

# Study Abroad @ FJCU

Fu Jen Catholic University (FJCU) is the top ranked private university in Taiwan, and is also on the THE Impact Rankings query of keywords for SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals), dedicating to improve social inclusion and environmental protection.

FJCU is the only comprehensive university under the direct authority of the Holy See among Chinese-speaking countries with outstanding academic excellence.

# Quality Education

FJCU has around 26,000 students, including 1,300 international students from over 40 countries. Comprising 12 colleges and continuing education departments, FJCU provides students with diversified learning opportunities.

The campus facilities, including full Wi-Fi coverage and self-learning spaces, help students concentrate on their studies. Students also have the opportunity to participate in various club activities, fostering connections and maintaining a balance between academic and leisure pursuits.

To give the best experience, our university provides various support services to help international students succeed at every stage of their study.

While studying at FJCU, you have the opportunity to immerse yourself in the richness of **traditional Chinese culture**, gain an in-depth understanding of Taiwan's **high-tech industry**, enjoy the beauty of Taiwan's landscape, and participate in overseas **volunteer services**.

# Application

#### Application Procedure

Study Abroad students need to apply online and submit required documents by the application deadline.



#### Upload the Documents

- Application Form
- Complete academic transcripts
- Recommendation letter from an instructor
- Certificate of Enrollment (at your home university)
- Information page from your passport
- Proof of language proficiency (exemption: English native speaker)

### Application Fee

- If you are applying from outside Taiwan, please pay an application fee of USD\$65 (non-refundable).
- Upload a scanned copy of your payment receipt to the system by the application deadline.

#### Important Dates

Semester	Application Deadline
<b>Fall</b> September - December	May 31 <sup>st</sup>
<b>Spring</b> February - June	October 31 <sup>st</sup>

## Eligibility

- Have a minimum GPA (grade point average) of 2.5 on a 4-point scale, or equivalent.
- You should be a full-time student at your home institution during the application and study period.
- Have completed at least one year of fulltime study at your home university.
- Please refer to program's individual Language Requirements.



## ► Buddy Program

The buddy program offers comprehensive assistance to international students, with current students acting as companions, providing peer support beyond administrative assistance and helping them adapt to life in Taiwan.



#### ► Free Mandarin Courses

- FJCU's Center of Chinese Language and Culture offers small-sized classes with a teacher-student ratio of 1:7 to foster close interaction and maintain teaching efficiency.
- Our high-quality faculty is capable of teaching both Hanyu Pinyin and Zhuyin (Bopomopho) to meet the individual needs of international students and enhance all aspects of Mandarin proficiency.
- FJCU offers various student support programs. There are free weekly evening Mandarin courses totaling 6 hours, as well as a one-on-one tutoring program aimed at improving language proficiency.

# Accept your Offer

- ► Apply for your Visa
  - Once your admission is approved, you can apply for a student visa using the Acceptance Letter.
- ► Health Cover
- Please submit the <u>Health Certificate for</u> <u>Residence Application</u> issued by MOHW (Taiwan) for your medical examination.
- Before arriving Taiwan, you must purchase sufficient coverage of the <u>international accident and medical</u> <u>insurance</u> from your country to cover your entire stay in Taiwan.



#### Accommodation

- You may apply for on-campus dormitory accommodation or choose to live offcampus when submitting the application form. Please refer to the FJCU Housing Website for further information.
- Living on campus makes it easy to make friends with fellow students. You'll save both money and time on transportation. Additionally, walking to classes allows you to experience the natural environment of our campus, adorned with diverse trees.

# **Experience Multiple Culture**

FJCU also organizes club activities to allow students to experience local Taiwanese culture. These activities include tea tasting, exploring Hakka and Aboriginal culture, participating in special holiday projects, and enjoying Taiwanese cuisine.

## Choose your Units

- Explore all available units, filtering by program, discipline, or faculty.
- Free to choose courses from different fields of study.
- Review pre-requisites and be confident you have the assumed knowledge before selecting the unit.
- You are required to study at the same level as your current degree.

#### Cost / Tuition Fees

In addition to high-quality education, immersive experiences of Taiwanese culture, and visits to reputable multinational corporations, participating in Study Abroad @ FJCU offers a **study package** that provides exceptional value, with a minimum cost of USD\$3,500 (+ Accommodation).

Study Load / Unit / Semester	2025 fees
4 units (12 credit points)	USD\$3,500

#### Still have questions?

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