

IUJ Residential Policy

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As part of IUJ's mission, all students reside in the IUJ on-campus dormitory facilities SD1-3 and MSA, or when needed due to capacity issues, in IUJ facilitated housing in "SD4" in their 2nd year.

Family Considerations

Students bringing their family to the area may choose to live off campus if IUJ cannot provide suitable housing due to the limited number of Married Student Apartments or because the family size is too big (school aged children, or more than 2 children under 6).

Concerning Single Students

Single students will remain in SD1-3 (or SD4 in the 2nd year if IUJ requests).

If, for financial or mental hardship reasons, the student wants to appeal to move off campus, they may request special permissions to the Exceptions Review Committee.

Off Campus Living Requirement

Location

In order to minimize any disruption to studies, the off-campus location must be in the near vicinity.

Definition of "Near Vicinity":

- On the IUJ Bus route, or
- Within approximately 13km from IUJ campus (including downtown areas of Muikamachi and Koide) if students are able to secure their *own means of commuting to IUJ**.

**Students must show they are able to provide their own transportation legally and within scholarship limitations.*

Contact Information

Off campus residents must inform the OSS their address (and any changes thereafter) and an active workable number, ie. A mobile phone number for emergency contacting or necessary communication requirements.

Applying for Exception

To apply for an exception to the policy above, pick up a form at the OSS and submit it there. The OSS staff will interview you and take your application to the Exceptions Review Committee (ERC).

The ERC is comprised of 5 appointed members: a Vice President of IUJ, 1 faculty from both GSIR and GSIM, and a staff member from both the OSS and OAA.

