Students studying in the Course for Teacher Training can receive practical, firsthand training under the guidance of supervisors and close communication with schools. They are also invited to visit historic sites in Japan and take part in regional cultural exchanges.

◇ University overview

O Characteristics and history
Gifu University has four faculties and one school: Faculty of Education, Regional Studies, Engineering, Applied Biological Sciences and School of Medicine.

The Faculty of Education has the Special Support Education Center, the Co-Creative Research and Development Center for Learning, affiliated primary and junior high schools where faculty staff and university students can observe classes, experience teaching in collaboration with school teachers.

Gifu University is located west of Gifu City (Gifu City is about 100km East of Kyoto) surrounded by beautiful, pristine natural environment. The Nagara River near Gifu University is renowned for the traditional cormorant fishing. In addition, the UNESCO’s world heritage site, thatched-roof houses in Shirakawago are attracting a large number of visitors to Gifu Prefecture every year.

O International exchange

• Number of international students
  AY 2019: 365 (May 1, 2019)
  AY 2018: 358 (May 1, 2018)
  AY 2017: 322 (May 1, 2017)

• Number of Teacher Training Students
  AY 2019: 1
  AY 2018: 0
  AY 2017: 1

◇ Outline and characteristics of the course for Teacher Training Students

O Characteristics of the program

Gifu University started to accept the teacher training students from 1982 and 104 students have completed the course by 2018. Teacher training students can receive practical, firsthand training under the guidance of their advisers. The University Library and the research facilities within the campus are open to the students.

O Number of students to be accepted:
  Maximum of 5

O Outline of the course

• Japanese language education
  Students can take the Intensive Japanese Language Course for 6 months at Gifu University.

• Specialized training
  I) Characteristics
    Each supervisor creates and implements the programs specially designed for individual students.
  II) Classes Conducted in English
    Supervisors give instructions to students in English if necessary.

• Others
  • Students can participate in the field trips to observe Japanese culture and visit industrial complex during the summer recess.
  • Promoting active participation and exchange by utilizing local international exchange opportunities.
  • Students can attend classes of the Graduate School with Japanese students.

◇ Follow-up for graduates

Gifu University provides students who have completed the course with career consultation services.

◇ Accommodations

Students are permitted to stay in the Gifu University International House located within the premises of Gifu University for one year and 6 months.

O Number of rooms
  Single Room: 69
  Couple Room: 14
  Family Room: 7

O Monthly rent(*There is a possibility that the house rent will be updated in the future.)

Building A
  Single: 5,900 yen
  Couple: 11,900 yen
  Family: 14,200 yen

Building B
  Single: 4,700 yen
  Couple: 9,500 yen
  Family: 14,200 yen

O Facilities

Kitchen and a laundry room on each floor. All rooms in Building A are equipped with bathrooms, the rooms in Building B are equipped with toilets only. A shower room on every floor in Building B. Electric Appliance & Furnishing: Refrigerator, desk, chair, bookshelf, bed, wardrobe, air conditioner, curtains, trash box, shoe cabinet etc.

O Information for daily life

The International House is located within the campus. A convenience store is also on the premises of the university.

◇ Contact

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