



**Ritsumeikan University**  
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立命館大学 衣笠国際教育センター

**INFORMATION SHEET FOR RITSUMEIKAN UNIVERSITY**  
**SKP (STUDY IN KANSAI PROGRAM)**

**General Information**

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**SKP Information**

Program Website	<a href="http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/">http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/</a>
Study Track Comparison	<a href="http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/academics/track-comparison/">http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/academics/track-comparison/</a>
Student Level	Undergraduate or graduate level



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Duration of Exchange	Half-year (1 semester) or Full-year (2 semesters)
Language of Instruction	Japanese and English
Accommodation	The university will make every effort to provide housing; however, please kindly note that we cannot guarantee a place in our I-House (off-campus dormitory). <a href="http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/life-in-skp/accommodations/">http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/life-in-skp/accommodations/</a>
Estimated Living Expenses	Please refer to our website: <a href="http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/academics/scholarships/">http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/academics/scholarships/</a>
Scholarships	Students coming under an Agreement of Student Exchange are eligible for either JASSO or RUSSES scholarship. Self-sponsored students are eligible for RUSSES scholarship. <a href="http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/academics/scholarships/">http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/academics/scholarships/</a>
Airport Pick-up	Not provided

### Application Information

	2022 Fall Semester	2023 Spring Semester
Nomination Deadline	*Early April, 2022	*Late October, 2022
Application Deadline	*Mid- April, 2022	*Early November, 2022



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Procedures	Please see the following website for application information: <a href="http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/apply/howto/">http://en.ritsumei.ac.jp/skp/apply/howto/</a>
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\* Dates are subject to change.

**Note:**

- Depending on the COVID-19 situation at the time of visa issuance, there is a possibility that visa issuance may be delayed or suspended, and students may not be able to obtain visas and participate in the program. In addition, there is a possibility that students will not be able to enter the country due to the strengthening of border control measures (i.e., denial of permission to enter Japan) by the Japanese government. We recommend that students have a backup plan in case they are unable to enter the country.
- Details regarding class formats for the SKP 2022 Fall Semester (i.e., face-to-face, online, or a hybrid of face-to-face and online) will be finalized around September 2022.

**SKP Academic Calendar\*1**

	Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Arrival in Japan	*1From early September	*1From early-March
Orientation Begins	*1Early September	*1Mid-March
Start of the Semester	September 26	April 1
Program Ends	January 31 (the following year)	July 31
End of the Semester	March 31 (the following year)	September 25
Academic Transcripts Issued	After April 1 (the following year)	After September 26
Academic Transcripts Sent Out*2	Mid-April (the following year)	Early October

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- Ritsumeikan University does not issue electronic transcripts. Also, academic transcript data cannot be sent via email.
- For students whose study period is a full year, academic transcripts for the entire study period will be sent after the completion of the second semester. If a transcript is needed after completing one semester, students will need to purchase their own transcript and send it to their home universities.