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Admission for Foreign Students with Foreign Parents

(Freshmen & Transfers)



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Spring 2027 Admission Guide

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Into the World, Global CUK

Annual Evaluation of the University Innovation Support Project by the Ministry of Education

Highest **S Grade** Nationwide, Top 10%

Recognized as One of Korea's Leading Innovative Universities

The Catholic University of Korea ranked 652nd in the 2027 QS World University Rankings, reaffirming its global competitiveness.

The Catholic University of Korea will continue its journey beyond Korea toward becoming a leading global university.

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SCHOLARSHIP

Extensive Scholarship Programs

· TOPIK Scholarship
· Admission Scholarship
· Academic Excellence Scholarship

RESIDENCE

On-Campus Residence Available

· Stephano Hall
· Andrea Hall
· Francisco Hall

LANGUAGE SUPPORT

Official TOPIK Test Center Designated by the National Institute for International Education

· TOPIK Camp, Mock Tests, and Consultation Office Available
· On-Campus TOPIK Test Available

HEALTHCARE

Medical Fee Reduction Benefits

· Access to One of Korea's Largest Medical Networks
· Medical Fee Reduction at 8 Affiliated Hospitals in Korea

MENTORING

Mentoring Programs Available

· International Student Helper Program
· Dedicated Teaching Assistants for International Students
· International Student Council
· Real-Time Multilingual Consultation
· SOS Class

652nd
2026 QS World University Rankings

2nd
2026 QS World University Rankings by Subject: Nursing

3rd
2024 QS World University Rankings

8th
2025 ARWU Global Ranking of Academic Subjects: Biomedical Engineering

61 researchers listed
2025 Stanford University-Elsevier World's Top 2% Scientists List

201-400th
Ranked **14**th in Korea in the **2026** THE World University Rankings

Admission Calendar



2026

DAY WEEK MONTH

10 October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
	1st Online Application & Document Submission					
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1st Online Application & Document Submission						
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
1st Online Application & Document Submission						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
1st Online Application & Document Submission						
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

11 November

1	2	3	4	5	6	7 1st Interview & Portfolio Review
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	2nd Online Application & Document Submission					
15	16	17	18	19	20 1st Announcement of Successful Candidates	21
2nd Online Application & Document Submission						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
2nd Online Application & Document Submission						
29	30					

2027

DAY WEEK MONTH

12 December

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
		2nd Online Application & Document Submission				
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 2nd Interview & Portfolio Review
20	21	22	23	24	25	26

01 January

27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7 2nd Announcement of Successful Candidates	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Tuition Fee Payment				
17	18	19	20	21 Issuance of Visa-related Documents	22	23

03 March

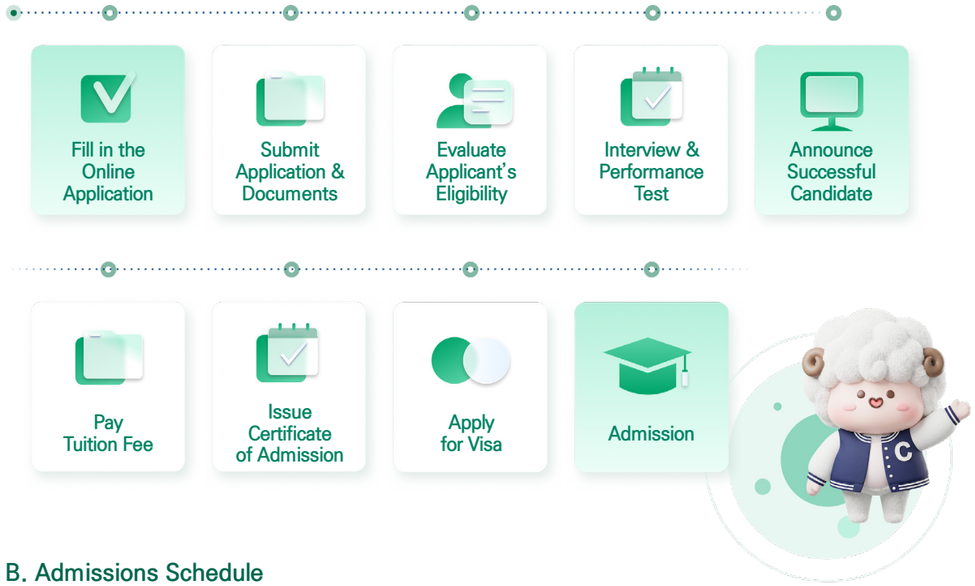
28	1	2 Semester Starting Date	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13



Application Process and Admissions Schedule

2027 Year

A. Application Process



B. Admissions Schedule

Process	1st Application	2nd Application	Note
Online Application & Document Submission	2026.09.28. (Mon) 14:00 ~ 10.23.(Fri) 17:00	2026.11.09. (Mon) 14:00 ~ 12.07.(Mon) 17:00	· Apply Online : http://www.jinhakapply.com/ · Mailing Address: (14662) Room K340, Kim Sou-Hwan Building, Office of Global Admissions, The Catholic University of Korea, 43 Jibong- ro, Bucheon-si, Gyeonggi-do, Republic of Korea · In-person submission is available only during regular office hours(Monday through Friday). Closed on public holidays
Interview & Performance Test	2026.11.07.(Sat)	2026.12.19.(Sat)	· Please refer to the website for detailed information on the location and time of the Interview and Performance Test
Announce Successful Candidate	2026.11.20.((Fri)	2027.01.07.(Thu)	· Successful Candidates will be announced on the website of International Affairs.
Pay Tuition Fee	2027.01.12.(Tue) ~ 01.15.(Fri)		· Payments must be made by the end of banking hours in Korea on the final day. · If the tuition fee is not paid by the deadline, the offer of admission will be withdrawn.
Issue the Certificate of Admission	2027.01.21.(Thu)		· Visa documents will be issued only after all required visa-related documents have been submitted.
Semester Starting Date	2027.03.02.(Tue)		

※ Schedule may be subject to change.
※ Catholic University International Affairs Office Website : https://oia.catholic.ac.kr
※ International Admissions Results Website : https://uportal.catholic.ac.kr/stw/recu/gexa/10/gexaPassRegiM10.do

Admission Units



A.Undergraduate Programs

School	Major	Freshmen	2nd Year Transfer	3rd Year Transfer	Note
Humanities· Social Sciences	Korean Language and Literature	○	○	○	
	Philosophy	○	○	○	
	Korean History	○	○	○	
	English Language and Literature	○	○	○	
	Chinese Language and Culture	○	○	○	
	Japanese Language and Culture	○	○	○	
	French Language and Literature	○	○	○	
	Social Welfare	○	○	○	
	Psychology	○	○	○	
	Sociology	○	○	○	
	International Studies	○	○	○	
	Law	○	○	○	
	Economics	○	○	○	
	Public Administration	○	○	○	
	Child & Family Studies	○	○	○	
	Business Administration	○	○	○	· TOPIK Level 3 or higher (first-year admission) · TOPIK Level 4 or higher (second- and third-year transfer admission)
	Accounting	○	○	○	
Natural Sciences· Engineering	Chemistry	○	○	○	
	Mathematics	○	○	○	
	Physics	○	○	○	
	Spatial Design & Consumer Studies	○	○	○	
	Clothing & Textiles	○	○	○	
	Food Science and Nutrition	○	○	○	
	Energy and Environmental Engineering	○	○	○	
	Computer Science and Information Engineering	○	○	○	
	Media Technology and Media Contents	○	○	○	
	Information Communications and Electronic Engineering	○	○	○	
	Artificial Intelligence	○	○	○	
	Data Science	○	○	○	
	Biotechnology				
	Biomedical-Chemical Engineering	○	○	○	
	Medical and Biological Sciences	○	○	○	
	Biomedical Software	○	○	○	
	Biologics Engineering	○	○		
	AI Biomedical Engineering	○	○		
Global Business Administration [1]		○			· TOPIK Level 3 or higher (first-year admission)
Voice [1]		○			
Korean Language and Culture [1]		○	○	○	
Art & Media Convergence [1]		○	○	○	
Music(Piano, Organ, Composition, Voice, Composition, and Orchestral Instrument [2])		○	○	○	

※ There are no limit on the number of recruits for each units.
※ [1] This department is exclusively for foreign students.
※ [2] Orchestral Instruments in Music major includes: Violin, Viola, Cello, Contrabass, Flute, Clarinet, Oboe and Bassoon.
※ Fourth-Year Admission: Available only for the Department of Art & Media Convergence.



Eligibility

2027 Year

A. Freshmen

Eligibility	Details
Citizenship	· Applicants and both of their parents must hold a non-Korean citizenship. · Applicants must not hold dual citizenship(including Korean citizenship) and must not be stateless.
Education	· Applicants who have graduated(or are expected to graduate) from an overseas high school with a standard curriculum equivalent to South Korea's elementary and secondary education.
Language Proficiency	· Korean Language Proficiency A. Applicants who have obtained TOPIK(or TOPIK IBT) Level 3 or above. B. Applicants whose Korean proficiency is deemed equivalent to TOPIK level 3. (e.g., those whose communication skills are verified as equivalent during the university's interview.)

※ Applicants who do not submit TOPIK(including IBT) Level 3 or above will face a restriction on the number of credits they enroll until they complete the Korean language curriculum designated by the University.
※ Applicants who acquired non-Korean citizenship after entering high school are not eligible to apply.
※ Home-schooling, Cyber/online learning, High school Graduate Equivalency Test for self-study are not recognized as eligible educational backgrounds.
※ Other eligibility concerns not described in this guideline will be dealt with according to the University's internal policies.

B. Transfer

Eligibility		Details
Citizenship		· Applicants and both of their parents must hold non-Korean citizenship. · Applicant must not hold dual citizenship(including Korean citizenship) and must not be stateless
Education	2nd Year Transfer	Candidates must meet one of the criteria below: · Applicants who have graduated (or are expected to graduate) from a college in Korea or abroad. · Applicants who have completed (or are expect to complete) the first year (or two regular semesters) in a regular 4-year university course in Korea with 33 credits or more. · Applicants who have completed (or are expect to complete) the first year (or two semesters) or more and have earned one-fourth(1/4) or more of the credits required for graduation in a regular 4-year university course(bachelor's degree course) abroad.
	3rd Year Transfer	Candidates must meet one of the criteria below: · Applicants who have graduated (or are expected to graduate) from a college in Korea or abroad. · Applicants who have completed or are expected to complete at least two years—four regular semesters, excluding summer and winter sessions—at a four-year university in Korea and have earned or are expected to earn at least 65 credits · Applicants who have completed (or are expect to complete) the second year (or four regular semesters) or more and have earned half(1/2) or more of the credits required for graduation in a regular 4-year university course (bachelor's degree course) abroad.
	4th Year Transfer	Applicants must meet all of the following conditions: · Graduated (or expected to graduate) from a full-time 3-year college in China · Completed (or expected to complete) at least 96 credits at a Chinese college · Applicants who have completed or are expected to complete at least six semesters
Language Proficiency		· Korean language proficiency requirements (excluding fourth-year transfer admission) A. Applicants who obtained a score of TOPIK (or IBT TOPIK) Level 3 or higher. B. Applicants whose language proficiency is deemed to be at an equivalent level to TOPIK level 3. (Applicants whose Korean communication skills are acknowledged to be equivalent during the University's interview.)

※ "Applicants expected to graduate or complete coursework" refers to applications who are expected to meet the applicable eligibility requirements by February 2027.
※ Before applying, applicants must confirm that they have completed the minimum period of study required for their intended year of transfer: one year (two semesters) for second-year transfer admission and two years (four semesters) for third-year transfer admission.
※ Applicants who do not submit proof of TOPIK Level 3 or higher must complete the CUK-designated Korean language program.
※ Applicants who acquired non-Korean citizenship after entering highschool are not eligible to apply.
※ Other eligibility concerns not described in this guideline will be dealt with according to the University's internal policies.
※ Applicants who have previously been enrolled at this university are not eligible to apply.

Evaluation Criteria



Category	Criteria		Details		
Freshmen	All Units (Except Music and Voice)	Interview 100%	A comprehensive evaluation of language proficiency and academic ability.		
	Music	Interview 30%	A comprehensive evaluation of language proficiency and academic ability.		
		Performance Test 70%	Piano	1. One Etude by F. Chopin(excluding Op.10 No.3, No.6, Op.25 No.1, No.2) or one Etude by F. Liszt 2. Choose between a and b a. Sonata : One fast movement b. A substantial composition from any time period.	
			Organ	1. Piano audition a. One etude by F. Chopin or F. Liszt (excluding F. Chopin Etudes Op. 10 Nos. 3 and 6 and Op. 25 Nos. 1 and 2) b. Sonata: One fast movement 2. Organ audition a. One work by J. S. Bach: a Leipzig Chorale or a Prelude and Fugue b. One work of the applicant's choice	Choose between 1 and 2
				3. Organ Performance Test Chant performance: Catholic chant (Catholic Bishops' Conference of Korea) from among numbers 25, 39, 64, 93, 119, 176, 238, 255, 271, 289 ※ Use foot pedals for the chant, the music score will be provided on the test day.	3 is mandatory
			Voice (Male/ Female)	Choose 2 songs out of 1, 2, 3 below 1. One art song from German 2. One art song from Italia 3. One Italian or German Opera aria (Original Key and Language)	
			Composition	One original composition (Score)	
			Orchestral Instrument	A substantial composition from any time period.	
	Voice	Interview 30%	A comprehensive evaluation of language proficiency and academic ability.		
		Performance Test 70%	Choose 1 song : One Italian or German Opera aria(Original Key and Language)		
Transfer	All Units (Except Music)	Interview 100%	A comprehensive evaluation of language proficiency and academic ability.		
	Music	Interview 30%	A comprehensive evaluation of language proficiency and academic ability.		
		Performance Test 70%	Piano	1) One Etude by F. Chopin (excluding Op.10 No.3, No.6, Op.25 No.1, No.2) or one Etude by F. Liszt 2) One fast movement of a Beethoven's mid and late Sonata	
			Organ	1) One Prelude and Fugue by J. S Bach 2) One substantial composition from either the romantic period or from the 20th Century.	
			Voice (Male/ Female)	1) One opera aria (required) 2) One Italian, French, German, British, or American art song ※ 1) and 2) should be of different languages	
			Composition	Composing a three-part piano piece from a given motive (Time limit : 3 hours)	
			Orchestral Instrument	A substantial composition from any time period.	

※ All applicants to the Department of Music and the Department of Vocal Music must perform from memory and provide their own accompanist. This requirement does not apply to applicants in Piano, Organ, and Composition.
※ Applicants who do not meet the eligibility requirements will be disqualified regardless of their Performance Test score.
※ Interviews will be conducted via video conference, and applicants taking the practical test must submit their assignments on a USB flash drive. Any changes to this process will be announced in advance.



Required Documents

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Required Documents

A. Freshmen

Category	Document Name	Submission Requirement	Remarks
Application	Application Form	○	· Complete the online application, print it, and submit a signed hard copy.
	Agreement for Enrollment and Academic Credits	○	
Academic	High School Graduation Certificate (or Expected Graduation Certificate)	○	· Applicants from China: Please refer to "Required Documents by Graduating Institution" (p.16) · Applicants from countries other than China: Submit an original notarized translation of the graduation certificate along with either consular legalization or Apostille. · Expected graduates must submit official proof indicating the expected date of graduation.
	High School Transcript	○	· Submit the final transcripts covering all grades equivalent to high school. The transcript must be a notarized translation. – Applicants from China: Submit a notarized translation of the transcript (Apostille-certified original). – Applicants from countries other than China: Submit a notarized translation of the transcript (Consular-confirmed or Apostille-certified original). · If certain grades (e.g., practical courses) are not included in the transcript, additional proof must be provided. · Expected graduates may submit the current transcript at the time of application, but are required to submit the final transcript with consular confirmation or Apostille after final admission.
Nationality	Copy of Passport	○	· Submit a copy of the page showing nationality and photo. · The passport must be valid for at least 6 months beyond the date of application.
	Copies of ID Cards (Applicant and Parents)	○	· This may be replaced with passport copies. · ID cards written in a language other than English or Chinese must be submitted with a notarized translation.
	Document Proving Family Relationship	○	· Must be issued after March 1, 2026. · Applicants from China: Submit the original notarized translation of the Certificate of Kinship. · Applicants from other countries: Submit the original notarized translation of a birth certificate issued by a government agency. · In case of a parent's divorce or death, an official government- issued certificate must also be submitted.
	Alien Registration Card		· Submit copies of both the front and back of the card. (for residents in Korea only)
Language Proficiency	TOPIK Score Report or Certificate of Completion (KLEC)		· Submit only if applicable. · TOPIK score reports and certificates of completion issued by the Korean Language Education Center (KLEC) must be received by 5 PM on Thursday, December 31, 2026 · Please refer to the scholarship eligibility criteria (p.17)
Others	USB with Performance Recording		· Required only for applicants to the Department of Music or Voice. (Refer to p.13)
	Financial Statement	○	· To be submitted after the announcement of final admission. · Applicants must submit a bank balance certificate showing a balance of at least KRW 20,000,000 as of the date of submission

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Required Documents



B. Transfer

Category	Document Name	Submission Requirement	Remarks
Application	Application Form	○	· Complete the online application, print it, and submit a signed hard copy.
	Agreement for Enrollment and Academic Credits	○	
Academic	Certificate of Graduation (Completion / Expected Graduation) from College / University	○	· Applicants from China: Submit the CHSI (学信网) Verification Report in English and a copy of the graduation (completion) certificate. · Applicants from countries other than China: Submit the original graduation (completion) certificate with a notarized translation and either consular legalization or Apostille. · Applicants who graduated from Korean colleges/universities may submit the original graduation certificate. · Expected graduates must submit an official proof of expected graduation indicating the graduation date, along with a notarized translation. · Applicants who have completed a bachelor's program (4-year) domestically or abroad must additionally submit a notarized translation of their high school graduation certificate (Applicants from China should refer to the guidelines for high school academic credentials issued in China on (p.16))
	Academic Transcript (College/University)	○	· Submit the final transcripts covering all grades equivalent to high school and the transcript must be a notarized translation. – Applicants from China: Submit a notarized translation of the transcript (Apostille-certified original). – Applicants from countries other than China: Submit a notarized translation of the transcript (Consular-confirmed or Apostille-certified original). · The transcript must indicate all years and GPA/credits. If certain grades (e.g., practical training) are missing, supplementary documents must be provided. · Expected graduates may submit their current transcript at the time of application; however, the final transcript with consular confirmation or Apostille must be submitted upon final admission. · Applicants who have completed (or are expected to complete) a bachelor's program (4-year) abroad must additionally submit notarized proof regarding the " required semesters and credits for graduation."
Nationality	Copy of Passport	○	· Submit a copy of the page showing nationality and photo. · The passport must be valid for at least 6 months beyond the date of application.
	Copies of ID Cards (Applicant and Parents)	○	· This may be replaced with passport copies. · ID cards written in a language other than English or Chinese must be submitted with a notarized translation.
	Document Proving Family Relationship	○	· Must be issued after March 1, 2026. · Applicants from China: Submit the original notarized translation of the Certificate of Kinship. · Applicants from other countries: Submit the original notarized translation of a birth certificate issued by a government agency. · In case of a parent's divorce or death, an official government-issued certificate must also be submitted.
	Alien Registration Card		· Submit copies of both the front and back of the card. (for residents in Korea only)
Language Proficiency	TOPIK Score Report or Certificate of Completion (KLEC)		· Submit only if applicable. · TOPIK score reports and certificates of completion issued by KLEC must be received by 5 PM on Thursday, December 31, 2026 · Please refer to the scholarship eligibility criteria (p.17)
Others	USB with Performance Recording		· Required only for applicants to the Department of Music. (Refer to p.13)
	Financial Statement	○	· To be submitted after the announcement of final admission. · Applicants must submit a bank balance certificate showing a balance of at least KRW 20,000,000 as of the date of submission



Required Documents

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Instructions on documents submission

1. Applicants must complete the online application carefully and ensure that all information is accurate and complete. Applicants are solely responsible for any disadvantages arising from incorrect or incomplete information.
2. All documents that are required for submission must be an original copy. In the case of unavoidable circumstances where an applicant must submit a duplicate because the documents cannot be re-issued, that copy should be notarized to prove that it is identical to the original copy. Submitted documents will not be returned, and application fees are non-refundable.
3. Documents not written in Korean or English must be submitted along with a notarized translation copy either English or Korean unless stated otherwise.
4. If the personal information on the application does not match the applicant's information on the documents, the applicant must submit a document issued by the applicant's country's court or diplomatic office that verifies the applicant's identity.
5. Expected graduates may submit original copies of their certificate of expected graduation and transcript at the time of application. However, final copies of the certificate of graduation, and a final transcript must be submitted prior to admission. Those who fail to satisfy this requirement will be automatically disqualified, even after being admitted.
   ※ Mailing Address : (14662) Room K340, Kim Sou-Hwan Building, Office of Global Admissions,
   The Catholic University of Korea, 43 Jibong-ro, Bucheon-si, Gyeonggi-do, Republic of Korea
6. Applicants who fail to submit documents verifying their academic credentials (diploma) will not be issued a Certificate of Admission which is necessary for the visa application.
7. The conditions for admission and visa issuance may change in accordance with updates to the policies and regulations of the Korean government. Additional documents may be requested accordingly (and applicants will be notified if necessary).
8. For verification of academic documents (certificate of graduation/completion and transcript), applicants must submit both the original document bearing an Apostille or consular authentication and one complete photocopy. The photocopy must include not only the document itself but also all pages bearing authentication marks, such as Apostille stamps and consular authentication stickers.

Guidelines for Submission of High School Academic Documents in China

Highschool Type		Details
General High School		Verification Report issued from "China Credentials Verification(CSSD)" run by Chinese Ministry of Education
Secondary Vocational High School	School etc.	A. On-line Issued · Certificate of Graduation issued by the local education authorities(Apostille-certified original mandatory) * This document is accepted only when it can be verified online. B. Off-line Issued · School Information Confirmation* · One of the following documents (1 or 2) 1) Certificate of Graduation issued by the local education authorities(Apostille-certified original mandatory) 2) School issued Certificate of Graduation which has been issued by province or county office of Education(Apostille-certified original mandatory) * School Information Confirmation Form (p. 21): Prepare two copies (one for submission to the university and one for submission to a Korean diplomatic mission)
	Skilled workers school	Document issued by the Official website of the Ministry of Human Resources and Social Security of the People's Republic of China (http://www.mohrss.gov.cn/) (Apostille-certified original mandatory) * This document is accepted only when it can be verified online.
Other types of accredited high School		- School issued Certificate of Graduation (Apostille-certified original mandatory) - Establishment Permit (Business Unit Legal Certificate(事业单位法人证书) * Establishment Permit (Business Unit Legal Certificate(事业单位法人证书) showing the field of business or academic education permit.

Application Fee · Tuition · Scholarship



Application Fee

A. Application Fee : All Departments except music - 130,000KRW
Music Department - 150,000KRW
B. Please note that once the online application period is over applicants cannot withdraw their application, nor will the application fee be refunded.
※ If applicants cannot participate in the screening process due to force majeure reasons, applicants can get a full or partial refund(excluding online service fee) according to the decision made by the admission committee. In this case the applicant will have to submit documents to support such force majeure.

Tuition

A. Tuition Fee

(Unit: KRW per semester)

Category	Tuition Fee
Humanities & Social Sciences	4,390,000
Natural Sciences	5,263,000
Engineering	5,943,000
Arts	6,143,000

※ The tuition rates above are based on the 2026 academic year and are subject to change for the 2027 academic year.

B. Payment Period: Tue, Jan. 12-Fri, Jan. 15, 2027, by 4 PM (KST)
C. Important Notes for the Applicants
1) If the successful applicant fails to pay the tuition fees by the designated day and time, the admission acceptance will be automatically canceled.
2) Applicant who accepted to multiple universities must enroll in only one university. Duplicate enrollment will result in the cancellation of admission from all universities.

Scholarship

A. Admission Scholarships
1) Eligibility: Successful applicants of the Freshman and Transfer Admissions.
2) Selection Criteria: based on the language proficiency scores and certificates from the CUK Korean Language Education Center submitted at the time of application.
※ Language proficiency test scores and certificates issued by KLEC must be received by 5 PM on Thursday, December 31, 2026.

Scholarship Name	Scholarship Details	Eligibility Criteria
Freshman &Transfer Common	30% of tuition for the first semester	TOPIK Level Below 3 or No Language Proficiency Test Score
	Additional 10% of tuition for the first semester	Completed CUK Korean language Program (2 semesters or more)
Freshman	Full tuition for the first semester	TOPIK Level 5 or 6
	90% of tuition for the first semester	TOPIK Level 4
	70% of tuition for the first semester	TOPIK Level 3
	30% of tuition for the first semester	TOPIK Level Below 3 or No Language Proficiency Test Score
Transfer	Full tuition for the first semester	TOPIK Level 5 or 6
	50% of tuition for the first semester	TOPIK Level 3 or4

※ 4th year transfer students are not eligible for these scholarships.



Scholarship & Mandatory Korean Courses

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B. Scholarships for Enrolled Students

Previous-Semester GPA	Scholarship Benefit	Eligibility
2.5 or higher	20% tuition reduction	Completion of at least 12 credits in the previous semester TOPIK Level 3 or higher (first-year students) TOPIK Level 4 or higher (second-, third-, and fourth-year students)
3.0 or higher	30% tuition reduction	
3.5 or higher	50% tuition reduction	
4.0 or higher	60% tuition reduction	
4.3 or higher	Full tuition waiver	
TOPIK Scholarship (Levels 4-6)	KRW 300,000	Students who attain TOPIK Level 4 or higher for the first time within two years (four semesters) of admission

※ 4th year transfer students are not eligible for these scholarships.

Mandatory Korean Courses

Category	Details	Remarks
Applicants who have not submitted TOPIK Level 3	Required to take Korean language-related courses	· Freshmen: for 2 semesters (1 year) · Transfer students: for 1 semester
Applicants who have submitted TOPIK Level 3 or higher	Exempt from mandatory Korean language courses	

※ Applicants who do not submit proof of TOPIK Level 3 or higher must complete the CUK-designated Korean language program.

※ TOPIK scores submitted for exemption from the mandatory Korean language program must be emailed to cukgse@catholic.ac.kr by Wednesday, February 10, 2026. The email subject line must include the student's ID number and Korean name.

※ Students who did not submit proof of TOPIK Level 3 during their first semester will be exempt from the mandatory Korean language program beginning in their second semester if they attain TOPIK Level 3 before second-semester course registration.

※ Students admitted to the Korean Track must submit proof of TOPIK Level 4 or higher to meet the graduation requirement (Level 3 or higher for arts programs).

Important Notes for Candidates & Contact Information



Important Notes for Candidates

A. Screening

1) Eligibility and application documents wi l be evaluated comprehensively. Applicants may be contacted individually to submit additional documents during the screening process if necessary.
2) Regulations regarding university admission and visa issuance are subject to change in accordance with the policies and measures of the Korean government. Additional documents may be requested accordingly (further notifications wi l be provided if required).
3) Applicants who fail to follow the admission process, miss the interview or performance test, or fail to submit all required documents will be disqualified.
4) Applicants must bring their Application Identification Slip (Test Voucher) and a valid photo ID on the day of the interview or performance test.
5) Admission will be canceled if an applicant is found to have submitted forged or falsified documents, engaged in proxy interviewing/testing, or failed to meet the eligibility criteria. Admission will be revoked even after enrollment if any fraudulent or deceitful actions are discovered.
6) If the Admissions Committee determines that an applicant's academic credentials do not meet the required standards, the applicant will not be selected.
7) Admissions evaluation details, including individual scores and ranking, will not be disclosed under any circumstances.
8) All screening, evaluation, and final decisions will be made by the University's Admissions Committee. Any other matters not specified in this guide will be processed in accordance with university regulations.
9) Applicants will be selected based on their total evaluation score. In the event of a tie, all tied applicants will be accepted.

B. Other Matters

1) If the Ministry of Justice refuses to issue a student visa (D-2) to an applicant, their admission will be revoked, and a full refund of tuition fees will be issued. If a successful applicant fails to obtain a student visa (D-2) or enter the country within two weeks from the start of the semester, they will be reported to the immigration office as a "non-entry" student, and their admission may be canceled. Applicants bear full responsibility for any visa refusals or delays.
2) In accordance with university regulations, students are not permitted to take a leave of absence during their first semester after admission.
3) All international students are required to maintain health insurance for the entire duration of their studies at the University. Detailed information regarding health insurance will be provided to enrolled students at a later date.
4) For verification of academic documents (certificate of graduation/completion and transcript), applicants must submit both the original document bearing an Apostille or consular authentication and one photocopy.

Contact Information

Office	Global Admissions Team, The Catholic University of Korea
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Adress	Korean : (14662) 경기도 부천시 지봉로 43 가톨릭대학교 성심교정 김수환관 K340호 글로벌입학팀 English : Office of Global Admissions, K340, The Catholic Universtiy of Korea, 43 Jibong-ro, Bucheon-si, Gyeonggi-do, 14662, Korea

[Appendix 01]

본교양식

학력 조회 동의서

Official Agreement for Enrollment and Academic Credits

가톨릭대학교 THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF KOREA

To whom it may concern :

This letter is to confirm that I (*Name of Student _____)
attended (*Name of School _____).
I have applied to the Catholic University of Korea for the Spring Semester of 2027 academic year and agreed that this university could officially request my academic records from previously attended schools.

이 서류는 본인(이름 :)이/가 (학교명)에서 수학하였음을 확인할 목적으로 작성되었습니다.
본인은 가톨릭대학교 2027학년도 3월 외국인특별전형에 지원하였으며, 전형과정에서 가톨릭대학교가 귀 학교에 학적 관련 서류를 공식적으로 요청할 수 있다는 사실에 동의합니다.

In this regard, I would like to request your full cooperation to the Catholic University of Korea when they contact you regarding the verification of enrollment and transcripts.

따라서 본인의 성적과 재학사실에 관한 가톨릭대학교의 요청에 대하여 귀 학교의 적극적인 협조를 요청합니다.

[Student's records]

☐ Student Name :
☐ Date of birth : _____ – _____ – _____ (mm-dd-yyyy)
☐ Date of admission(or transfer) : _____ – _____ –_____ (mm-dd-yyyy)
☐ Date of graduation(or withdrawal) : _____ – _____ – _____ (mm-dd-yyyy)

[School Information]

☐ School Name :
☐ School Address :
☐ Zip Code :
☐ Telephone Number :
☐ Fax Number :

Sincerely yours,

_____ *Signature _____ – _____ – _____ (mm-dd-yyyy) *Date

[Appendix 02]

중국 중등직업학교 학교정보확인서

학교 정보 확인서

学校信息确认书

유 학 생 인적사항 留学生 个人信息	성 명 姓 名		생년월일 出生日期	
	국 적 国 籍		여권번호 护照号码	
	진학 예정 대학 拟入学大学名称		전공명 专业名称	
	전화번호 联系电话		e-mail 电子邮箱	
학교정보 学校信息	졸업학교명 (졸업일) 毕业学校名称 (毕业日期)	(졸업일 毕业日期: 20 . . .)		
	학교유형 学校类型	보통중등전문학교 普通中专 ( ) 성인중등전문학교 成人中专 ( )	직업고등학교 职业高中 ( ) 기타 其他 ( )	
	교육과정 教育种类	고등학교 학력과정 高中阶段学历教育 ( ) 고등학교 비학력과정 高中阶段非学历教育 ( ) ※ 비학력 과정의 경우 유학비자 발급 불가 非学历教育学生不能获得韩国留学签证		
	소재지 学校地址			
	전화번호 学校电话			
	홈페이지 学校官网			
교 직 원 연락정보	소속 및 직위 所属部门及职位			
教职工 联系信息	성 명 姓 名	(인 또는 서명) (盖章或签名)	전화번호 联系电话	

본인은 상기 학교 정보 등 기재 내용이 사실과 다름없음을 서약하며, 허위 사실 기재 시 대한민국 법령에 따라 처벌받을 수 있음을 확인합니다.

本人保证，以上所填写的学校信息等内容均属实。本人理解，以上信息如有虚假，可能会受到韩国相关法律法规的处罚。特此确认。

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유학생 본인 留学生本人 (서명 签名)

* 2부 작성 후 교육기관 및 재외공관에 각각 제출
本确认书需要一式两份。一份交拟入学大学，一份交韩国驻外使领馆。



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