



DARMA SISWA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

INTRODUCTION OF DARMASISWA

DARMASISWA is a scholarship program offered to all foreign students from countries which have diplomatic relationship with Indonesia to study Indonesian language (Bahasa Indonesia), art and culture in 72 universities in 2020. This program was established in 1974 as part of ASEAN initiative, admitting only students from ASEAN. However, in 1974 this program was extended further to other countries. Until to date, the number of countries participating in this program is more than 185 countries organized by the Ministry of Education and Culture (MoEC), Republic of Indonesia.

The main purpose of DARMASISWA RI program is to promote and increase the interest in the language, art and culture of Indonesia among youth of other countries. It has also been designed to provide stronger cultural links and understanding among participating countries

I. PROCEDURE

Prospective students are required to register and submit all documents in Darmasiswa RI official website apply.darmasiswa.kemdikbud.go.id. For students who are not in the student's home country is not allowed to be registered through the Indonesian Embassy/Consulate General in the participating countries (non-citizenship).

II. PROGRAM SCHEDULE

1. Online registration
January 2020 until 2 March 2020
2. Interview at related KBRI/KJRI
(4 March 2020 until 13 March 2020)
3. Selection by the University (online)
(15 March until 3 April 2020)
4. Announcement
(20 April 2020)
5. Attendance confirmation
(21 April 2020 until 30 April 2020)
6. Final Announcement
(6 May 2020)
7. Flight itinerary confirmation
(7 May 2020 until 1 August 2020)
8. Arrival at Jakarta, Indonesia
(29 August 2020)
9. Orientation program at Jakarta, Indonesia
(29 until 31 August 2020)

III. COVERAGE OF SCHOLARSHIP

1. Students monthly stipend will be divided into 2 groups of area:
1st area Rp. 2.950.000,- (DKI Jakarta, Batam, Bandung, Surabaya, Bali, Manado, Makassar, Samarinda & Ambon)
2nd area Rp. 2.550.000,- (Aceh, Medan, Padang, Palembang, Lampung, Bogor, Purwokerto, Semarang, Yogyakarta, Surakarta & Malang).
2. Students will be provided with accommodation and transportation during the Orientation Program if the time arrival in time with the schedule from the Ministry of Education and Culture.
3. Students will get settlement allowance if they attend the Orientation Program.
4. Students legal permit arrangement will be supported by the Host University and Ministry of Education and Culture.
5. Students may seek assistance from Host University in finding a house/room to rent which is included in monthly the stipend.

IV. QUALIFICATIONS

1. Foreign nationals.
2. Completed secondary education or its equivalent.
3. Minimum age 18 years and Not older than 27 years of age.
4. Able to communicate in English (Proven by English Language Proficiency Certificate : TOEFL/TOEIC/IELTS or OTHER CERTIFICATE if applicable).
5. In good health as proven by Medical Certificate.
6. Have basic knowledge of the field you're applying.
7. Have good interest to learning about language, art and culture.
8. Not registered as Darmasiswa's Alumni
9. Not currently studying in Indonesia
10. Not currently working in Indonesia

V. INTERNATIONAL AIRFARE TICKET

The Ministry of Education and Culture does not provide the International airfare to/from Indonesia.

VI. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

1. Curriculum vitae/resume.
2. Medical Certificate.
3. The last high school diploma.
4. Passport valid at least 24 months from registration.
5. Language certificate (if applicable).
6. Other certificates that related to the field you're applying (if applicable).
7. Recommendation Letter From Education Institution / Professional Institution on official letterhead and signature (in English).
8. Essay about the purpose of study (in english or bahasa Indonesia maximum 500 words).
9. The video shows full of body and has a maximum duration of 2 minutes to tell about the motivation to join the program and what will be done after the program, as an ambassador of Indonesian culture. (in English and Indonesian)

VII. HEALTH INSURANCE

Will be receiving a local health insurance provided by BNI Life Insurance in collaboration with MoEC.

More information visit : <http://darmasiswa.kemdikbud.go.id>

