

APRU Virtual Student Exchange Program (VSE)
Application Guidelines for Kyushu University Students

Join online courses from top global universities, connect with students from around the world, and strengthen your English and academic skills! VSE Program is open to all undergraduate students. **No tuition fees required.** Join from anywhere and expand your global experience—**apply now!**

Benefits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earn academic credits from prestigious universities in the Pacific Rim region • Improve your English and communication skills • Develop cross-cultural understanding for future study abroad experiences • Build connections with students from around the world
Duration	<p>The program is divided into three seasons throughout the year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Season 1: offers regular-term courses with starting dates from July to December ➤ Season 2: offers regular-term courses with starting dates from January to June ➤ Season 3: offers intensive, short-term courses between May and August
Types of Programs	<p>(1) Academic Courses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular online courses offered by APRU member universities • Earn academic credits (depending on the course) <p>(2) Language Courses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language training programs designed for students planning to study abroad • Receive credits and certificates of completion (depending on the course)
Eligibility	<p>1. Undergraduate students currently enrolled in a regular degree program at Kyushu University.</p> <p>2. Students must meet the specific requirements set by each participating university and course.</p> <p>*Please note: Each university and course may have its own eligibility requirements, such as academic performance or English language proficiency. Before applying, please carefully confirm that you meet the specific requirements of the course you wish to take.</p>
Fees	<p>(1) Academic Courses: Free of charge (offered as part of an exchange program).</p> <p>(2) Language Courses: Fees vary depending on the course.</p> <p>Some courses may require extra fees for materials. These costs must be covered by the participant.</p>
Credit Transfer	<p>Credit transfer policies vary by faculty or department. Before applying, please consult with your academic advisor and the relevant student affairs office to confirm whether credits earned through the program can be transferred.</p>
Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please refer to the official APRU VSE website for course details. • Each student may take up to two courses per season.
Registration	<p>Please refer to the following page!</p>

Inquiries: VSE Coordinator at Kyushu University
 Email: ku_vse@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp

VSE Course Registration Procedures at Kyushu University

1. Before You Apply

Step 1: Choose Your Courses

Visit the [APRU VSE website](#) to browse available courses.

Step 2: Consult Your Academic Advisor

Inform your academic advisor about your interest in taking a VSE course and obtain their prior approval.

Step 3: Contact Your Department Office

If you want to transfer credits to Kyushu University, confirm the necessary procedures with your department.

2. Course Registration – Two Applications Required!

You must complete **both A and B** by the deadline set by the course-offering university. If either is missing, your application will be invalid.

A) Apply to APRU VSE

- Check course requirements on the VSE website
- Submit your application online following the instructions
- Upload an official transcript (in English); language test scores may also be required

B) Apply to Kyushu University

- Submit the “VSE Course Enrollment Application Form” here: <https://forms.office.com/r/wa3cX954xL>

3. Application Confirmation

- You will receive a confirmation email from the APRU VSE Office.
- Forward this email to the Kyushu University VSE Coordinator: ku_vse@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp
Without this email, your application will not be officially recognized.

4. Application Results

- You will receive an email from the APRU VSE Office with your application result.
- If accepted, follow the further instructions from the course-offering university.

5. After Completing the Course

- Your grades will be sent by the course-offering university.
- To transfer credits, follow your department's instructions.
- Complete the Kyushu University survey within two weeks: <https://forms.office.com/r/EC628jV5rV>

If You Need to Withdraw

If you must withdraw after being accepted for your course registration due to unavoidable reasons, contact the Kyushu University VSE Coordinator by email.