

Japan - Kansai Gaidai University  
Estimated Budget  
AY 2023-2024

**Costs Billed to Student's ISU Account**

U.S. Dollars

	Homestay		Residence Hall	
	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring
	(billed in July, balance due first week of August for Fall term) (billed in December, balance due first week of January for Spring)			
ISU Undergraduate Tuition (2 hours based on 2021-2022 catalog year)	\$ 789.38	\$ 789.38	\$ 789.38	\$ 789.38
Study Abroad Instructional Cost: Kansai Tuition (tuition exchange waiver for accepted ISU students)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Exchange Program Fee	\$ 1,976.50	\$ 1,976.50	\$ 1,976.50	\$ 1,976.50
Study Abroad Non-Refundable Application Fee	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$300.00	\$0.00
Mandatory International Health Insurance	\$334.13	\$0.00	\$334.13	\$0.00
	<b>\$ 3,400.01</b>	<b>\$ 2,765.88</b>	<b>\$ 3,400.01</b>	<b>\$ 2,765.88</b>

**COVID Disclaimer: Please note, these cost estimates are correct at time of budget creation. Due to the unknowns of the global Coronavirus situation, costs may fluctuate with little to no notice.**

**Estimated Independent Costs Paid Directly by the Student**

Passport	\$ 165.00	\$ -	\$ 165.00	\$ -
ISU Official Transcript (required by host institution)	\$ 10.00	\$ -	\$ 10.00	\$ -
Round-Trip Airfare from O'Hare International Airport	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00
Student Visa (visa required but no fee assessed for U.S. citizens)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Kansai Gaidai Additional Fees:</b>				
General Deposit, Refundable	\$ 77.70	\$ -	\$ 77.70	\$ -
Mandatory International Student Fee	\$ 77.70	\$ -	\$ 77.70	\$ -
Mandatory Liability Insurance and Medical Assistance Fee	\$ 28.13	\$ -	\$ 28.13	\$ -
<b>Accommodation Option 1:</b>				
Homestay Accommodation (includes breakfast and dinner)	\$ 2,486.40	\$ 2,486.40		
Additional Meals (lunch)	\$ 466.20	\$ 466.20		
On-Site Transportation for Homestay options	\$ 543.90	\$ 543.90		
<b>Accommodation Option 2:</b>				
Global Commons Accommodation (double occupancy)			\$ 1,802.64	\$ 1,802.64
Meals			\$ 1,165.50	\$ 1,165.50
Refundable Security deposit (less damages)			\$ 233.10	\$ 233.10
Books	\$ 155.40	\$ 155.40	\$ 155.40	\$ 155.40
Personal Expenses (does not include travel)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
	<b>\$ 6,660.43</b>	<b>\$ 6,512.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,365.17</b>	<b>\$ 6,216.74</b>
<b>Total Estimated Cost of Program Terms</b>	<b>\$ 10,060.44</b>	<b>\$ 9,277.88</b>	<b>\$ 9,765.18</b>	<b>\$ 8,982.62</b>

**Combined Total Estimated Cost of Homestay**

**\$19,338.32**

**Combined Total Estimated Cost of Residence Hall**

**\$18,747.80**

Exchange rate: 1 Japanese Yen (JPY) = (as of 3/10/23)

Please note that this itemized budget sheet is a per term estimate accurate at the time of publication and is subject to change. The "Estimated Independent Costs Paid by Directly the Student" section is based on estimates and it addresses basic necessities and light to moderate personal expenses. Costs can fluctuate based on changes in currency exchange rates, tuition and fees increases, varying personal lifestyles, etc.

**Financial Aid:** Financial Aid may be applied to the costs of studying abroad. Students interested in receiving financial aid should contact Office of Financial Aid, Hovey Hall 101, (309) 438-2231.  
<http://financialaid.illinoisstate.edu/>

**ISU Tuition:** All students participating in an OIE-sponsored Study Abroad Program are billed for two credit hours of tuition based on the catalog year they first enrolled at ISU. For more information on your tuition rate please visit:  
<https://studentaccounts.illinoisstate.edu/billing/undergraduate-tuition/>

**OIE Study Abroad Withdrawal Policy:** Please visit:  
<https://studyabroad.illinoisstate.edu/cost/withdrawal/>

**Fall Program Dates:**

Arrival: August 19, 21, 22, 2023  
Orientation: August 23-25, 2023  
First Day of Classes: August 28, 2023  
Last Day of Classes: December 18, 2023  
Final Exam Week: December 11-15, 2023  
Last Day of the Semester: TBD  
Move Out Deadline: TBD

**Spring Program Dates:**

Arrival for new students: January 29-30, 2024  
Orientation: January 31- February 2, 2024  
First Day of Classes: February 5, 2024  
Last Day of Classes: May 24, 2024  
Final Exam Week: May 27 - 31, 2024  
Last Day of the Semester: TBD  
Move Out Deadline: TBD