

**KAC Degree Requirements by the Year of Admission**

**1. Degree Requirements By the Year of Admission (2007~ )**

Students have to complete both regular curriculum and non-regular curriculum requirements as follows:

Year of Admission	Major	Liberal Arts		Major	Others	① Total	② English	③ 2 <sup>nd</sup> Foreign Language	④ Volunteering	⑤ Internship
2007	IB/IR	More than 12 Credits from the courses of Common liberal arts, Basic in Major liberal arts, Balanced liberal arts, and Basic courses in Major (Chapel (1), (2)-required)		Minimum of 69 credits, which includes: Minimum of 45 credits comprised of required courses from the first major	39	120	○	X	X	X
2008	IB/IR/MSIT						○	X	○	○
2009	IB/IR/MSIT						○	○(except for int'l students)	○	○
2010	IB/IR/MSIT						○	○	○	○
2011 2012 2013 2014	IB, IR	Common	Basic in Major	Minimum of 69 credits, which includes: Minimum of 54 credits comprised of required from the first major	31	130	○	○	○	○
		12	More than 18 Credits from the courses of Basic Major Liberal Arts, Balanced Liberal Arts, Basic Courses in Major.							
2015 ~ 2021	IB, IR	12	15	Minimum of 69 credits, which Includes minimum of 54 credits comprised of required courses from the first major	34	130	○	○	○	○
2022 2023	IB, IR	12	15							
2024 ~	IB, IR	12	More than 18 credits from the courses of Balanced Liberal Arts and General Liberal Arts	Minimum of 69 credits from the first major including required courses	21	120	○	○	○	○

★ Regarding the category 'Others', students can acquire credits regardless of the course's classification.

## [Completion of Regular Curriculum (Credits)]

### ① Graduation credits

#### 1) Common Liberal Arts

International students must complete **12 credits including at least two Korean language courses** from the thirteen designate courses below. Remaining common liberal arts course credits may be obtained with general liberal arts courses.

Course Title	Course Code	Credits	Course Title	Course Code	Credits
시사한국어 CURRENT KOREAN	25105	3	TOPIK읽기 TOPIK READING	33862	3
한국어작문 KOREAN COMPOSITION	25615	3	실용한국어회화 PRACTICAL KOREAN CONVERSATION	25150	3
비즈니스한국어(1) BUSINESS KOREAN(1)	33863	3	한국어 독해 READING KOREAN TEXT	25609	3
문화한국어 LEARNING KOREAN THROUGH CULTURE	37072	3	한국어 작문 KOREAN COMPOSITION	25615	3
TOPIK쓰기 TOPIK WRITING	33861	3	아каде믹한국어 ACADEMIC KOREAN	35844	3
TOPIK듣기 TOPIK LISTENING	33860	3	NCS 한국어 KOREAN BASED ON NATIONAL COPETENCY STANDARDS	46258	3
대구생활한국어 PRACTICAL KOREAN FOR EVERYDAY LIFE IN DAEGU	46259	3			

\*Tip: The Korean courses above are intended for international students with a proficiency in the Korean language. Before enrolling in the aforementioned courses, we highly recommend that KAC international students take the "Korean Language Practice" courses (Code: 10350-01, 02, 03, 04). They are offered to incoming exchange students and count as liberal arts credits for graduation.

#### 2) Courses offered outside of KAC are recognized towards graduation credits only if they meet under the following conditions:

- a. Maximum of 7 courses (21 credits) earned from English-taught courses offered outside of KAC during your period of attendance in KAC.
  - Until 2024 academic year: earned from courses pre-approved by the KAC
- b. Second Language Courses (Courses in the student's native language is not accepted.)
- c. Community Service Courses (사회봉사, up to 2 subjects)
- d. Courses related with Career/Self-development/Launching a Start-up (진로선택/자기계발/창업 영역) among Balanced Liberal Arts courses (up to 2 subjects)
- e. Recognized credits from the university's special program (up to 12 credits)
  - Credits approved with TOPIK certificates is only for the students entered before 2019.

## [Completion of Non-Regular Curriculum]

### ② English Language Proficiency

Students must submit their English test score by the final exam period of their 8th semester at KAC. The minimum score requirement for each test is as follows:

TOEIC	TOEFL IBT	TEPS	TOEIC SPEAKING Lv.6	OPIC	IELTS
850	97	750	140	IM3	7.0.

### ③ Second Foreign Language

Students must also submit their second language test score by the final exam period of their 8th semester at KAC. Accepted Languages are listed below, not including a student's mother tongue. The minimum score requirement for each 2<sup>nd</sup> language test is as follows:

Chinese	Japanese		Korean	French	German		Spanish			Russian	Portuguese	
New HSK	JLPT	JPT	TOPIK	DELF	GER	ZDAF	DELE	FLEX	SIELE	TORFL	CAPLE	CELPE-BRAS
3 (210)	N3 (95)	415	2	A1	SD1 (gut),	ZD	A1	430	140	Basic	A1	Intermediário

### ④ Community Service

- A pass from the Community Service Courses

Or

- Completion of 32 or more hours of volunteer work at an institute which is pre-approved by Keimyung University and getting approval from KAC admin. office. after inputting the report through EDWARD system.

### ⑤ Internship

- A pass for the internship Courses

Or

- A non-credit internship for 96 or more hours at a company or organization pre-approved by KAC; recognition by the department chair must also be received. [forms: <http://kac.kmu.ac.kr> ]

## 2. Mandatory Courses

### 1) Balance Liberal Arts

\* Students who were admitted from 2014 to 2023 must take minimum of 15 credits from the courses listed below.

Year	Serial Numbers	Course Numbers	Field	Names of Courses	Credits	No longer offered/ Category changed
	1	27796	Global Leadership	ACADEMIC WRITING I (KAC)	3	
	2	27798		COMMUNICATION SKILLS I (KAC)	3	

2014	3	29997		LISTENING SKILLS	3	
	4	30626/30627		INTEGRATED ENGLISH SKILLS (1) or (2)	3	
	5	25801		CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATION	3	
2023	6	27263	Literature & Art	THESIS WRITING	3	
	7	27752	Philosophy & History	WORLD HISTORY	3	
	8	29770	Science & Technology	CALCULUS	3	
	9	38458		FUTURE TRENDS	3	
	10	27753	Society & Culture	WORLD RELIGION & CULTURE	3	√
	11	23044		WORLD GEOGRAPHY	3	
	12	31028		LAW AND CIVILIZATION	3	
	13	25800		BUSINESS APPLICATION	3	

**\* KAC Balanced Liberal Arts (2024~ )**

- Students who were admitted from 2024 must complete at least 18 credits from the KAC balanced liberal arts courses (listed below) and general liberal arts courses offered outside KAC.

Year	Serial Numbers	Course Numbers	Field	Names of Courses	Credits	No longer offered/Category changed
2024 ~	1	27796	Global Leadership	ACADEMIC WRITING I (KAC)	3	
	2	27798		COMMUNICATION SKILLS I (KAC)	3	
	3	29997		LISTENING SKILLS	3	
	4	30626		INTEGRATED ENGLISH SKILLS (1)	3	
	5	30627		INTEGRATED ENGLISH SKILLS (2)	3	
	6	25801		CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATION	3	
	7	27263	Literature & Art	THESIS WRITING	3	
	8	27752	Philosophy & History	WORLD HISTORY	3	
	9	44657		HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT	3	
	10	29770	Science & Technology	CALCULUS	3	
	11	38458		FUTURE TRENDS	3	
	12	23044	Society & Culture	WORLD GEOGRAPHY	3	
	13	31028		LAW AND CIVILIZATION	3	
	14	25800		BUSINESS APPLICATION	3	
	15	45743		COMMUNICATION MASTERY IN THE DIGITAL AGE	3	

**2) Basic Major courses (2015~2022)**

\* Students must take the following course as stated in the table below.

Year	Serial Numbers	Course Numbers	Names of Courses	Credits	No longer offered/Category changed
2014	1	26503	FUNDAMENTALS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE	3	√
	2	27673	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS	3	√
	3	26504	PROBABILITY & STATISTICS	3	√

	4	26924	MICROECONOMICS	3	√
	5	27254	MACROECONOMICS	3	√
2015 ~2022	1	26504	PROBABILITY&STATISTICS	3	√

### 3) Required Major Courses (2007 ~ )

\* In the event of a required course being abolished or its classification changed, students do not need to take that particular course.

#### ■ IB Major

Year of Admission	Nr.	Course Code	Course Name	Credits	No Longer Offered/ Category Changed
2007	1	26103	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL MARKETING	3	√
	2	26104	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT	3	√
	3	27268	INTERNATIONAL STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	3	√
	4	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2008	1	26925	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	3	√
	2	26926	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	3	√
	3	26927	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	4	10378	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	5	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2009	1	10378	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	2	26100	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS	3	√
	3	26101	FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT	3	√
	4	26925	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	3	√
	5	26926	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	3	√
	6	26927	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	7	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2010	1	25800	BUSINESS APPLICATION	2	√
	2	26922	SURVIVING KAC	1	√
	3	26923	CHRISTIAN ETHICS & GLOBALIZATION	3	√
	4	27747	ETHICS OF GLOBAL LEADERS	3	√
	5	27797	ACADEMIC WRITING II(KAC)	2	√
	6	27799	COMMUNICATION SKILLS II(KAC)	2	√
	7	27804	PROFESSIONAL READING II(KAC)	2	√
	8	10378	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	9	26100	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS	3	√
	10	26101	FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT	3	√

	11	26925	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	3	√
	12	26926	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	3	√
	13	26927	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	14	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2011	1	10378	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	2	26100	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS	3	√
	3	26101	FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT	3	√
	4	26925	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	3	√
	5	26926	PRINCIPLE OF MANAGEMENT	3	√
	6	26927	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	7	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2012 2013 2014	1	10378	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	2	26100	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS	3	√
	3	26101	FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT	3	√
	4	26925	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	3	√
	5	26926	PRINCIPLE OF MANAGEMENT	3	√
	6	26927	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	7	27981	OPERATION AND PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT	3	√
	8	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2015 2016 2017 2018	1	10378	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	2	26100	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS	3	√
	3	26925	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	3	√
	4	26926	PRINCIPLE OF MANAGEMENT	3	√
	5	26927	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	6	27981	OPERATION AND PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT	3	√
	7	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
	8	34243	취창업과자기계발	1	√
2019 2020	1	10378	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	2	26100	PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS	3	√
	3	26925	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	3	√
	4	26926	PRINCIPLE OF MANAGEMENT	3	√
	5	26927	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	√
	6	27981	OPERATION AND PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT	3	√
	7	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2021 2023	1	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2024	1	31961	DESIGNING UNIVERSITY LIFE AND CAREER	1	

	2	26504	PROBABILITY & STATISTICS	3	
	3	34982	FUNDAMENTALS OF FINANCE	3	
	4	26926	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	3	
	5	44482	BASIC ACCOUNTING	3	
	6	30880	THESIS(IB)	0	√
2025 ~	1	31961	DESIGNING UNIVERSITY LIFE AND CAREER	1	
	2	26504	PROBABILITY & STATISTICS	3	
	3	34982	FUNDAMENTALS OF FINANCE	3	
	4	26926	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	3	
	5	44482	BASIC ACCOUNTING	3	

■ IR Major

Year of Admission	Nr.	Course Code	Course Name	Credits	No Longer Offered/ Category Changed
2007	1	26508	COMPARATIVE POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
	2	26511	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	3	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
2008	1	26121	COMPARATIVE FOREIGN POLICIES	3	√
	2	26508	COMPARATIVE POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
	3	26511	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	4	26928	RESEARCH METHOD	3	√
	5	27259	QUANTITATIVE METHOD	3	√
	6	26935	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	7	27260	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
2009	8	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
	1	26511	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	2	27820	POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
	3	26935	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	4	27808	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	3	√
	5	27818	KOREAN GOVERNMENT&POLITICS	3	√
	6	27821	QUANTITATIVE METHODOLOGY	3	√
	7	27260	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
8	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√	
	1	25800	BUSINESS APPLICATION	2	√

2010	2	26922	SURVIVING KAC	1	√
	3	26923	CHRISTIAN ETHICS & GLOBALIZATION	3	√
	4	27747	ETHICS OF GLOBAL LEADERS	3	√
	5	27797	ACADEMIC WRITING II(KAC)	2	√
	6	27799	COMMUNICATION SKILLS II(KAC)	2	√
	7	27804	PROFESSIONAL READING II(KAC)	2	√
	8	26511	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	9	27820	POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
	10	26935	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	11	27808	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	3	√
	12	27818	KOREAN GOVERNMENT & POLITICS	3	√
	13	27821	QUANTITATIVE METHODOLOGY	3	√
	14	27260	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
	15	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
	2011	1	26511	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3
2		27820	POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
3		27808	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	3	√
4		27818	KOREAN GOVERNMENT & POLITICS	3	√
5		26935	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
6		27821	QUANTITATIVE METHODOLOGY	3	√
7		27260	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
8		30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
2012 2013 2014	1	26935	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	2	27808	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	3	√
	3	27818	KOREAN GOVERNMENT & POLITICS	3	√
	4	27821	QUANTITATIVE METHODOLOGY	3	√
	5	27260	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
	6	27964	INTERNATIONAL LAW	3	√
	7	31018	POLITICAL THEORY	3	√
	8	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
2015	1	26935	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	2	27808	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	3	√

	3	27818	KOREAN GOVERNMENT & POLITICS	3	√
	4	27821	QUANTITATIVE METHODOLOGY	3	√
	5	27260	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	3	√
	6	27964	INTERNATIONAL LAW	3	√
	7	31018	POLITICAL THEORY	3	√
	8	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
	9	34243	취창업과자기계발	1	√
2016 2017	1	26935	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	3	√
	2	27821	QUANTITATIVE METHODOLOGY	3	√
	3	27964	INTERNATIONAL LAW	3	√
	4	31018	POLITICAL THEORY	3	√
	5	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
	6	34243	취창업과자기계발	1	√
2018	1	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
	2	34243	취창업과자기계발	1	√
2019 ~ 2023	1	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
2024	1	31960	DESIGNING UNIVERSITY LIFE AND CAREER	1	
	2	26504	PROBABILITY & STATISTICS	3	
	3	30881	THESIS(IR)	0	√
2025 ~	1	31960	DESIGNING UNIVERSITY LIFE AND CAREER	1	
	2	26504	PROBABILITY & STATISTICS	3	