

IUP now offers 2 degrees in 4 years !

Do you want to study overseas? Do you want to earn two bachelor's degrees in four years? Then, there is a perfect solution in our IUP (International Undergraduate Program).

IUP in the School of Agriculture at Kyushu University (KU) is currently offering a program called the Dual Degree Program in collaboration with Northern Arizona University (NAU) in the United States. It is an international academic program that allows you to earn a bachelor's degree from both KU and NAU in just four years. There is no leave of absence from KU and no additional tuition fees.

A first for Japan.

This is the first time in Japan that a national university has offered a dual degree program in science that is open to international as well.



About IUP

The International Undergraduate Program (IUP) is a bachelor's degree program at the School of Agriculture taught entirely in English. One feature of IUP is that students enroll in the program and only select their degree major specialization after completing their first three years of study. Students can then select their final fourth year research project area for their graduation thesis and degree specialization.



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Dual Degree Program

with Northern Arizona University (USA)



KU X NAU



What is the Dual Degree Program?

If you are an outstanding and highly motivated student, this dual degree (DD) program allows you to study for two degrees at the same time. DD students go overseas to the USA for one year and can enjoy the opportunity to develop new friendships, experience a new culture, and enroll in diverse classes alongside US students. Graduating with two distinct bachelor's degrees from universities in different countries provides greater career flexibility and opportunities. This system is different from exchange programs because there is no need for a leave of absence from KU and you can still graduate in four years if you fulfill the graduation requirements of both universities.

Entering the DD Program is a serious commitment, which requires careful thought and preparation. Please visit the KU and NAU universities' websites to read the DD application guidelines carefully and check the degree requirements of both universities.



Advantages of Studying Overseas with the DD Program

- 1 Developing a positive and challenging spirit.
- 2 Acquiring practical negotiation and communication skills.
- 3 Growing through developing mutual understanding between different cultures.
- 4 Benefit from experiencing the unique culture and strengths of two world class universities.

Graduation Requirements

KYUSHU UNIVERSITY International Undergraduate Program

94.5 credits + 32 NAU credits

KU-DD students will need 32 NAU credits to earn KU bachelor's degree.

KU-DD students will travel to NAU in their 3rd year.



Both KU and NAU - DD students will do their thesis work at KU in their 4th year.

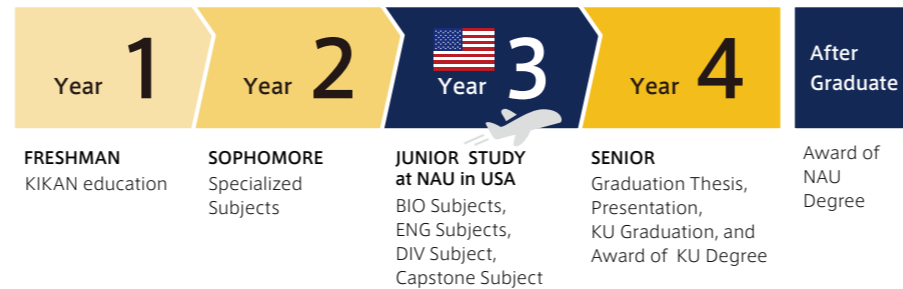
NAU College of the Environment, Forestry, and Natural Sciences

90 credits + 30 NAU credits

KU-DD students will need 30 NAU credits to earn NAU bachelor's degree.

* 126.5 credit units are required to graduate from KU. KU-DD students will earn 32 credits at NAU. This will fulfill the graduation requirements of both NAU and KU.

Schedule for KU-DD students



- 1) KU-DD students will take KIKAN education in their 1st year.
- 2) KU-DD students will travel to the United States in their 3rd year and will come back to Japan at the end of their 3rd year.
- 3) KU-DD students will bring back 32 credits from NAU to KU.
- 4) KU-DD students will come back to KU and will do their thesis work in their 4th year at KU.

How to Apply

Application Requirements

Applicants must enroll in IUP (International Undergraduate Program), Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University.

Please check the website for details and the latest information.



Selection Method

At the end of the first year, applicants for the DD program with a GPA of 3.0 or higher, TOEFL iBT 70, or IELTS 6.0 or higher will be selected through an interview. After the end of the winter semester of the second year, candidates will be re-evaluated for the courses required for admission to NAU. Candidates with a GPA of 3.2 or higher will be recommended as finalists for admission to NAU. NAU will then make the final selection and admission to NAU's DD program.

About NAU

Northern Arizona University

Northern Arizona University (NAU) is a comprehensive university focusing on quality education, offering 95 undergraduate and 76 graduate degree programs in 9 departments, and is well-known for its strong science, business and engineering programs.

In addition, the College of the Environment, Forestry, and Natural Sciences (CEFNS) has also been attracting attention for its excellent research results in the fields of conservation, forestry and natural sciences, which benefit from its unique geographical location.



Website: <https://nau.edu/>

