

Decision of Institutional Certified Evaluation and Accreditation

Kyoto University of Education complies with the Standards for the Establishment of Universities and other relevant laws and regulations, and meets the Standards for Evaluation and Accreditation of Universities set by the National Institution for Academic Degrees and University Evaluation .

Good practices which have been identified by the review committee include:

- Continuing to receive specially appointed academic staff with three-year tenure from the Kyoto Prefectural and City Boards of Education based on the comprehensive agreement signed in fiscal 2005 with a view to invigorating the academic staff's organizational activities
- Provision of a wide variety of specialized course subjects, including a groups of Courses for Topics in Pedagogy which deal with a variety of challenges school education faces today and of cross-subject Courses for Issues Related to Education that involve different subject areas, in addition to those groups of subjects concerning Courses for Professional Teacher Education and Courses Related to School Subjects, but also
- Running the “e-Project@kyokyo” program, and the screening committee comprised of academic staff and students awards projects that achieve excellent outcomes in order to assist students with voluntary research activities.

Areas for improvement which have been identified by the review committee include:

- The excessive admission above the admission capacity at the Research Division of Education as well as the inadequate admission rate far below the admission capacity at the Special Postgraduate Course in Special Needs Education
- Setting the maximum credit limit each semester to 28, which apparently fails to provide them with a substantially adequate amount of study time to earn as many credits.

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