

Regulations on Scholarship Provision for International Students

Enactment: April 25, 2025

Revisions: June 4, 2025

November 17, 2025

April 17, 2026

Article 1 (Purpose)

These regulations aim to define detailed criteria for awarding scholarships to international students, in accordance with the “Scholarship Implementation Guidelines” and Article 5, Clause 3, Item 2 (d) of the “International Exchange Center Regulations.”

Article 2 (Eligibility)

These scholarships are intended for newly admitted, transfer, and enrolled students in regular degree programs at this university whose parents are both foreign nationals, in accordance with Article 12 of the Academic Regulations.

Article 3 (Selection and Awarding of Scholarships)

For new students: Selection is made after review by the International Student Admission Committee and final approval by the President.

For enrolled students: Selection is conducted by the relevant scholarship department for each degree program, reviewed by the committee, and finalized with the President’s approval.

Article 4 (Principles of Scholarship Awarding)

- ① For new/transfer students, tuition fees and dormitory fees may be covered through scholarships based on sister university agreements, exchange agreements, or special recommendations.
- ② For enrolled students, scholarships are awarded differentially based on academic performance, Korean language ability, and overall campus life evaluation.

Article 5 (Scholarship Categories and Criteria)

Scholarship categories and criteria are specified in Appendix 1.

Supplementary Provisions

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These Regulations shall enter into force on April 25, 2025, and shall apply to newly admitted and transfer international students (whose parents are both foreign nationals) from the second semester of the 2025 academic year. Provided, however, that for undergraduate programs only, these Regulations shall also apply to enrolled students from the first semester of the 2025 academic year.

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Article 1 (Effective Date)

These Regulations shall enter into force on April 17, 2026. They shall apply to international students enrolled in degree programs who were admitted under the “Special Admission Track for International Students with Both Parents Being Foreign Nationals” and who are enrolled as of the effective date. The scope of application shall be as set forth in the table below.

Category	Korean Track (Undergrad)	English/Bilingual Track	Graduate
Students admitted in or before 2026 Spring	Original criteria	Revised criteria	Revised criteria
Students admitted in or after 2026 Fall	Revised criteria	Revised criteria	Revised criteria

※ Provided, however, that for graduate students enrolled in the Korean Track who were admitted in the Fall 2025 or Spring 2026 semesters, if the scholarship amount is reduced due to the revision of these regulations, the scholarship criteria in effect at the time of admission shall continue to apply.

※ However, if such students obtain a TOPIK score after April 17, 2026, the revised scholarship criteria shall apply.

[Appendix 1] Scholarship Award Criteria for International Students

Freshman / Transfer Students (First Semester)	1. Scholarship Criteria for the First Semester for Students Admitted through the Special Admission Track for International Students				
	Category	Detailed Category		Tuition Scholarship (%)	
	Undergraduate Freshman / Transfer	Korean Track (TOPIK)	TOPIK 6		100%
			TOPIK 5		80%
			TOPIK 4		60%
			TOPIK 3		40%
			TOPIK 2		20%
		English Track	TOEFL iBT 5.0	IELTS 7.5 above	50%
			TOEFL iBT 4.5	IELTS 6.5~7.0	40%
			TOEFL iBT 3.5	IELTS 5.5~6.0	30%
	Bilingual Track	20%			
	※ Individuals who have completed a program of at least one year at the Korean Language Education Center of Pyeongtaek University, or who have completed at least one year of study at Pyeongtaek University or have graduated from Pyeongtaek University			additional 10% scholarship	
	※ Scholarship recipients recommended by the King Sejong Institute Foundation			50%	
	Graduate Freshman / Transfer (Master's / Doctoral)	Korean Track (TOPIK)	TOPIK 6		100%
			TOPIK 5		80%
TOPIK 4			60%		
TOPIK 3			40%		
TOPIK 2			20%		
English Track		TOEFL iBT 5.0	IELTS 7.5 above	60%	
		TOEFL iBT 4.5	IELTS 6.5~7.0	50%	
		TOEFL iBT 3.5	IELTS 5.5~6.0	40%	
Bilingual Track	20%				
※ Individuals who have completed a program of at least one year at the Korean Language Education Center of Pyeongtaek University, or who have completed at least one year of study at Pyeongtaek University or have graduated from Pyeongtaek University.			Admission fee waiver + 10% additional scholarship		
※ Scholarship recipients recommended by the King Sejong Institute Foundation			50%		
※ Official language test scores shall be recognized only within the validity period indicated on the score report as of the application deadline. If the validity period has expired, a valid official language test score must be submitted.					
※ Korean Track: Korean language proficiency shall be recognized not only based on TOPIK but also in accordance with the standards set forth in the "Guidelines for Standard Administrative Procedures for International Students and Language Trainees."					
※ English Track: Scholarships shall be awarded based on TOEFL iBT, IELTS, or equivalent officially recognized English proficiency test scores.					
※ The amount of scholarship awarded shall not exceed the total tuition fee.					
Undergraduate Current Students (Korean Track)	2. For Undergraduate Current Students (Korean Track) ※ From the second semester onward, scholarships shall be awarded on a differential basis in accordance with the criteria set forth below, taking into account GPA, TOPIK scores, and other relevant factors. 가. Evaluation Table				

Category	Criteria	Points	Note
Score	Previous semester GPA 0.0~ below 2.0	0Point	
	Previous semester GPA 2.0~ below 3.0	10Points	
	Previous semester GPA 3.0~ below 4.0	20Points	
	Current semester GPA 4.0 or above	30Points	
Language Proficiency	TOPIK 4 or above	40Points	
	TOPIK 3	30Points	
	Participation in Korean Language programs	10Points	Only applicable to holders below TOPIK 3
	Without TOPIK 3 or above	10Points	
Insurance Enrollment	Enrollment	10Points	
Compulsory Education	Completion of the Korean Law and Regulations Education	10Points	
Student Meeting	Upon attending the international student meeting	10Points	

ㄴ. Scholarship Criteria (for students admitted in or before Spring 2026)

Total Score Classification	Tuition Scholarship (%)
Academic probation	0%
60 ~ less than 70	10%
70 ~ less than 80	20%
80 ~ less than 90	40%
90 ~ less than 100	60%

ㄷ. Scholarship Criteria (for students admitted from Fall 2026 onward)

Total Score Classification	Tuition Scholarship (%)
Academic probation	0%
Less than 70	30%
70 ~ less than 90	40%
Above 90	50%

※ Scholarship recipients recommended by the King Sejong Institute Foundation shall receive the same scholarship benefits at the time of admission.

※ Korean language proficiency shall be recognized not only based on TOPIK but also in accordance with the standards set forth in the Guidelines for Standard Administrative Procedures for International Students and Language Trainees.

3. For Undergraduate Current Students (English Track)

※ From the second semester onward, scholarships shall be awarded on a differential basis in accordance with the criteria set forth below, taking into account GPA, English proficiency, and other relevant factors.

ㄱ. Evaluation Table

Category	Criteria	Points
Score GPA (Max 40 points)	Previous semester GPA 0.0~ below 1.5	0Points
	Previous semester GPA 1.5~ below 2.0	10Points
	Previous semester GPA 2.0~ below 3.0	20Points
	Previous semester GPA 3.0~ below 4.0	30Points
	Current semester GPA 4.0 or above	40Points
Language Proficiency (Max 30 points)	TOPIK 3 or Above	30Points
	TOEFL iBT 3.5Points, IELTS 5.5 above	20Points
	Participation in Korean Language programs	10Points
Insurance Enrollment	Enrollment	10Points
Compulsory Education	Completion of the Korean Law and Regulations Education	10Points
Student Meeting	Upon attending the international student meeting	10Points

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※ Scholarships shall be awarded based on TOEFL iBT, IELTS, or other equivalent officially recognized English proficiency test scores.

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Academic probation	0%
Less than 70	30%
70 ~ less than 90	40%
Above 90	50%

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Category	Criteria	Points	Remarks
Score	Previous semester GPA 1.0~ below 2.0	0Points	
	Previous semester GPA 2.0~ below 3.0	10Points	
	Previous semester GPA 3.0~ below 4.0	20Points	
	Current semester GPA 4.0 or above	30Points	
Language Proficiency	Participation in Korean Language programs	40Points	
Insurance Enrollment	Enrollment	10Points	
Compulsory Education	Completion of the Korean Law and Regulations Education	10Points	
Student Meeting	Upon attending the international student meeting	10Points	

나. Scholarship Criteria

Total Score Classification	Tuition Scholarship (%)
Academic Probation	0%
60 Below	10%
60 Above	20%

Graduate Current Students (Korean Track)

5. For Graduate Current Students (Korean Track)

Category	Detailed Category	Tuition Scholarship (%)
Enrolled Graduate Students (Korean Track)	TOPIK 6	60%
	TOPIK 4~TOPIK 5	50%
	TOPIK 3 or below	40%
※ Scholarship recipients recommended by the King Sejong Institute Foundation		50%

※ A special scholarship of KRW 100,000 per semester shall be awarded only to students who have participated in the international student support program at least twice per semester.

※ Korean language proficiency shall be recognized not only based on TOPIK but also in accordance with the standards set forth in the Guidelines for Standard Administrative Procedures for International Students and Language Trainees.

Graduate Current Students (English Track)

6. For Graduate Current Students (English Track)

Category	Detailed Category		Tuition Scholarship (%)
Graduate Current Students (English Track)	TOEFL iBT 5.0	IELTS 7.5 above	60%
	TOEFL iBT 4.5	IELTS 6.5~7.0	50%
	TOEFL iBT 3.5	IELTS 5.5~6.0	40%

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Graduate Current Students (Bilingual Track)	Previous semester GPA: below 3.0	0%							
	Previous semester GPA: 3.0 or above	10%							
Remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ※ For enrolled undergraduate and graduate students only, in cases deemed necessary by the Director of the International Exchange Center, an emergency support scholarship of up to KRW 300,000 per instance may be awarded with the approval of the President. In such cases, the scholarship shall be disbursed in consultation with the relevant department(s). 								

※ The converted scores for officially recognized language proficiency tests shall be determined with reference to [Appendix 2] (Score Conversion Table for Official Language Proficiency Tests).

[Appendix 2] Score Conversion Table for Official Language Proficiency Tests

가. Korean proficiency						
TOPIK (Including TOPIK iBT)	Sejong Korean Language	Korea Immigration & Integration Program (KIIP)				
TOPIK 2	Beginner 2	Completion of Level1 or pre-assessment score of 21points or higher.				
TOPIK 3	Intermediate 1	Completion of Level2 or pre-assessment score of 41points or higher.				
TOPIK 4	Intermediate 2	Completion of Level or pre-assessment score of 61points or higher.				
TOPIK 5	Advanced 1	Completion of Level4 or pre-assessment score of 81points or higher.				
TOPIK 6	Advanced 2	Level 5				
나. English proficiency						
TOEFL	CBT	iBT	IELTS	CEFR	TEPS	NEWTEPS
530	197	3.5 (Previous 71)	5.5	B2	600	202
556	217	4.0 (Previous 80)	6.0	B2	619	336
583	237	4.5 (Previous 90)	6.5	C1	700	386
600	250	5.0 (Previous 100)	7.5	C1	753	420
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ※ The above table constitutes a score conversion table for language proficiency tests recognized under the Guidelines for Standard Administrative Procedures for International Students and Language Trainees (Ministry of Education) and the Guidelines for Visa Issuance and Stay Management for International Students (Ministry of Justice). In the event of any amendments to the relevant guidelines, scholarships may be awarded in accordance with the revised provisions. ※ (TOEFL iBT) For tests taken on or before January 20, 2026, a minimum score of 71 (under the previous scoring system) shall apply, and such scores shall remain valid until January 20, 2028, in accordance with the two-year validity period. For tests taken on or after January 21, 2026, a minimum score of 3.5 shall be applied as the standard. 						