

2026-27 KOREA UNIVERSITY

International Winter Campus

Korea University International Winter Campus (KU IWC) is an academic winter program specially designed for international students who wish to explore their winter for both academic and cultural learning. KU IWC offers more than 40 credit-bearing courses taught by world-class academics. KU IWC also provides a rich set of cultural and social activities to give participants a great chance to taste the unique culture of Korea. It's a perfect combination of learning and fun for your winter.

Overview

Application Period	September 1 (Tue) – November 6 (Fri), 2026	
Program Period	3-week	December 22 (Tue), 2026 – January 8 (Fri), 2027
	4-week	December 22 (Tue), 2026 – January 18 (Mon), 2027
Dormitory Check-in	3/4-week	December 21 (Mon), 2026
Dormitory Check-out	3-week	January 9 (Sat), 2027
	4-week	January 19 (Tue), 2027

* Academic Calendar is subject to change.

- **Location:** Korea University (Seoul)
- **Early Registration Benefit:** Tuition discount of **100,000 KRW** for those who submit their online application by **September 30, 2026**
- **Faculty:** Over 30 distinguished academics from prestigious universities
- **Courses:** Over 40 outstanding courses covering a wide range of subjects

Distinctive Program Highlights

- Students can choose among in-person, blended and online-only classes
- **All courses are conducted in English** (except for Korean language classes) delivered by academics from KU and world renowned universities such as **University of Sydney, Australian National University**, and so on
- **Complimentary** extracurricular activities such as visits to Lotte World, KU Cheering Experience, Taekwondo classes, sports match, and so on (subject to change)
- **KU Buddies** (student teaching assistants) offered for all KU IWC participants
- Official academic transcript and certificate of completion issuance

Credits & Course Load

	3-week	4-week
Hours/class	3.5 hours	3 hours
The number of classes/course	13 classes	16 classes

- Student can take **up to 2 courses** (1 course = 3 credits = 45 class hours)
- For credits transfer, students are advised to consult with appropriate academic authorities at their home institution in advance with a course description or syllabus uploaded on KU IWC website.

Tuition Fees

Category	1 course (3 credits)	2 courses (6 credits)
Application Fee (Non-refundable)	KRW 100,000 (approx. USD 70)	
Tuition Fee	KRW 1,790,000 (approx. USD 1,200)	KRW 3,100,000 (approx. USD 2,100)
Total	KRW 1,890,000 (approx. USD 1,270)	KRW 3,200,000 (approx. USD 2,170)

* **Fees for cultural activities** are **included** in the tuition fees.

On-campus Accommodation Fees

Duration	Single	Double
3 weeks	KRW 831,400 (approx. USD 550)	KRW 516,000 (approx. USD 340)
4 weeks	KRW 1,172,000 (approx. USD 780)	KRW 719,600 (approx. USD 480)

* Meal plan is not included.

* Rooms are allocated on a first come, first served basis.

* The exact amount of fee must be paid in Korean currency.

* A bedding set (pillow, fitted sheet, and comforter/duvet) will be provided, with the cost included in the accommodation fee. The bedding set is priced at KRW 41,000, and this amount is subject to change.

IWC Contacts & Information

- **Website:** winter.korea.ac.kr
- **Email:** kuwinter@korea.ac.kr
- **Instagram:** @kuisc.iwc
- **YouTube:** youtube.com/@kuisc_iwc
- **LinkedIn:** linkedin.com/company/kuisciw

On-Campus Accommodation Details

		CJ I-House	Anam I-House	Frontier House
Room Type		Single / Double	Single / Double	Double
Bathroom		Shared bathroom with roommates		
Fees (3W)		[Single] KRW 831,400 (approx. USD 550)	[Double] KRW 516,000 (approx. USD 340)	[Double] KRW 516,000 (approx. USD 340)
Fees (4W)		[Single] KRW 1,172,000 (approx. USD 780)	[Double] KRW 719,600 (approx. USD 480)	[Double] KRW 719,600 (approx. USD 480)
Room Facilities	Refrigerator	Each floor	On the 1 st floor	X
	Air Conditioning and Heating	Available during the designated period set by KU (Central cooling and heating system)		
	Internet	LAN connection (LAN cable not included) in room, Free school Wi-Fi in each room		
Building Facilities	**Laundry Room	O	O	O
	Security Post	O	O	O
	Seminar Room	O	O	X
	Study Room	O	X	O
	Kitchenette	Each floor	On the 1 st floor	X
	Cafeteria	O	O	X
	Fitness Room	O	X	X
	Lounge	O	X	X
	Etc.	YBM Lounge, Music Practice Room, Prayer Room	Mail Room, Parking Lot	Auditorium
Opening year		2005	2020	2011
Exterior of the building				
Interior of the room				

*Laundry Room: 1,200 KRW per one use (costs covered by students)

※ Students can sign up for the sports gym membership in Hwajeong Tiger Dome which is near CJ I-House (KRW 40,000/month)

Off-Campus Accommodation Information

Due to the high demand for on-campus housing, it may not be possible to accommodate all participants in our on-campus dormitories. To assist students in finding suitable alternatives, we provide off-campus housing information as below.

Accommodation Type	Description	Link
Airbnb	A flexible option for short-term stays in a fully furnished space. Look for places near Subway Line 6 or 2 for convenient campus access.	https://www.airbnb.co.kr/
Gosiwon / Gositel	A tiny, self-contained furnished room with a shared kitchen and laundry. Very common around campus and highly affordable.	https://goshipages.com/ko
Share House	A private room with shared common areas like a living room and kitchen. More spacious and social than a Gosiwon.	https://www.staykorea.org/
EnkorStay	A housing platform tailored for international students, focusing on affordable stays in fully furnished rooms managed by verified local hosts.	https://stay.enko.kr/ko
Accomo Hoegi	Located in Hoegi-dong, Dongdaemun-gu (30 min walk / 20 min by bus from KU). Fully furnished loft-style rooms for 1–2 persons with no deposit. English support available.	https://accomo.byhomes.kr/hoegi

Essential Checklist Before Signing

- Confirm all furniture and appliance options included.
- Check what's included in the monthly rent (utilities, internet, etc.).
- Ask about laundry facilities (in-room, communal, cost).
- Clarify any separate monthly maintenance fees.
- Understand the rules for kitchen use and garbage disposal.
- Inquire about bathroom facilities (private vs. shared).

Disclaimer

The following information is provided for your convenience. Korea University is not affiliated with any of these external providers and is not responsible for any issues or contracts between students and housing operators.