

## **2024 Korean Government Scholarship Program (KGSP) for International Students**

Global Korea Scholarship is designed to provide international students with opportunities to study at higher educational institutions in Korea in pursuit of academic degrees, which will enhance international education exchange and deepen mutual friendship between Korea and participating countries.

Award Value	<p><b>The scholarship benefits include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Airfare</li> <li>- Tuition</li> <li>- Korean Language Training Fee</li> <li>- Study Incentive (All-inclusive subsidy of Settlement Allowance, Monthly Allowance, Research Allowance, Korean Proficiency Grants, TOPIK Application Fee, Degree Completion Grants, Medical Insurance, and Publication Printing Fee )</li> </ul>
Eligibility	<p><b>A) <u>Nationality</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All applicants must hold citizenship of NIIED designated countries that are invited to take part in the GKS program             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Applicants’ parents (or legal guardians) must hold citizenship from another country other than Korea. If applicants or their parent hold dual citizenship (one who has both Korean citizenship and citizenship of another country), such applicants are NOT eligible to apply</li> <li>➤ Applicants and their parents who had previously held Korean citizenship must submit documentation issued by the Korean government that proves their renunciation of Korean citizenship</li> <li>➤ If an applicant’s citizenship is changed during the selection process, he or she will be excluded from the evaluation. (Not applicable to R&amp;D and Global Network program)</li> </ul> </li> <li>※ For Overseas Korean applicants in an embassy track holding Japanese citizenship, if their parents hold ‘Permanent Residency Permit’ within Japan while holding Korean citizenship, they are exceptionally eligible to apply</li> <li>※ Applicants from all countries around the world can apply to R&amp;D and Global Network program</li> </ul> <p><b>B) <u>Level of Education</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants who are expected to graduate by July 31st, 2024 can also apply for the program with a certificate of expected graduation. Such applicants must submit their official graduation certificate (or diploma) and final academic transcript to GKS Center, NIIED by July 31st, 2024. Failure to do so will result in the cancellation of your acceptance</li> </ul>

	<p><b>C) <u>Grades</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of the entire curriculum from the previous degree program must meet one of the conditions below: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Score percentile should be 80% or above on a 100-point scale or be ranked in the top 20% of one's class</li> <li>CGPA must be equal to or above 2.64/4.0, 2.80/4.3, 2.91/4.5 or 3.23/5.)</li> </ol> </li> </ul> <p><b>D) <u>Age</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must be under 40 years of age (born after September 1, 1984)</li> <li>Academic professors in one of the Official Development Assistance (ODA) recipients who are under 45 years of age (born after September 1, 1979) are eligible to apply.</li> </ul> <p><b>E) <u>Health</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All applicants must be in good health, both mentally and physically, to study in Korea for the full duration of the program.</li> </ul>
Application Deadline	<b>8 March 2024 (Friday)</b>
Details	<p>Applicants should submit all required documents and <a href="#">application forms</a> to the Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in Hong Kong no later than <b>8 March 2024 (Friday)</b>.</p> <p>The interviews will be held at the Korean Consulate in due course (18~22 March 2024) with a limited number of applicants who have met the application deadline and passed through the document review. It is kindly noted that those who fail to meet one of the qualifications set forth in the Applications Guideline will be automatically disqualified.</p> <p>Please refer to the <a href="#">application guideline</a> to know more about the qualifications, required documents, forms for submission and all other necessary information.</p> <p>For further details, please visit the website at <a href="http://www.niied.go.kr/eng/main.do">http://www.niied.go.kr/eng/main.do</a> or <a href="https://www.studyinkorea.go.kr/ko/main.do">https://www.studyinkorea.go.kr/ko/main.do</a></p>
Enquiry	<p>Contact Person: Miss Christie LUK  Telephone: 852-2529-4141  Email: <a href="mailto:hkg-eco@mofa.go.kr">hkg-eco@mofa.go.kr</a>  Address: Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in Hong Kong,  5/F, Far East Finance Centre,  16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong</p>