

# INFORMATION SHEET HANYANG UNIVERSITY ERICA EXCHANGE PROGRAM Fall 2024

#### 1. General Information

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# 2. Important Notices

#### **Cumulative GPA Confirmation**

To consider and respect as much as our partners' diverse grading system and to meet the qualification of the Hanyang University exchange program, we would like to request a confirmation from the student's home university for the cumulative GPA. There will be a part on the nomination form to confirm that the student's cumulative GPA is over 60% based on home university grading system, and it should be confirmed by the home university coordinator in order for the student to be qualified to apply for the Hanyang exchange program.

#### **National Health Insurance**

The Korean government is mandating all long-term sojourn foreigners to be registered for the National Health Insurance (NHI) since March 2021. Exchange students will be subject to the registration after applying for the Foreign Registration Card. The monthly amount of the NHI will be **approximately 76,000 KRW** from January 2024. Please note that the individual health insurance will be still required, as the NHI will not be valid until the foreign registration card is issued, and it may not cover some unexpected matters related to international students, such as hospitalization and etc. Note those eligible for NHI Registration Exemption can apply for exemption on their own, and further information will be shared later.

#### **Korean Language Course**

There are two types of Korean Language Courses available for exchange/visiting students at Hanyang University ERICA. The Survival Korean course is provided by the Institute of International Education (IIE) exclusively for

exchange/visiting students, with the tuition fee fully covered by the Office of International Affairs (OIA). The Intensive Korean course is open to all students, not just exchange/visiting students, and requires payment of the tuition fee. Please refer to the table below for more details.

		Survival Korean	Intensive Korean	
1 semester		Max. 1 session (during semester)	Max. 1 session (during semester)	
Period	2	Max. 2 sessions (during semester)	Max. 3 sessions (during semester &	
	2 semesters		vacation)	
	Credit	3 Credits	13 Credits	
Fee Free 1,260,000 KRW  - The Korean Language course is <b>not mandatory</b> .  - We <b>do not permit</b> exchange students to enroll solely in Korean Language.		Mon&Wed or Tue&Thu	Mon-Fri	
		(6PM-8:30PM)	(9am-1pm or 2pm-6pm upon level)	
		1,260,000 KRW		
		andatory.		
		- We do not permit exchange students to enroll solely in Korean Language Courses.		
		Students must also take at least one regular course during their exchange period,		
		even if they choose to take Korean language courses.		

# 3. Important Dates

	2024 Fall	2025 Spring (Tentative)	
Online Nomination Begins			
(by Home University	April 1, 2024	October 1, 2024	
Coordinator)			
Online Nomination Deadline			
(by Home University	April 15, 2024	October 15, 2024	
Coordinator)			
Online Application Deadline	April 30, 2024	Ostobou 21, 2024	
(by Students)		October 31, 2024	
Issue of Certificate of	Early June		
Addmission(COA)	*COA issuance depends on error-free		
	document submission; delays possible	-	
	otherwise.		
Semester Dates	September 2 – December 21, 2024	March 3 – June 21, 2025	
O	Check-in: 2-3 days before the Semester Starts Check-out: Depends on the number of months students choose to live		
On-campus Dormitory			
Orientation	1-2 working days before the Semester Starts		
	Midterm exam: Mostly 7 <sup>th</sup> ~ 8 <sup>th</sup> week of Semester  Final exam: Mostly the last week of Semester		
Exam Period			
	* Each course can have a different exam period		

<sup>\*</sup> Nomination will be accepted only through Hanyang's form and email nomination will **NOT** be accepted.

<sup>\*</sup> Application instruction will be sent to the nominated students directly from Hanyang's International office.

## 4. Nomination & Application Process

# IMPORTANT NOTICE

Course registration system in Hanyang University works on "first-come, first-served" basis. Students must be aware that it may be very difficult to register for some courses and their preferred choices of courses are **NOT GUARANTEED**. We ask exchange students to be flexible with their course preferences. If students have any essential courses required for graduation, we suggest them to take it at their home university.

Colleges/ Dept./ Division Please refer to available colleges and departments for Fall 2024 in the following link (https://url.kr/7gmv1s).

\* As the Office of Graduate School is only in Seoul campus, all exchange & visiting students (regardless of your level of study in your home university) coming to ERICA are enrolled on the 4th grade at undergraduate level. But Graduate students will have no problem in registering and taking either undergraduate or graduate courses at ERICA. You will be informed regarding this later.

- 1) Must be officially nominated by home institution through Hanyang's online system
- 2) Must completed at least one (1) semester by the time of nomination
- 3) Minimum Cumulative GPA must be over 60% in home university grading system

Please refer to below examples.

Grading Scale		Minimum Requirement	
Lowest	Highest	Wilnimum Requirement	
0	4.5	2.7	
0	4.0	2.4	
0	100	60	
0	20	12	
0	10	6	
5	1	2.6	
6	1	3	

#### Qualification

#### 4) Language Proficiency (Korean or English)

Language	Required Minimum Level		
Korean	TOPIK Level 3		
English	CEFR B2 (IELTS 5.5, TOEIC 785, IBT 72, ITP 543, Duolingo 90 etc.)		

<sup>\*</sup> Exception: Korean Citizenship holders or Students studying at a university in following Countries: US, Canada (except Quebec), UK, Australia, Ireland, New Zealand

\*\* Student who cannot meet above requirements can alternatively participate in the **Visiting Student Program** (tuition-paying program). Visiting Students are not counted towards the mobility balance. Detailed information can be found at our webpage (Click).

Only officially nominated students will receive the application instructions directly from the Hanyang International Office. The documents below must be uploaded in\_English or with an English translation.

\*\*Please use Microsoft Edge or Chrome only. Other browsers such as Firefox, Safari, or Opera may not be compatible. \*\*

# Required Documents

(For students

with OECD

nationalities)

1) Color ID Photo	✓ Colored copy, Face only, JPEG format, 20KB or less		
	✓ Valid for at least <mark>6 months</mark> beyond the end date of		
2) Passport	the program. (e.g., Fall 2024 applicants should		
	submit a passport that is valid until June 21, 2025).		
	✓ English Version with University logo and stamp		
3) Official Academic Transcript	✓ Must show all semesters completed by the		
	applicant		
4) Language Proficiency Form	https://url.kr/utn4rc		
5) Financial Affidavit	https://url.kr/yti2ub *Proof of funds is not required		
	✓ Written in English		
	✓ Indicate applicant as a beneficiary		
6) Health Insurance Certificate	✓ Valid during the entire trip in Korea		
	✓ Cover int'l travel and medical expenses in Korea		
	✓ Indicate coverage and insure amount		

Only officially nominated students will receive the application instructions directly from Hanyang International Office. Among the mandatory documents listed below, please note that documents #6, #7 MUST be submitted in hard copies by courier(post) to the address below. Documents #1 ~ #5 must be uploaded in English or with English translation.

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2) Passport	the program. (e.g., Fall 2024 applicants should	
	submit a passport that is valid until June 21, 2025).	
3) Official Academic	✓ English Version with University logo and stamp	
Transcript	✓ Must show all semesters completed by the applicant	
4) Language Proficiency Form	https://url.kr/utn4rc	
	✓ Written in English	
	✓ Indicate applicant as a beneficiary	
5) Health Insurance Certificate	✓ Valid during the entire trip in Korea	
	✓ Cover int'l travel and medical expenses in Korea	
	Indicate coverage and insure amount	
6) Financial Affidavit	https://url.kr/yti2ub *Proof of funds is required	
7) Certificate of Enrollment	✓ Verified through Apostille certification or Consular	
	authentication from the Embassy of Korea	

Required
Documents
(For students
with Non-

OECD nationalities)

#### Submission Instructions (Documents #6, #7)

- The Original copy of verified certificate of enrollment and Financial Affidavit form with the proof documents need to be submitted by post to the address below by May 15<sup>th</sup>, 23:59 KST (Wednesday):
   Office of International Affairs, Student Welfare Building 3F, 55, Hanyangdaehak-ro, Sangnok, Ansan 15588, Gyeonggi-do, Korea
- Electronic (scanned) copies of the documents need to be uploaded in the Online application system. (Document #6 in the Financial affidavit box, #7 in the Home University Certificate of Enrollment box)

#### 5. Academic Information -

#### **English Courses**

We offer around 500~600 courses in English (Major: 70%, Elective: 30%) per year over various departments. Exchange students are allowed to take courses from different departments **upon availability**. The most up-to-date course list becomes available a month prior to the beginning of semester. Until then, students should refer to the previous year's course list. (e.g. **2024 Fall semester** applicant should refer to **2023 Fall semester** course list). But note course list may differ every year. The previous English-taught course list (<a href="https://bit.ly/3TpzL6N">https://bit.ly/3TpzL6N</a>) can be found as linked.

\*We accept graduate students, but they are highly required to take undergraduate level ( $3^{rd} - 4^{th}$  year) courses, and the number of graduate courses to take can be highly limited.

#### **Credits and Study Load**

1 Hanyang University (HYU) credit consists of 15 contact hours. In most cases, the conversion to ECTS (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System) is "1 Hanyang credit equals 2 ECTS." A regular student's study load at Hanyang typically ranges from 15 to 18 credits per semester, with a maximum of 20 credits. Exchange students must enroll in at least one regular course to maintain their visa status.

#### **Course Registration**

Before coming to Korea, students will have a chance to register courses online. There are different phases for course registration categorized by their major & year and it works on "first-come, first-served" basis. The specific dates will be sent to students directly through email and uploaded to our website: Academic Calendar (as of 2024)

#### **Evaluation and Grade**

Although the evaluation method may differ based on professor's policy, attendance is always an essential part of the evaluation process. Hanyang does not have re-sit examinations so the final grade inputted into the system cannot be changed. Students can take only one P/F course in one semester and most courses will be in letter grade. Please refer to the below chart for the grade system at Hanyang.

Letter Grade	Numerical Value	Grade Point
A+	95-100	4.5
A0	90-94	4.0
B+	85-89	3.5
во	80-84	3.0
C+	75-79	2.5
CO	70-74	2.0
D+	65-69	1.5
D0	60-64	1.0
F	0-59	0.0

#### **Transcript**

To reduce paperwork and be more eco-friendly, we're now sending transcripts only electronically. Both students and home university coordinators will receive the e-transcript by the end of July. If you need the hard copy, please contact ericaincoming@hanyang.ac.kr.

\*Please note that the home universities are responsible for covering the postal service fee for hard copy transcripts.

\*Transcripts for students who study at Hanyang for two (2) semesters will be sent to the students and their home university coordinators only after the end of  $2^{nd}$  semester via email.

# 6. Campus Life

#### Housing

Students can apply for on-campus dormitories approximately two months before the semester begins. Please note that dormitory placement is not automatically guaranteed for all applying students. To secure accommodation in the on-campus dormitories, students must apply during the designated dormitory application period. Housing information is available on the website (only in Korean).

On-campus dormitory placement will NOT be guaranteed if students fail to complete the housing application or submit the housing fee payment by the deadline.

## **Buddy Program**

Buddies are current Hanyang students who volunteer to support new students for their smooth settlement and adjustment into the life and culture in Korea. Representing Korea as a cultural delegation, buddies will interact with new exchange/visiting students throughout the semester and provide them assistance in various areas.

# Cost of Living (estimate) per month

Housing	Food	Personal Expenses	Total
Dorm: 300,000 KRW	400,000 KRW	3E0 000 KDM	950,000~1,100,000 KRW
Off-campus: Above 450,000 KRW		250,000 KRW	

<sup>\*</sup> Application instructions will be shared before the semester starts.