

Number of Undergraduate Students: 2760

[Target Faculties: Faculty of Foreign Languages *(430), Faculty of Science (80), Faculty of Computer Science(135)]
Faculty of Life Sciences(115)]

1. Objectives, Specific Image of the Ideal Global Human Resource

Japan's decline in global competitiveness has not only been spurred on by the trend of our young people becoming more introverted but also by the nation's distancing from the sciences and mathematics. For this reason, we aim to raise young men and women who will be active scientific industrialists in a global society.

2. Summary of the Plan

The university's founding principles and our distinctive characteristic of being a centralized comprehensive university enable us to plan a curriculum through collaboration by three science faculties and the Faculty of Foreign Languages.

In the name of target faculties, marked *shows representing faculty.

1. Internationalization of the Curriculum:

- (I) Four-tiered English advancement program with the increased number of required credits.
- (II) Classes offered by the University's Institute of Japanese Culture and the Institute of World Affairs.

(III) Globalized education system (Global Japan Program)

2. Efforts to Cultivate Global Human Resources:

- (I) Curriculum designed by inter-faculty collaboration.
- (II) Tuition fee waiver for administrative staff entering KSU's graduate school as a measure to raise problem-detecting and problem-solving skills.



〈GJP Class Scene〉

3. Improvement of Foreign Language Competencies:

- (I) Increase in the number of classes taught in foreign languages.
- (II) Regular TOEIC testing to all students.

4. Faculty Development for Global Education:

- (I) Team teaching and collaborative curriculum design between participating faculties.
- (II) Increase in the number of foreign teaching staff.

5. Support System to Promote Study Abroad:

- (I) Short-term study abroad will be an option to fulfill elective requirements in our newly established Global Science Course and compulsory in our Global Career Course.
- (II) 150,000yen scholarship for all students on long-term study abroad programs.
- (III) Increased job hunting support for students while studying abroad and after returning to Japan.

Specific Competencies for Graduates

Graduates are expected to display academic skills grounded in the university's founding principles; "Knowledge", "General Purpose Skills" and "Attitude & Intention". As for "Knowledge", graduates will possess a broad and rich knowledge of humanity, culture, society and nature; a working knowledge of human, social and natural-sciences; knowledge from interdisciplinary fields and fundamental knowledge for engaging in work as an adult member of society. As for "General Purpose Skills", they will have attained skills in basic academic methods, logical thinking and decision making; developed an ability to propose problem solving solutions and to create new products; be able to adequately express their ideas and communicate effectively in an international setting. As for "Attitude & Intention", graduates will possess a deep understanding of Japanese culture; have a spirit for contributing to the peace and well-being of humanity; hold an ability to think for themselves and act accordingly; have a volition to perform their social responsibilities and have a respect and love for life.

Indicative Outputs of the Project

Total		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Number of students who meet requirements for foreign language proficiency				37	55	72	95
Of the above, Number of students not to study abroad (A)				37	55	72	95
Number of students studying abroad (b)		209	238	257	282	325	359
Number of graduates (C)		621	759	826	795	837	837
Ratio ((A+B)/C)				35.6%	42.4%	47.4%	54.2%
Faculty of Foreign Languages	Requirement for Foreign Language Proficiency	TOEIC730		15(15)	25(25)	35(35)	50(50)
	Number of Students Studying Abroad	206	235	245	269	309	343
	Less than 3 months	113	116	121	133	160	180
	3 months to 1 year	93	119	124	136	149	163
	More than 1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number of graduates		439	472	491	460	460	460
Faculty of Science	Requirement for Foreign Language Proficiency	TOEIC600		5(5)	7(7)	8(8)	11(11)
	Number of Students Studying Abroad	2	1	3	3	4	4
	Less than 3 months	2	1	2	2	3	3
	3 months to 1 year	0	0	1	1	1	1
	More than 1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number of graduates		90	121	99	81	104	104
Faculty of Computer Science and Engineering	Requirement for Foreign Language Proficiency	TOEIC600		7(7)	9(9)	12(12)	14(14)
	Number of Students Studying Abroad	1	2	4	4	5	5
	Less than 3 months	1	2	3	3	4	4
	3 months to 1 year	0	0	1	1	1	1
	More than 1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number of graduates		92	166	120	141	138	138
Faculty of Life Sciences	Requirement for Foreign Language Proficiency	TOEIC645		10(10)	14(14)	17(17)	20(20)
	Number of Students Studying Abroad	0	0	5	6	7	7
	Less than 3 months	0	0	4	5	6	6
	3 months to 1 year	0	0	1	1	1	1
	More than 1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number of graduates		0	0	116	113	135	135

Note: *1 The number in "()" indicates "Number of students not to study abroad with credit recognition or credit transfer" out of "Number of students who meet requirements for foreign language proficiency".

*2 "Number of students studying abroad" excludes the number of students studying abroad without credit recognition or credit transfer.