

# 1 Make Your Own Career at KCU

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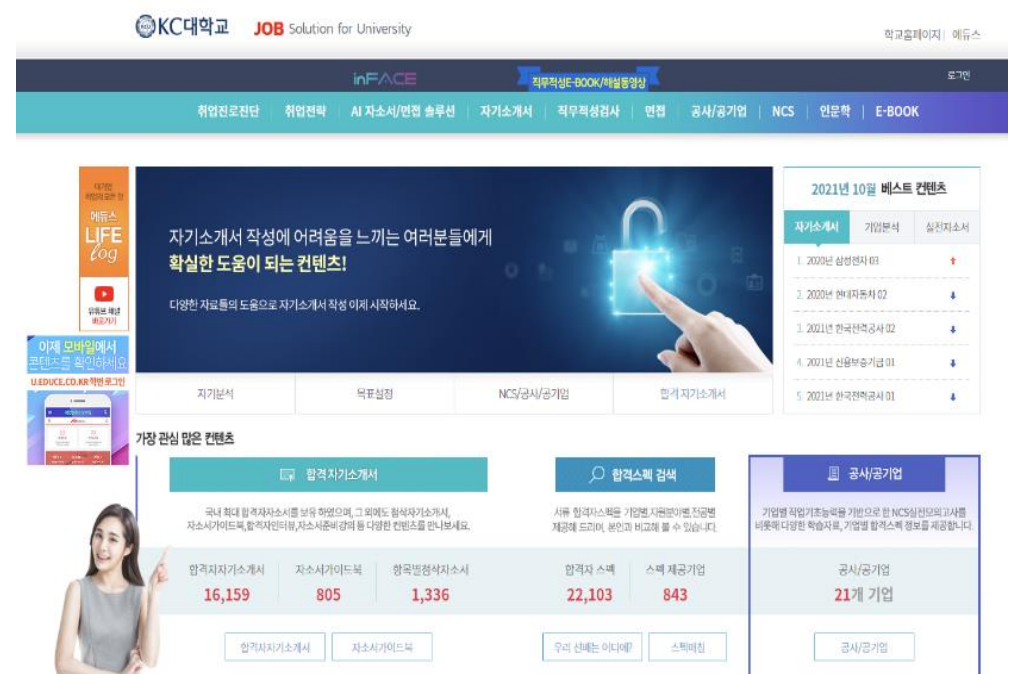
There are several employment-related programs at KC University that support students.

First, KC University's Center for Human Resources Center develops and provides systematic programs for the successful social advancement of students and graduates. The Human Resources Center helps students design their careers and helps them plan various career development and activities for employment. To this end, one-on-one Build Up coaching and tests are being conducted at all times.

The Career Planning, the Career Build Up Festival, Career Design Festival, KCU Career Star, E-DISC test (Dominance-Influence-Steadiness-Conscientiousness) and Workshop for the lower grades and those undecided about their careers. In the Job Competition, public corporation understanding and employment strategy etc. are offered.

Finally, Job Preparation provides programs such as simulated job interviews and a job application letter festival, job application letter practice, employment camp, and business manners for seniors. These help students develop necessary job skills.

On the other hand, if you want to find out employment information through the site yourself, you can access 'KC University Job Solution for University' from CRESTAR. This site will help students seek employment at companies. In 'KC University Job



'Solution for University', there is a program that analyzes the career of successful applicants by company. By industry and company, you can compare the academic backgrounds, grades, and TOEIC scores of successful applicants and you can get advice from successful applicants through a self-introduction letter. It can be a good opportunity for prospective job seekers who are preparing for their first introduction, or students who want to know in advance about companies you will work at in the future. In addition, job aptitude tests among companies have been actively conducted. The job aptitude test is a test to measure the knowledge required for work or the thinking ability to solve a situation where proper judgment is required during work. In this regard, it is composed of special lectures on job aptitude test by the company and a lecture on type analysis to help students prepare for employment. In addition, by providing interview lectures and materials, we can collect information on employment trends, employment timing, and companies to prepare for career. Through these programs, students are expected to be able to have a special career.

KC University provides representative employment programs for each department. In KC University, specialized education dispatch (on-the-job training, OJT) is conducted for seniors. In the school of business administration (Management, Correction, Tax Accounting), Department of Business Administration and Department of Big Data Management, can be applied to professional education institutions. After selecting the institution that the student wants to go to first, they consult with the academic adviser or the head of the department about the institution selected, and



the areas where the student wants to get a job. If the professor gives the student confidence that the work experience course in counseling will be helpful, the student can go to the selected institution to learn. At this time, the student prepares an application for work experience and submits it to the department. After completing the training at the institution, the student submits a result report to the department to complete the entire course. In 2022, a meeting between professors is currently scheduled to take place in accordance with the revised work experience system of the newly changed Ministry of Education (MOE).

## Representative extra-curricular programs by various offices at KCU

Seong-eun Park

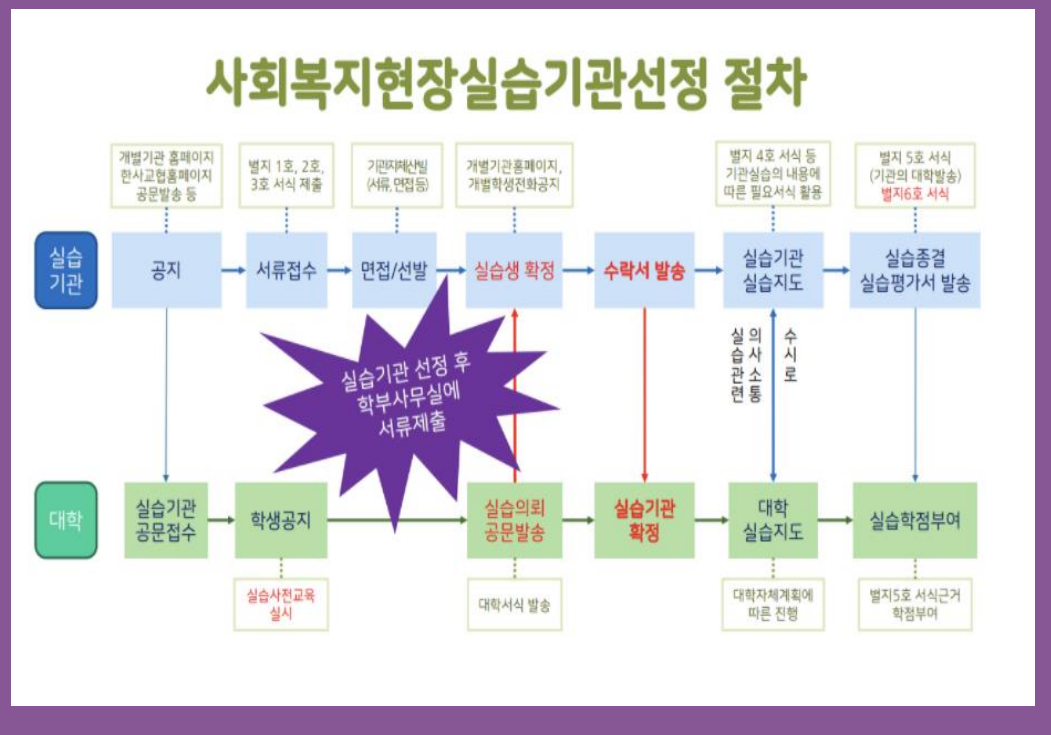
The offices that provide non-subject programs at KC University are the Human Resources Center, the Center for Teaching and Learning, the Student Counseling Center, the Start-up Support Center, the Leadership Center, and the Support Center for South-North Integration.

First, there is a program held by the Human Resources Center. The most representative program of these programs is the KCU Career Design Festival. This program is divided into a roadmap and a portfolio. Roadmap is a program involving first-year students and second-year to fourth-year students in the portfolio. The 1st to 3rd place will be selected and receive prize money. This year, after evaluating the presentations of outstanding players on career stars and roadmaps, 20 to 30 winners will be selected and Starbucks coupons will be presented to those who participate.

Second, the Jump-up and Tutoring programs are representative among other programs conducted by the Center for Teaching and Learning. The Jump-up and Tutoring programs are run for 10 weeks with 3 to 5 people on a team. Tutoring is a program in which leaders teach team members and achieve self-directed learning joint results. Even if the majors are different, team members share their feelings for some subject like TOEIC, each team leader writes a report every week and submits an interim and final report. Only one of the teams will have an interim meeting and participate in the results report to inform them of their activities, such as study apps and platforms. In addition, all team members and team leaders must complete the workshop together. Penalties apply if you don't complete all of duties. This year, if even one team member doesn't participate in the workshop special lecture, the penalty of one out of three will be given.

In the Department of Social Welfare, students who have completed more than seven courses among the courses required to acquire childcare training qualifications can apply for childcare training. In order to become a childcare teacher, one must obtain a '2nd grade social worker' and a '2nd grade childcare teachers' among the NTQ (National Technical Skills Qualification) designated by the MOE. Among the '2nd grade social worker' can be obtained through completing courses at KC University's Department of Social Welfare. In order to obtain these two certificates, child care and teaching practice must be conducted. Through childcare practice, students conduct practice at social welfare institutions or childcare sites such as kindergartens. In this process, students can actually experience what kind of job they are interested in. Through this, students can get a job at the institution or connect to another institution through the recommendation of the institution. Since January 2021, work experience for social welfare must be conducted only at institutions selected by Ministry of Health and Welfare. The institution can be checked in detail on the Department of Social Welfare notice or the Korea Association of Social Workers' site.

Students at KC University will be able to spend a more meaningful college life if they encounter various activities that open up a wide range of career choices from freshman year to senior year. It is recommended to experience various hidden activities with a steady interest in choosing your own job.



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### Q. What was the most impressive program last semester?

**Soohee:** I think it's the Jump-up.

**Hannah:** I put so much effort into the Jump-up that I remember the program, and the Tea Time Talk with the English professor was fun.

**Seongeun:** I think it's the Jump-up, too.

### Q. How did you feel after attending the programs?

**Soohee:** First of all, I couldn't meet students in the same department privately because I was a freshman in a non-face-to-face class, but it helped me adapt to school, study major subjects, and find out what I couldn't handle in class.

**Hannah:** There's a bit of room for improvement through TeaTime. It was just free talking as if talking in English, but friends who were not confident in English almost cried at first and never came again. I'm not saying that I'm good at English, but I had to get SGP (Student Guarantee Point) after finishing the program, so I tried my best, but I thought it would be nice if the professor could let me know in advance the topic of the next week's conversation. On the contrary, unlike classmates who were used to talking in English, the classmates who were not used to it continued to have difficulty adapting.

**Seongeun:** I participated in both Tutoring and Jump-up non-face-to-face, and at first, it was a study group with other departments and people I didn't know, so I stayed quiet because it was so awkward, but as time passed, it helped the team leaders take care of our team members and improve our English skills. Although it is a short time of 10 weeks, I was able to meet good team members and team leaders during the second semester and make precious memories.

is a theatrical activity in which KC University students act and prepare a play in English.

The English Drama Festival in the second semester of the 2021 school year was non-face-to-face due to COVID-19 and was said to be conducted differently from previous years. Until this year, KCU students have gathered in the auditorium and participated in the English Drama Festival with students and professors. This time, a video will be uploaded on KC University's website and YouTube for promotion and to show the results. Although it is not possible to show the work face-to-face, it is a great advantage that the audience can be expanded and the video can be permanently stored.



In connection with the course in Capstone Design in the second semester of the 2021 school year, experienced seniors will perform "Twelfth Night," one of the William Shakespeare's five major comedies, and present it with the guidance of Professor An, Young-ran of the English track of G2 Big Data Management at KC University. "Twelfth Night" is the story of twins Viola and Sebastian, who are the main characters, and the comical situation that causes chaos after the shipwreck in Illyria.

The "2021 English Drama Festival" was in December. Although the filming took a long time, it was completed successfully without much difficulty. From script adaptation to props production and video editing, they were able to make a good video through the participation of all the students. You can check it out at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t3WFi-iT0DM>

## 2021 English Drama Festival

Hee-ji Yang



KC University's English Drama Festival, which is operated in conjunction with a subject and extra-curricular activities,

## All about KC University's Clubs

Hyo-jeong Bong, Ji-hae Hwang

Students are not getting information about what activities are being carried out at school due to COVID-19. There are many students who are interested in club activities but cannot find related information. There are even students who may



have clubs on campus. Therefore, THE WHEEL will introduce our school's clubs through this article.

There are central clubs and informal clubs at KC University. A central club is an official club of the school. An informal club is a club that has not been promoted to an official club. Our school currently has a total of ten central clubs. Each club can be divided into fields such as volunteer work, religion, academics, culture, and hobbies. Some clubs are not limited to one field. By classifying clubs into fields, it is possible to gather students who improve each other's qualities and strengthen ties.

First, Volunteer clubs include Danuri, ADD, and Milal. As mentioned earlier, there are cases where the characteristics of the club are complex and ADD and Milal are clubs that can be considered "religious" and "volunteer". "Danuri" can be interpreted as "Let's be people who encompass the whole world." In line with its ideology, it is active in many organizations such as World Vision, Child Fund Korea, Good Neighbors, and Youth&Future. In addition, volunteer hours are given during activities, students can earn credits in a social service subject.

Next, there's ADD which stands for Agape, Diamond, and Didache. This means to embrace God's love, serve others and teach them. ADD is conducting "agricultural activities," an activity of volunteering in rural areas during vacation at each university, along with the school's teachers' office. Finally, Milal is a volunteer mission club for the disabled. In Milal, you can participate in activities with children with disabilities one on one. In addition, worship activities with various branches are also in progress.

In the case of ADD and Milal, two fields are combined, but there are also clubs for only religious activities. This includes CCC, which means Campus Crusade for Christ. CCC, which has the vision of "exercising spiritual movements anywhere," is a Korean university student missionary organization that combines more than 300 universities nationwide. They are currently proceeds using Zoom for meetings and campus Chapel. Furthermore, short-term missionary work of the Federated Training Association is also conducted.

ESC is the only academic club on campus. ESC stands for English Speaking Club and is a club where students can speak English with their clubmates. In order to try English conversation in a fun and diverse way, the club is planning programs such as English games and English discussions. In addition, you can participate in English programs inside and outside the school through clubs.

Cultural and hobby clubs include CDC, Zion, Eoulhoe, View, and KCU FC. CDC is the only dance club in our school. Anyone can dance together at the CDC if they have passion. Not only school events, but also YouTube activities are being promoted. Next, Zion is a band club. In Zion, you can play and sing

various genres of music such as ballad, rock, and hip-hop. They usually perform at school festivals and Eumjeulgamu. Eumjeulgamu is a festival of campus clubs. Eoulhoe is a club that enjoys cultural life with schoolmates. You can enjoy the cultural activities you want with the club members. You can participate in watching plays, movies, and sports with club members. FCU FC is a futsal club. Not only do they play futsal together to build friendship, but they also participate in futsal competitions.

These clubs encourage students to participate in autonomous activities on their own. Not only can they strengthen their own abilities through club activities, but they can also cultivate their ability to adapt as a member of society. Club activities are an opportunity to build various experiences and friendships. We hope many students will participate in club activities.



If you apply by submitting your name, major, ID number, and phone number to a club president, the president of each club will guide you. The phone number of the club president can be found on the club introduction poster posted on the official SNS of the general club association. Club information can also be obtained at the Club Fair, which is held every year. In addition, the official SNS of our school's general club association is being actively updated, so you can contact them for information you want to know.

## The 7<sup>th</sup> KCU President Inauguration

Ha-neul Yoon



On September 30<sup>th</sup>, the inauguration of KCU president Kim, Yong-Jae was held in the auditorium of the Seong-seo



Building. This day, the former president of KCU, professors, colleagues, and the chairman of the Gangseo-gu attended.

The minister Oh, Bong-Shic who is the senior pastor of ChiHyeon Church took charge of the worship service, and Go, Sung-Ju, the chairman of the board of School of Church of Christ Korea, delivered the welcome speech.



The former president Lee, Gil-Hyung started his retirement speech giving thanks to God for three years of his last presidency. He also gave thanks to the chairman of the board, Go, Sung-Ju and many other people who gave a lot of help to him during his term of office. Then, he apologized that even though he tried hard to improve the weakening economic conditions of the university, there are still many things to work out. He closed with saying, even after he retires, he will pray for and support the school.



President Kim said, “The university needs to change from the inside. We should yield and sacrifice what we have to, with a broad appreciation. Through doing this, we can build a school that can allow us to co-exist and improve altogether. The Korean society is changing rapidly and the university education environment is undergoing a violent upheaval. Under these circumstances, our university also seeks to change; however, the more important thing is to which way and how we are going to change.” in the inaugural address, emphasizing the importance of renovation.

He first addressed “renaming the college” as the imminent task of KCU, because for the school’s improvement, its name

should be reborn to fit reality. He went on saying, the new name should speak for the school and at the same time fit the Korean university society, and last for more than 50 years.

Secondly, “expanding the campus.” The Deungchon Campus, which is currently being developed, is a necessary step for the accreditation of the university, and an important opportunity for a better future, and also, an essential phase to be a school that cooperates and volunteers for the community. So he asked for cooperation of the members of the university, Church of Christ, and the community.



President Kim closed the speech by saying, he will make a school that will make everyone happy and welcomed.

The congratulatory messages were given by the Minister of Environment, Han, Jeoung-Ae, Jin,

Sung-Jun and Gang, Seon-woo, who are the national assembly members of Gangseo-gu. The messages were given online at the ceremony due to the COVID-19 situation. The president of Gangseo-gu Council, Lee Oui-gul congratulated and he expected the students to grow as competent people, and KC University to be developed as the center of Korea Universities.

## [Introducing the course of changing university name and the atmosphere of the university] Details regarding changing the school's name

Seo-jin Kim

Currently, KC University is striving to change its name.

In the beginning, the school held a briefing session and gathered opinions. Faculty members were at 9:30 a.m. on September 27, student council at 3 p.m. on Friday, October 1, graduate school at 1 p.m. on Friday, October 1, the same date as student council, and alumni association at 3 a.m. on Wednesday, October 6. It was the student council briefing session that students participated in. There was a briefing session on the renaming of the school at 3 p.m. on

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③	선호도조사	10/18(월)~10/21(목)	기획처
④	공청회	10/22(금) 오후 2시	기획처
⑤	교무위원회	10/25(월) 오전 10시	기획처
⑥	학교법인 이사회	11/8(월) 오후 3시(예정)	법인사무처
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Friday, October 1st. On Thursday, September 30, the newly inaugurated president came out to explain the importance

and advantages of the renaming and to hear questions from students one by one.

The Office of Planning explained that the reasons for the need for renaming are a decrease in the student population, strengthening the

university's brand, securing universality of school names, and strengthening community connectivity. The Office of Planning understood the students' opinion that the name would include regional characteristics, but said it was based on the judgment of experts and the decision of the board of directors.

And there was a school naming contest. From October 1st to October 17th, many students have already actively thought about the new school's name and submitted their ideas for the contest. The submissions were Gangseo University, Gangcheon University, Christian University, Seo-Seoul National University, Seoul Gangseo University, Seojin University, Seohwa University, Yeseo University, Hana University, Hangang University, and Hwagok University.

Students participated in a survey on the preference for new school names from Monday, October 18 to Thursday, October 21. Voting was not complicated and students only had to fill out name, affiliation, contact information, and a new school name.

Finally, at 2 p.m. on Friday, October 22nd, there was a public hearing to hear the results of the survey.

Gangseo University ranked first with 1,092 votes, Seoul Gangseo University ranked second with 403 votes, and

Christian University ranked third with 183 votes. In addition, there were 126 votes (4th) for Seo-Seoul University, 47 for Seohwa University (5th), 45 for Hana University (6th), and 40 for Seojin University (7th). Please check the table for details.

According to the Ministry of Planning and the board of directors, the school's name Christian University was already used in the past, so it seems unlikely that it will return to Christian University.

Currently, our school's school name has a strong image of being a theological university, making it difficult to attract Chinese students, and placing restrictions on external activities. In addition, university recognition is very important in job activities, and not many people know our school's name. It is difficult to raise a positive image of a university that people have not heard of. It seems that 100 percent of our school students wanted to change the school's name because they had difficulty with explanations every time they spoke of the school.

In what ways will it be better if the school's name is changed? Take for example the current No. 1 school name Gangseo University. When we hear Gangseo University, the first image that comes to mind is the location of Gangseo-gu, Seoul. This may help students get a job because companies often prefer candidates from universities in Seoul.

Also, since it breaks away from the image of a theological university, it is free to engage in external activities and applicants will not avoid this university for religious reasons. Many students were reluctant to enter our school because of issues with Christian universities. Distancing itself from this image will allow our university to expect an influx of Chinese students as well as students from other religions or non-religious students.

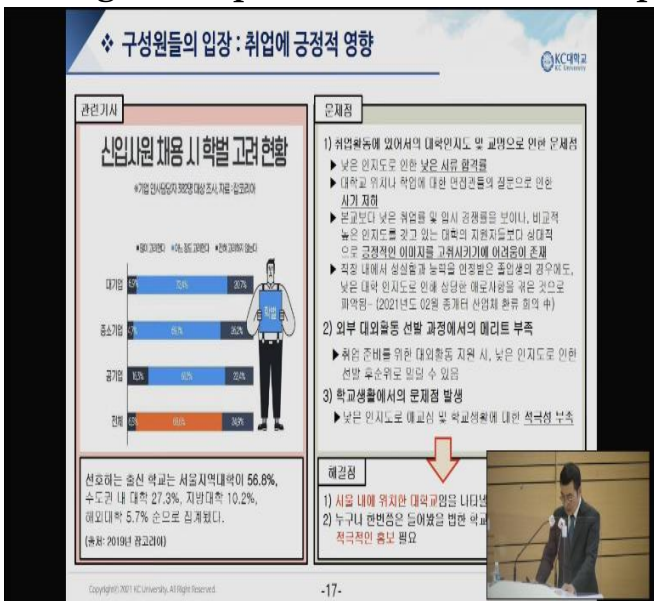
Above all, students will have pride in school. There will always be difficulties in explaining the acronym "KCU." Many people will be interested in our school when changed to an intuitive Korean school name. After the change, it will be necessary to promote the school's name, but the competition rate for entrance exams due to the change of the school name is also expected to rise.

The agenda for changing the name to the board of directors of the educational foundation was presented on December 3rd, and was finally passed on December 17th. The name was set as Gangseo University, which students wanted the most. Now, if we get approval from the Ministry of Education, the school's name will be changed to Gangseo University.

Students should try to spread the name of our school widely if the name is changed and be proud of our school for listening to the students' wishes. In addition, the school should promote the name of our school to freshmen on a large scale and provide generous support to our school to succeed by successfully constructing the current second campus. This change was an event where students could feel they have power as the students, and the sacrifice and spirit for the school will remain in memory until the end.



Ha-ram Chung



❖ 선호도 조사 결과: 교명별

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교명(가나다순)	응모자 수	비율	순위
1) 강서대학교 (Gangseo University)	1,092	54.2%	1
2) 강천대학교 (Gangcheon University)	13	0.6%	10
3) 그리스도대학교 (Korea Christian University)	183	9.1%	3
4) 서서울대학교 (Seoseoul University)	126	6.3%	4
5) 서울강서대학교 (Seoulgangseo University)	403	20.0%	2
6) 서진대학교 (Seojin University)	40	2.0%	7
7) 서화대학교 (Seohwa University)	47	2.3%	5
8) 예서대학교 (Yeseo University)	7	0.3%	11
9) 하나대학교 (Hana University)	45	2.2%	6
10) 한강대학교 (Hangang University)	33	1.6%	8
11) 화곡대학교 (Hwagok University)	27	1.3%	9
합계	2,016	100.0%	



There is a table garden on the 3rd floor of the Main Building of KC University and a vegetable garden on the roof. This is part of a movement that focuses on environmental protection, rather than simple remodeling or interior aspects. This project is a collaboration between the KCU Start-up Support Center and the



Agricultural Technology Center, Seoul Metropolitan Government. The name of the project is <Having N-Generation Farmers>. The goal is to change the direction of agricultural thinking and reduce the emotional and physical

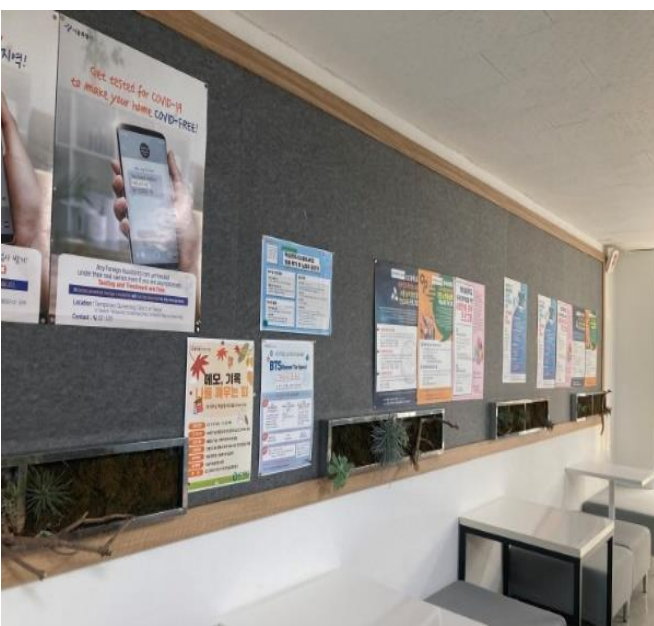


heat island phenomenon.

The table garden is a project that aims to lower the indoor temperature by 'reducing the emotional and physical heat island phenomenon'. When plants with a dehumidifying effect are put in the room, the perceived temperature

decreases by 1 degree for every 5% humidity decrease. Plants absorb heat, lowering the temperature that rises during the day, and can also purify the air. This indoor garden alone can reduce the temperature sufficiently without consumption of electricity.

The table garden also has various other functions and advantages. First, it beautifully decorates the interior space using plant materials with vitality. Second, it has a psychological function. Static or dynamic landscape elements



in the green plant space create psychological effects, promoting work efficiency and industrial activities. Lastly, the table garden functions as a meeting plaza. The indoor landscaped space is also a place for resting, meeting, and chatting. In this

way, even if we do not feel it directly, plants provide us with a good effect. Individual studies and small group activities are available here. We hope you have time to grow and communicate with others in nature.



The rooftop garden is a project aimed at revitalizing urban agriculture.

It suggests a new model of urban agriculture, aiming for inner growth and love of the environment through crop cultivation. We carry out various activities such as gardening, planting

crops, and using crops. By agriculturally utilizing the roof of the idle space, it is possible to maintain the natural ecosystem, reduce the cooling and heating costs of the building, cultivate emotions, and engage in healthy leisure activities. Furthermore, you will be able to feel your own growth as you watch the crops grow over time. In addition, since it is held on campus, which is not far away, you can participate more actively.

KC University is in the process of changing in line with the environmental protection required by the current generation. When the school protects and cares for the environment, it will also be preserved and grow. We take pride in having another competitive edge at our university, which has the title of growing together with nature.

## The Wheel 9-2

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# 8 NATION'S ORDER

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There are four major obligations that every Korean must obey: tax payment, education, labor work, and national service. Without any of these, then you do not have the right to be a citizen of Republic of Korea. Interestingly, minors are only obligated to be educated and for college students, there is no significant difference except for national service.

Serving in the military is very restrictive in many regards like hair, clothes, behavior with uniforms, etc. You can have whatever hair, style, and behavior you like as long as it does not violate the law. Interestingly, Korean male college students have to go through those upside-down situations serving in the military for about one and a half years. Due to that, many think that finishing national service is one step closer to becoming a man in Korea. Also, those who are not required join the services are viewed negatively.



Recently, DP (Deserter Pursuit) was on Netflix. It brought attention to those who did not participate in the military service and those who did. For those who finished the service, it brought nostalgia and memories of much pain and little happiness. For those who did not, limitedly, it shows how people can be treated through the national service experience. However, there are some disagreements on these views. It

went into extreme cases; Even the Ministry of Defense expressed it as 'unbearable.' Is it really true that DP is completely full of false information and the present is completely different?

According to Hangeore Newspaper, 80% of college students have experienced human rights abused during the national service. Of the 80%, 50% described their experiences as bad, 33% as extremely bad. The report also showed that 60% of students experienced abuses directly and 21% were experienced abuses indirectly or witnessed abuses.

Aside from the news, you can easily find someone who experienced abuse during service. Mr. Choi, a music major, who served from the ages of 18-20 said that he experienced beating, harassing, and verbal abuse because of snoring. Once, he even had to wait for an hour until after seniors had gone to sleep. Besides, seniors had spread negative views about him to others.

With these awful experiences people give a bad name to the national services and that is why many experienced people blame the drama DP. It brought reality to society. As a consequence, 49% of students wanted to avoid the military service.

Joining the military does not mean that they are completely old enough to be an adult. Most of them are still developing, learning, and experiencing. Strangely, it is often unacceptable to be a novice in the military. Also, the environment is very restricted to whom recently process of being an adult. During the process, people learned to be abusive, violent and irrational. These cursed acts become a part of their learning. That is why these short but painful experiences should not be forgotten by society. Once everyone is a victim, many become perpetrators. The solution is not about the military is becoming aware of problem; in fact, the problem is us. We must act differently and feel the pain altogether. This way, the misery can be ended.

