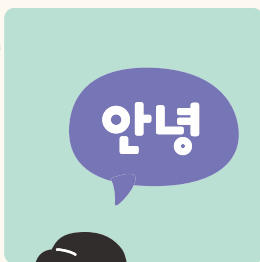




We meet friends from across the world at school!



International Joint Class



SEOUL METROPOLITAN OFFICE
OF EDUCATION

Countries Participating in International Joint Class



Participating Schools from Abroad

30 countries /
As of Dec. 2024

Country	No. of Schools	Country	No. of Schools	Country	No. of Schools	Country	No. of Schools
Japan	105	Serbia	9	Bulgaria	2	Ukraine	1
Taiwan	34	New Zealand	8	Ireland	2	Chile	1
Greece	25	Germany	8	Azerbaijan	2	Kazakhstan	1
France	20	Singapore	6	Hong Kong	2	Kuwait	1
The U.S.	18	China	6	Denmark	1	Türkiye	1
Australia	16	Thailand	6	Slovenia	1	Finland	1
Malaysia	13	Philippines	3	Albania	1		
India	11	Mongolia	2	The U.K.	1		
Total	308						



Participating Schools in Korea

As of Dec. 2024

Category	No. of Schools
Elementary School	72
Middle School	69
High School	163
Miscellaneous School	3
Special School	1
Total	308

Ready to go global with your dreams
in international joint class?



The whole world as one online in International Joint Class



What is International Joint Class?

Schools in Seoul and overseas engage in exchange classes both online and offline, allowing students to learn different languages and cultures and build friendships with peers from diverse backgrounds.

Purpose

Cultural and emotional exchange
to strengthen global competencies and build friendships.

Class Management

After matching a Seoul-based school to a school abroad, the two schools will discuss class details.

Category	Details
Language Used	As students wish (Native language, partner country's language, English, etc.)
Operation	Teachers from both countries coordinate topics, schedules, and jointly operate classes
Class Format	Online (real-time / non-real-time), Offline (mutual invitations / visits)
Online Platforms	(Real-time) Zoom, Meet / (Non-real-time) Padlet, etc.
Class Topics	Culture, Ecological Transition (SDGs), Coding, AI, Global Issues, etc.
Standard Model	Online exchange → Offline exchange → MOU signing

International Joint Class Online Leaflet



International Joint Class Online Leaflet Link

<https://leaflet-ijclass.co.kr>

Process for International Joint Class



Office of Education | School Tie-up Procedure

1

Demand survey
(December–February)

- Collection of International Joint Class applications from schools in Korea and abroad

2

School tie-up
(March–November)

- Factoring in language, grade, quota, time, etc.

3

Notification of the tie-up result
(December–February)

- Provide both tie-up schools with the counterpart's information



School | Class Procedure

1

Prior Consultation

- Discussion on class schedule, topic, etc. between the teachers from tie-up schools

2

Roll call

- Access the platform and check attendance

3

Class time

- Brief self-introduction followed by the lecture and activities
- Help from remote class assistants (optional)

4

Overseeing class activities

- Check on group rooms and encourage student participation

5

Class wrap up

- Return to the main screen and wrap-up

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Non-real-time exchanges
(optional)

- Share feedback and thoughts on the class
- Interactions through “culture boxes”, letter writing, social media, e-mail, etc.

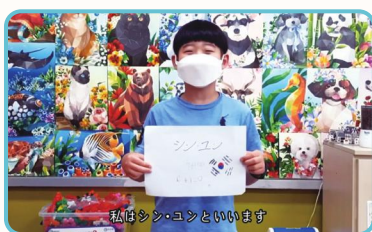
Who are remote class assistants?

Volunteer language assistants for study who provide interpretation/translation for a smooth running of International Joint Class and assist with class activities.



Examples

What are possible topics for the class?



Self-introduction in the counterpart country's language



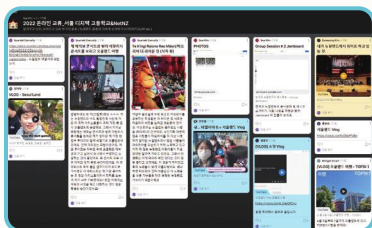
Exchanges during class through small group activities



International joint class using the metaverse



Introduction of traditional musical instruments by special class students in Korea and Japan



Sharing daily routines (Vlog)



Exchanging "culture boxes" and handwritten letters



Introduction Video



International Joint Class Guiding Materials



Operation Manual

Seoul Metropolitan Office of Education



Vision

Future-Opening Collaborative Education

Organization

As of Apr. 1. 2024



School
2,121



Student
835,068

- Kindergarten 754
- Elementary school 609
- Middle school 390
- High school 318
- Special school 32
- Miscellaneous school 18

School System

Grade	Pre-school	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	1	2	3
School Level	Kindergarten	Elementary School						Middle School			High School		
								Miscellaneous School					
		Special School											
Age	Six and under	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18

Semesters

	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
Semester	1st Semester						2nd Semester					
Vacation							Summer			Winter · Spring		



International Joint Class

How to Sign Up

- ◆ Submit Application for International Joint Class

<https://ijclass.sen.go.kr/application>



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- ◆ Inquiry to the International Affairs Team at the Seoul Metropolitan Office of Education

☎ Phone number +82-02-2282-8667~8

✉ E-mail intaffairs@sen.go.kr

