

GWANGJU UNIVERSITY
2026 ADMISSION GUIDELINE
FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS



광주대학교
GWANGJU UNIVERSITY

1 Admission Units

2026 Freshman Admission

College	Department/Division	Korean Track	English Track	Tution (KRW)
College of Health Welfare	Health Administration	○		3,173,000
	Social Welfare	○		3,173,000
	Food Science and Nutrition	○		3,736,000
	Paramedicine	○		3,736,000
	Pet Health Industry	○		3,736,000
College of Culture Industry	Sport Science	○		3,736,000
	Taekwondo	○		3,736,000
	Visual & Media Design	○		3,736,000
	Industrial Design	○		3,736,000
	Interior Design	○		3,736,000
	Fashion and Jewelry	○		3,736,000
	Beauty Science	○		3,736,000
	Photography, Image and Media	○		3,736,000
	Creative Writing	○		3,173,000
	Airline Service	○		3,173,000
	Hotel Culinary & Baking Arts	○		3,736,000
College of Humanities & Social Sciences	Youth Counseling & Lifelong Education	○		3,173,000
	Psychology	○		3,736,000
	Police Administration	○		3,173,000
	Fire Administration	○		3,173,000
	Library & Information Sciences	○		3,173,000
	Business Administration	○	○	3,173,000
	Accounting and Tax	○		3,173,000
	Trade & Distribution	○		3,173,000
	Urban · Real Estate	○		3,173,000
College of Engineering	Architecture(5-year program)	○		3,736,000
	Architectural Engineering(4-year program)	○		3,736,000
	Computer Engineering	○	○	3,736,000
	Electrical Engineering	○		3,736,000
	Civil Engineering	○		3,736,000
	Mechanical & Automotive Engineering	○		3,736,000
College of Entrepreneurship	Global Contents	○		3,173,000

2026 Transfer Admission

College	Department/Division	Korean Track		Chinese Track		Tuition (KRW)
		3 rd Year	4 th Year	3 rd Year	4 th Year	
College of Health Welfare	Social Welfare	○	○			3,173,000
	Speech-Language Therapy	○	○			3,736,000
	Food Science and Nutrition	○	○			3,736,000
	Health Administration	○	○			3,173,000
	Paramedicine	○	○			3,173,000
College of Culture Industry	Sport Science	○	○			3,736,000
	Visual & Media Design	○	○	○	○	3,736,000
	Industrial Design	○	○			3,736,000
	Interior Design	○	○			3,736,000
	Fashion & Jewelry Design	○	○			3,736,000
	Beauty Science	○	○	○	○	3,736,000
	Photography & Image	○	○			3,736,000
	Creative Writing	○	○			3,173,000
	Hotel & Tourism Business Management	○	○			3,173,000
	Airline Service	○	○	○	○	3,173,000
	Hotel & Food Service Culinary Arts	○	○			3,736,000
College of Humanities & Social Sciences	Youth Counseling & Lifelong Education	○	○	○	○	3,173,000
	Child Development and Education	○	○			3,173,000
	Korean Education	○	○			3,173,000
	Psychology	○	○			3,736,000
	Police Science	○	○			3,173,000
	Fire Administration	○	○			3,173,000
	Cyber Security & Police	○	○			3,173,000
	Library & Information Sciences	○	○			3,173,000
	Business Administration	○	○	○	○	3,173,000
	Accounting and Tax	○	○			3,173,000
	Trade & Distribution	○	○	○	○	3,173,000
	Urban · Real Estate	○	○			3,173,000
College of Engineering	Architecture	○	○			3,736,000
	Computer Engineering	○	○	○	○	3,736,000
	AI Software	○	○			3,736,000
	Electrical Engineering	○	○			3,736,000
	Civil Engineering	○	○			3,736,000
	Mechanical & Automotive Engineering	○	○	○	○	3,736,000

* Based on the 2025 academic year tuition rate

2 Application Schedule

Round	Application Period	Submission of Documents	Result Announcement	Tuition Payment
1	2026 Spring Semester(March)	December 1 - December 10, 2025	Dec 24, 2025	January 19 – January 23, 2026
2	2026 Spring Semester(March)	December 22 - December 31, 2025	Jan 16, 2026	January 19 – January 23, 2026
3	2026 Fall Semester (September)	June 1 - June 10, 2026	June 24, 2026	July 20 – July 24, 2026
4	2026 Fall Semester (September)	June 22 – July 1, 2026	July 15, 2026	July 20 – July 24, 2026

3 Evaluation

Type	Document Screening	Remarks
Freshman Transfer	100%	Comprehensive evaluation of academic ability, language proficiency, etc.

4 Eligibility

All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants whose both parents are non-Korean nationals - Dual nationals and stateless persons are not recognized as foreign applicants
Freshman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants who completed(or are expected to complete) primary and secondary education equivalent to Korean schooling
Transfer (2nd year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants who have completed(or are expected to complete) at least one year at a 4-year accredited university in Korea or abroad
Transfer (3rd year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants who have completed(or are expected to complete) at least two years at a 4-year accredited university in Korea or abroad, or who have graduated(or are expected to graduate) from a junior college
Transfer (4th year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants who have completed(or are expected to complete) at least three years at a 4-year accredited university in Korea or abroad - Applicants who have graduated(or are expected to graduate) from a 3-year junior college program in Korea or abroad in a related field of study

5 Language Proficiency

Freshman	Korean Track	- TOPIK Level 3 or higher, or an equivalent qualification (Level 2 or higher for Arts and Physical Education majors)
	English Track	- TOEFL iBT 59, IELTS 5.5, CEFR B2, TEPS 600, NEW TEPS 202, or equivalent qualification
Transfer	Korean Track	- TOPIK Level 3 or higher, or an equivalent qualification (Level 2 or higher for Arts and Physical Education majors)
	Chinese Track	- No language proficiency requirement (Must complete 200 hours of Korean language training after admission)
Graduation	Korean Track	- TOPIK Level 4 or higher, or GU TOPIK Level 4 or higher (Level 3 or higher for Arts and Physical Education majors)
	Chinese Track	- TOPIK Level 4 or higher, or GU TOPIK Level 4 or higher (Level 3 or higher for Arts and Physical Education majors)

6 Required Documents

Documents	Note
- Application forms(GU format)	- Including study plan, self-introduction, financial affidavit for study, consent form for collection, use, and provision of personal information
- Copy of passport and two passport-sized photos	
- Copy of applicant's and parents' ID cards	
- Certificate of family relationship	- English version of the Certificate of Family Relationship
- Alien Registration Card in Korea	- if applicable
- Certificate of graduation and academic transcript from the most recently attended school * Freshman: high school diploma and academic transcript * Transfer: certificate of degree(or certificate of completion) from a junior college or higher, and academic transcript	- Verification of Academic Credentials * Original Apostille or Consular Authentication issued by the Korean Embassy/Consulate * Academic Credential Verification Report(if applicable)
- Financial Guarantee Documents	- KRW 16,000,000
- Certificate of Employment and Income Statement of the applicant's parents	
- Certificate of TOPIK or English proficiency test score	

※ Documents not in Korean or English must be accompanied by an official Korean or English translation.

7 Student Support

Scholarships

Category	Level	Scholarship	구분	등급	Scholarship
Korean Track Chinese Track	TOPIK Level 3	40% waiver	English Track	IELTS 5.5, TOEFL(PBT 530, IBT 80, CBT 210) TEPS 600 (NEW TEPS 330)	50% waiver
	TOPIK Level 4	55% waiver			
	TOPIK Level 5	60% waiver			
	TOPIK Level 6	65% waiver			

※ Awarded once in the first semester of admission

※ Only TOPIK scores valid within 2 years of the tuition invoice date will be accepted

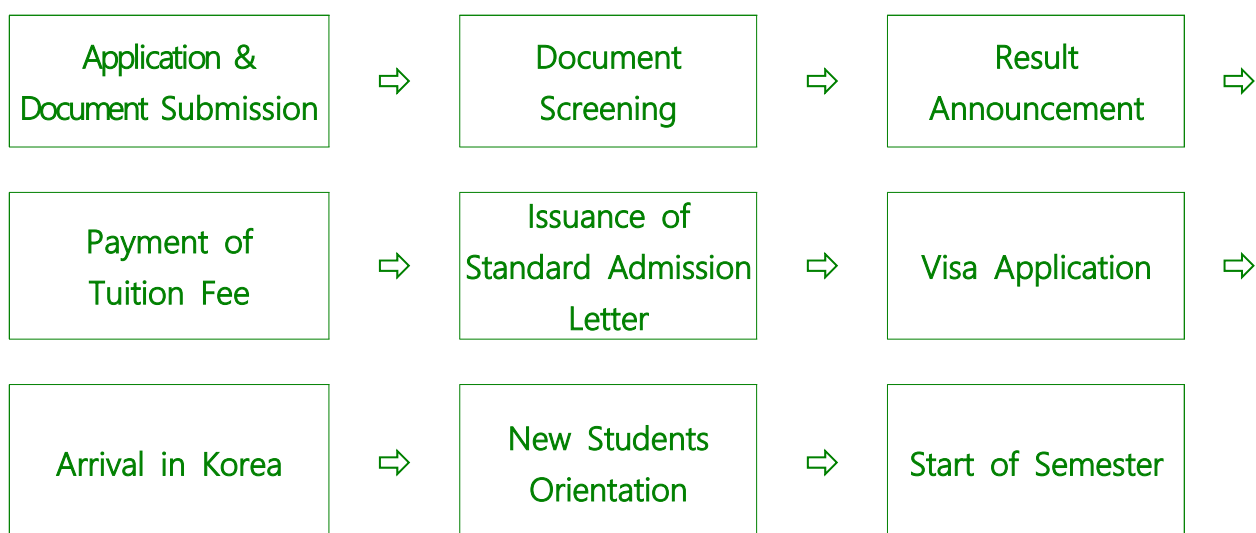
Dormitory

Room	Period	Fee(KRW)	Meals	Period	Fee(KRW)
4-person	March 1 - August 31	889,200	3 meals	March 1 - June 19	1,549,800
3-person		1,087,200	2 meals		1,033,200
2-person		1,269,000	1 meals		516,600

Insurance

※ Mandatory enrollment in the National Health Insurance (approx. KRW 130,000/month, paid by the student)

8 Admission Process



9 Additional Information

1. Applicants are not allowed to apply for more than one department or division.
2. Admission will be revoked if any falsified documents or fraudulent methods are found.
3. Freshman students are not permitted to take a leave of absence in their first semester.
4. Admitted students must pay the tuition fee within the designated period; failure to do so may result in cancellation of admission.
5. All students are required to enroll in the National Health Insurance of Korea.
6. Tuition and scholarships are subject to the university's regulations.



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