Admission Information for International Students in 2026 Guangzhou University

Guangzhou University welcomes international students to study in our undergraduate, master and PhD programs in 2026.

I. Major Information

For more information, visit our official websites as follows.

For undergraduate studies: http://zsjy.gzhu.edu.cn/zsjz.htm

For postgraduate studies: http://yjsy.gzhu.edu.cn/zsxx/zsjz.htm

II. Length, Tuition Fees and Admission:

Length:

Undergraduate programs

Standard length: 4 or 5 years (Scholarship available only for standard length of education)

Flexible length: up to 7 (for 4-year programs) or up to 8 years (for 5-year programs)

Master programs

Standard length: 2 or 3 years (Scholarship available only for standard length of education)

Flexible length: up to 5 years

PhD programs

Standard length: 4 years (Scholarship available only for standard length of education)

Flexible length: up to 7 years

Tuition Fees:

For undergraduate programs: 18,000-20,000 RMB each year

For master programs: 20,000-22,000 RMB each year

For PhD programs: 23,000 RMB each year

A graduate diploma or certificate will be granted when the student finishes the stipulated teaching plan, passes the exam and thesis defense on time. A degree will be granted if they pass the degree-related review.

Planned Enrollment Number：100（Scholarship students 50, self-funded students :50 ）

III. Important dates

Application deadline: April 30, 2026

Classes beginning on: September, 2026

IV. Admission Requirements

Basic Requirements

1. The applicant should be a foreign national who is healthy and friendly and obeys Chinese laws and regulations.

2. Requirements for Recommendation

The applicant should have recommendation letters from two full-time professors or associate professors if they apply for master or PhD programs.

A recommendation letter from a high school teacher is required if the applicant applies for undergraduate programs.

3. Degree Requirements

The applicant should have graduated from senior high school or hold a bachelor's degree (or higher degree) if they apply for undergraduate programs. The applicant should hold a bachelor's degree (or higher degree) if they apply for master programs. The applicant should hold a master's degree (or higher degree) if they apply for PhD programs.

4. Eligibility

The applicant who is applying for bachelor's studies should be between 18 and 25 years of age. Those who apply for master or PhD programs should be between 18 and 35 years of age (the age limitation could be adjusted if the applicant is excellent in his or her academic career).

5. Grades Requirements for Admission

Strong academic performance in high school studies is required if the applicant applies for undergraduate programs.

Strong academic performance in undergraduate studies is required if the applicant applies for master programs.

Strong academic performance in postgraduate studies is required if the applicant applies for PhD programs.

6.Language Requirements

HSK4 or a higher level (HSK5 level is required for certain disciplines) is required if the applicant applies for the Chinese-taught undergraduate, master or PhD programs. Other official language certificates or documents could also be accepted as proof of language proficiency.

Further confirmation should be made with the School of International Education if the student applies for an English-taught program. The following minimum scores can demonstrate English proficiency for admission to programs at GZHU taught in English: TOEFL≥72, IELTS≥5.5, GRE≥280, CET4&6≥425, TEM≥60, WSK(PETS5) or any other qualifications which can prove English proficiency.

NOTE: If the program is taught in English, international student graduates are required to obtain HSK3 or higher in Chinese language proficiency. If the program is taught in Chinese, international student graduates are required to obtain HSK5 or higher in Chinese language proficiency.

V.Application Pathway

（一）Download the application form http://gjjyxy.gzhu.edu.cn/info/1011/4614.htm and send the completed form via E-mail to gjjyxy@gzhu.edu.cn

（二）Submit all the application materials via e-mail to gjjyxy@gzhu.edu.cn

1. Submit the following materials to gjjyxy@gzhu.edu.cn if applying for an undergraduate program:

（1）Notarized high school diploma or certified copy.

（2）Notarized high school transcripts.

（3）Recommendation letters from one or more teachers from your high school.

（4）HSK4 or a higher level Chinese proficiency certificate.

（5）One Copy of your passport home page.

（6）Notarized health report from hospital within the past six months.

（7）Notarized non-criminal report issued from local police station within the past six months.

（8）Electronic photo with blue background less than 100KB and name after it with your passport number.

（9）Self-supporting students should offer financial support documents that can prove they are able to study and live at the university.

2. Please submit the following materials to email:gjjyxy@gzhu.edu.cn if applying for a master program.

（1）Notarized bachelor's degree or certified copy.

（2）Notarized transcript(s) from undergraduate program.

（3）Two recommendation letters from full-time professors or associate professors during your undergraduate study.

（4）HSK4 or higher-level certificate is required. English proficiency certificate is required: TOEFL≥72, IELTS≥5.5, GRE≥280, CET4&6≥425, TEM≥60, WSK(PETS5) level or any other qualifications which can prove English proficiency.

（5）A copy of your passport photo page.

（6）Notarized health report from hospital within the past six months.

（7）Notarized non-criminal report issued from local police station within the past six months.

（8）Electronic photo with blue background less than 100KB and name after it with your passport number.

（9）Self-supporting students should offer financial support documents that can prove they are able to study and live at the university.

3.Please submit the following materials via email to gjjyxy@gzhu.edu.cn if applying for a PhD program.

（1）Notarized bachelor's and master's degrees or certified copies.

（2）Notarized transcripts for undergraduate and master programs.

（3）Two recommendation letters from full-time professors or associate professors during your master program study.

（4）If applying for the English-taught program, English proficiency certificate is required: TOEFL≥72, IELTS≥5.5, GRE≥280, CET4&6≥425, TEM≥60, WSK(PETS5)level or any other qualifications which can prove English proficiency. Both HSK4 or higher-level certificate and English proficiency certificates are required if applying for the Chinese-taught program.

（5）A copy of your passport photo page.

（6）Notarized health report from hospital within the past six months.

（7）Notarized non-criminal report issued from local police station within the past six months.

（8）Resume especially with a focus on your education background.

（9）Electronic photo with blue background less than 100KB and name after it with your passport number.

（10）Self-supporting students should offer financial support documents that can prove they are able to study and live at the university.

VI. For more information

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Zip Code：510006

Address: Room 506, Office for International Student Affairs, East Administration Building,Guangzhou University, No.230 Waihuan Xi Road, Guangzhou Higher Education Mega Center, Guangzhou, Guangdong Province, People's Republic of China.

VII. Application Fee

No application fee will be charged during the application process. Tuition fee will be arranged to be paid after official enrollment.

VIII、Scholarship Information

In 2026, our university will enroll 50 scholarship students, with the scholarship standards referenced as follows:

Doctoral students: Living allowance of 3,800 RMB/month, tuition subsidy of 23,000 RMB/academic year, and visa and insurance subsidy of 1,600 RMB/year.

Master's students: Living allowance of 1,500 RMB/month, tuition subsidy of 20,000 RMB/academic year, and visa and insurance subsidy of 1,600 RMB/year.

Undergraduate students: Living allowance of 1,000 RMB/month, tuition subsidy of 18,000 RMB/academic year (for liberal arts) and 19,000 RMB/academic year (for sciences), and visa and insurance subsidy of 1,600 RMB/year.

In 2026, our university will also enroll 50 self-funded students, who will be fully responsible for all expenses related to their studies and living in China.

The university will determine scholarship and self-funded student status through written examinations and interviews. The scholarship status for the first academic year will be assessed based on students' performance in the written exams, interviews, and high school grades. The scholarship status for the

second academic year will be determined based on students' academic performance and overall behavior during their first year of university.