

## SOU Exchanges

### International College of Liberal Arts (iCLA)

Location of university:	Kofu, Yamanishi, Japan
Website for exchange info:	<a href="https://www.icla.ygu.ac.jp/en/inbound/">https://www.icla.ygu.ac.jp/en/inbound/</a>
Program Dates:	Fall or Year-long: Late August - Late December Spring or Japan-Year: Late March - Early August Late March - Late December
SOU Deadlines:	Fall/Winter or Yearlong: Feb 15 Spring: Sept 15
Majors:	[Open to all majors] Japanese Language and Culture, Economics, Business, Political Science, Literature, Art, Performing Arts, Music, Psychology, International Studies, English, History, Sociology and Anthropology
Language requirement?	None, but recommended
Housing:	Single rooms in suite-style residences with shared kitchen and bathrooms. Students are enrolled in a meal plan.  Approximately \$3364 per semester, w/ meals.
Scholarships:	Gilman Scholarship [national] Freeman Asia [national] Boren Awards [national] Bridging Scholarships [national] Foundation for Asia Pacific Education [national] JASSO scholarship [host university]



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### iCLA Budget - Spring Semester (Late March - Early August)

SOU Tuition and Fees (One term at your tuition rate -- resident rate given as example)	\$4031
Required Int'l Insurance (\$2.10/day x 145 days)	\$304.50
SOU Study Away Admin Fee	\$350
<b>Academic Subtotal</b>	<b>\$4685.50</b>

Airfare (estimate)	\$1700
Housing (1 semester, approx.) [exchange rate- Apr '23]	\$3364
Meals (Meal Plan- included in Housing fee)	-
Books and supplies (estimate)	\$200
Student Visa	\$0
Japanese & iCLA insurance	\$111
Passport	\$165
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$5540</b>

- Of note: After acceptance, you will be asked to provide financial documentation to iCLA in order for them to secure a Certificate of Eligibility (CoE) on your behalf, which will be used by you when applying for the visa. iCLA will provide more details at that time, but you will be asked to show a certain amount of funds available for the semester, and can demonstrate that amount by using a combination of savings, scholarship, and SOU financial aid.