLCT/Others/Files
Mailing Transcript	February to March, 2023	★ The transcript will be sent to your school's Office of International Affairs.