



As of July 6, 2026

Center for International Education and Exchange (CIEE)

The University of Osaka

Internship Course Guidelines

Course 3: English Education Course

@ Kinder Kids International School

< Wednesdays or Thursdays >

Area: International School, English Language Education

1) About Kinder Kids International School

Kinder Kids International School is an Osaka-originated global education company that provides opportunities for many children to receive a high-quality education while fostering their international outlook and high English proficiency. The children are taught to take pride in their home country and themselves in an increasingly globalized society. The mission of Kinder Kids International School is to produce as many children as possible who can play an active role on the international stage with confidence. Osaka University and Kinder Kids International School recently agreed on an internship opportunity for qualified OUSSEP students to gain meaningful experience. Students support classroom childcare and educational activities. Almost all tasks can be carried out in English, but preference will be given to those who are willing to learn Japanese and the ways of a Japanese business. The internship will take place in Temma (the headquarters) or individual schools located in Toyonaka, Suita, Takatsuki, or Ibaraki. Kinder Kids International School will cover the transportation expenses of the students.

To learn more about Kinder Kids International School, visit the URL below:

<https://www.kinderkids.com/>

2) Internship Schedule

Wednesdays or Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., 15 weeks

This internship will be held either on Wednesday or Thursday. Other OUSSEP courses cannot be scheduled on these days.

3) Capacity

4 persons

4) Job Description

Supporting the main teacher or tutor in facilitating children's English learning activities, as well as assisting with other daily routines and tasks as requested by the nursery staff.

5) Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, students will be able to:

1. Observe interactions between teachers and children in Kinder Kids.
2. Analyze methods of teaching English to young children.
3. Recognize the skills necessary for early childhood education.
4. Identify their roles in Kinder Kids by supporting children's learning.
5. Compare English education in Japan with education in other countries.
6. Embody their future more through the internship.

6) Course Schedule

	Schedule	
Before Week 1	Pre-Internship Workshop	Held on Campus
Week 1	Training Session	Held at the Kinder Kids Head Office. Guidance and instructions from the host organization
Week 2 - 14	Training at Kinder Kids International School	- Classroom observations and practical training - Preparation for the final presentation
Week 15	Final Presentation and Reflection	Review and reflection on the internship experience

7) Grading Policy/Assessment

1. Learning engagement 20%
2. Weekly reports 20%
3. Practical Exam/ demonstration 20%
4. Final presentation 20%
5. Report/ Paper 20%

The topic and the length of the final presentation/ essay will be given during the course.

8) Other Information

Note:

- Students cannot enroll in any courses, including Japanese language (JA) courses, that are scheduled on their internship day.
- Once accepted as interns at Kinder Kids International School, students are not permitted to withdraw from this internship course.