

Notice on Applications for the Beijing Foreign Studies University Special Scholarship for International Chinese Education

To fully leverage the role of Confucius Institutes in talent development, strengthen the cultivation of internationally-oriented talent, and promote international exchange and cooperation, Beijing Foreign Studies University has established the Special Scholarship for International Chinese Education.

I. Scholarship Amount and Quota

This scholarship is intended solely to cover tuition fees for students studying at Beijing Foreign Studies University for one semester or one academic year (two semesters).

In principle, the funding amount per student shall not exceed 12,000 yuan per semester.

Students are responsible for covering their own application fees, international travel expenses, accommodation costs, living expenses, medical insurance, and other related costs.

II. Eligible Applicants

Current students at Confucius Institutes and current students at partner universities abroad;

Applicants must meet the eligibility requirements outlined in the “Beijing Foreign Studies University International Student Admission Brochure.” For details, please refer to the following website: <https://osao.bfsu.edu.cn/info/1042/2097.htm>

III. Application Deadline

Scholarship application deadline: **April 15, 2026.**

IV. Required Documents

1. Application Form for the Beijing Foreign Studies University Special Scholarship for International Chinese Education
2. Scanned copy of the photo page of the applicant's passport
3. Letter of recommendation from the director of the Confucius Institute (1 letter)
4. Letters of recommendation from academic advisors holding the rank of associate professor or higher (2 letters)
5. Proof of highest academic degree or proof of current enrollment

V. Application Process

Students interested in applying for this scholarship should submit their application materials to the Confucius Institute, which will conduct an initial review of the materials.

Students who have already received a tuition-based scholarship are not eligible to apply for this scholarship. The Confucius Institute will forward the application materials of those who pass the initial review

to the Confucius Institute Office at Beijing Foreign Studies University for final review. The Confucius Institute Office will notify the relevant Confucius Institute of the final results, and the Confucius Institute will then notify the applicants of the final decision.

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VI. Special Notes

1. This scholarship is primarily open to students planning to enroll at Beijing Foreign Studies University in September 2026.

Under special circumstances, scholarship eligibility may be deferred for one year.

2. Scholarship eligibility does not constitute an admission offer from Beijing Foreign Studies University. Only students admitted to Beijing Foreign Studies University are eligible to receive funding under this scholarship.

3. The Special Scholarship for International Chinese Education is not disbursed directly to individual students. The Confucius Institute Office at BFSU will coordinate with relevant departments to process tuition payment procedures for scholarship recipients. Awardees must present the scholarship award notification and proof of enrollment to the Confucius Institute Office to apply for scholarship disbursement.

4. Applicants are responsible for the authenticity of the materials provided. Should any fraudulent activity be discovered, the applicant shall bear all adverse consequences.

5. Current students who receive this scholarship must obtain approval from their current institution and provide relevant supporting documents when formally applying for admission through the BFSU International Student Office's application system.

Attachment: Beijing Foreign Studies University Special Scholarship for International Chinese Education Application Form

Confucius Institute Office

March 3, 2026