



February 2018 EPIK Orientation Information (TEAM 2)

- Venue: Korea National University of Education
- Period: February 19th (Monday) – February 27th (Tuesday)
- Placements: Daegu, Daejeon, Gangwon, Incheon, Jeonbuk, Sejong, National Schools (Jeonju, Daegu, Chuncheon)
- Arrival: Incheon International Airport (Airport Code: ICN)

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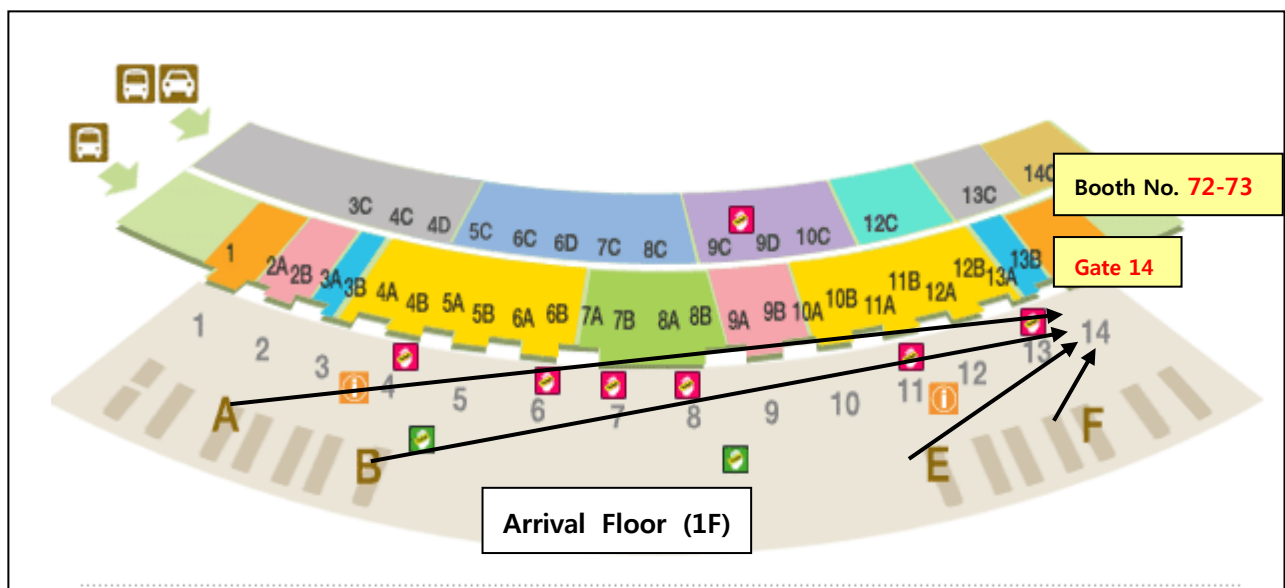
1. Arrival & Pick-up Information

1-1 After you arrive at Incheon Int'l Airport (Arrival Floor: 1F), please come to the **EPIK registration desk (Booth 72, 73 the 1st floor near Gate 14) in Terminal 1** as soon as you are ready to depart to the orientation venue. You will be required to board the bus after you have arrived at the EPIK airport desk.

※ Note that there are now 2 Terminals at Incheon Int'l Airport. If you are arriving in Terminal 2, please take the shuttle to Terminal 1 to meet us at Booth 72, 73 on the 1st floor near Gate 14.

※ If you need time to eat, rest, make phone calls, or exchange money, please do this *before* you arrive at the EPIK desk. However, if you arrive later in the evening, we strongly recommend that you visit the EPIK desk *first* so that you do not miss the last EPIK shuttle bus (8:00pm).

< Registration **Booth No. 72-73** near **Gate 14** at Incheon Int'l Airport, Floor 1 Arrivals >



1-2 At the EPIK registration desk (Booth No. 72-73)

Please **have the E-2 or F-4 visa page** of your passport ready to show the EPIK Staff.

1-3 Once you have registered at the EPIK airport desk and received any necessary information, please wait for further instructions in the waiting area as the shuttle bus will leave after enough people to fill the bus have registered.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Free shuttle bus service will be provided from **Incheon Int'l Airport to Korea National University of Education on February 19th only** (from approximately **11:00am to 8:00pm**). It will take about 1 hour to arrive at the orientation venue.

※ If you are unable to use the shuttle bus service on February 19th, you will be responsible for finding your own way to the orientation site. Any costs you incur will be borne by you.

2. Arriving on your own by Public Transportation in Korea

※ For those who haven't attended orientation previously, it is difficult to arrive at the orientation venue on your own. Due to multiple transfers and the burden of luggage, we highly recommend not going to the orientation venue on your own. Please plan to meet at Incheon Airport in order to take the EPIK shuttle service.

2-1 If you do not plan on using the complimentary EPIK shuttle bus service, you are expected to arrange your own transportation to the EPIK Orientation Venue (Korean National University of Education) at your own cost. Please contact the EPIK Coordinator with the estimate time of arrival at the orientation venue.

EPIK Coordinator: Aaren Manering (aaren.epik@gmail.com 82-2-3668-1394)

2-2 As for applicants who are already in Korea and have attended the EPIK orientation prior, you are required to arrive at the orientation venue before **5:00 pm** on February 22nd.

2-3 Public Transportation Information

1) Via KTX

A. Incheon Airport KTX (Incheon Airport KTX Station)

- Osong Station (approx. 2 hrs)
- 7:11am - 9:11pm (1~3 hour intervals)
- Fare: 31,000 KRW

You must transfer at Seoul Station (서울역) and then get off the KTX at Osong Station (오송역).



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fter which, you will need to take a taxi to the Korean National University of Education.

※ Osong Station → KNUE

(3.2km, 11 min. by taxi)

- Fare: approx. 6,500 KRW

■ Please show this note to the taxi driver.

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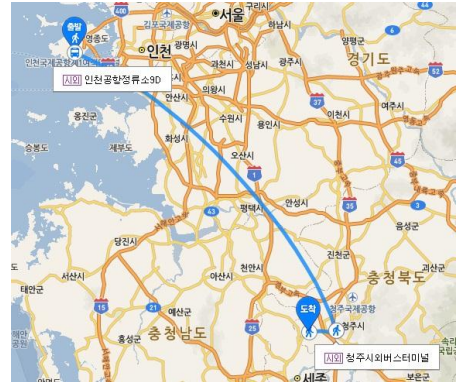
2) Via Intra-City Bus

A. Incheon Bus Stop 9D → Cheongju Bus Terminal

(approx. 2 hrs)

- 5:30am - 8:01pm (30 min. intervals)
- Fare: 19,600 KRW

B. After arriving at the Cheongju Bus Terminal, you will need to take a taxi to the Korean National University of Education.



※ Cheongju Bus Terminal → KNUE

(8.9km, 26 min. by taxi)

- Fare: approx. 12,000 KRW (Show note at the bottom of pg. 3)



3-3 Korean National University of Education Campus Map (www.en.knue.ac.kr)



- Registration on August 20th: Ham-In Dang Dormitory Lobby (31)
- Lecture Building: Center for In-service Training (12)
- EPIK Head Office: Foreign Language Training Center (13),
Room 209 ☎ 043-230-3215

4. Before Departing

4-1 What to Pack

Please be sure to pack the following things in the luggage that you will bring with you to the orientation:

- Pre-Orientation certificate
- Clothing suitable for **9 days** including an outdoor OUTFIT
※ Temperatures in Korea in February ranges from **-10°C to 7°C (from 14°F to 44°F)**.
- Personal belongings: alarm clock, umbrella, backpack, laptop, medication, cosmetics, towel, hairdryer and other toiletries **Please bring your own laptop for the Lesson Plan Demo**

4-2 Accommodation

- One teacher per room. **There are no co-ed dorm rooms. Married applicants cannot share a room. Please prepare accordingly.**
- Only soap, toilet paper, and slippers will be provided.
- Korean power voltage is 220-240v. **It is recommended for South African and British teachers to bring a plug adapter (circuit adapter) with them.**

4-3 Request for Accompanying Family Dependents

- We **do not** provide accommodations for dependents during the orientation. All dependents should arrive after the orientation or have other accommodations during the orientation.

4-4 Money & Currency Exchange

- Please bring enough money to last you through your first month (approx. 1 million KRW). You will not receive your first pay check or the Entrance Allowance until the end of your first month of the contract.
- It is very difficult to find ATMs that accept foreign debit cards at the orientation venue and at your school as well. Please bring enough Korean Won with you or exchange money at the airport.

4-5 Medical Assessment - Mandatory

Date	February 21, 2018 (Monday)
Fee	50,000 KRW (cash only)
Location	High School Gym (21) (Refer to the map in Section 3-3)

※ Important Notice

The medical check-up includes certain drug tests. Some over the counter medicine such as sleeping pills, pain medication (including over-the-counter products), or nasal sprays may affect test results even if they were taken 3-4 days prior to the test. All applicants are encouraged to abstain from use of the aforementioned items until the test has been administered. You must bring an official doctor's note when the medication is prescribed for unavoidable medical conditions.

※ **Medical Check-up for Current or Former EPIK teachers**

You are required to arrive **on Thursday, February 22nd before 5:00pm.** Your medical assessment will start the following morning.

4-6 Online Pre-Orientation

- All successful EPIK applicants must complete the online Pre-Orientation course before their arrival. After completion, please turn in your certificate to your homeroom teacher during the orientation.
- You will be invited by EPIK through email and can access the Pre-Orientation Course at <http://www.epik.go.kr> -> Online Pre-Orientation or <http://epik-pre.englishunt.com>.
- If you do not receive an invitation from EPIK's partner company, Englishunt, please contact them at epik@englishunt.com or by phone at 82-70-7439-4867.

5. Lost Luggage Protocol

5-1 Please plan for the possibility that your luggage could become lost or misplaced. It is advisable to contact your airline in advance ahead of time regarding how to retrieve lost luggage and pack some extra clothing in your carry-on.

5-2 If your luggage becomes lost, you should **immediately** contact the airline which was responsible for losing your luggage. You can do this by phone or by visiting the airline office at the airport (if your particular airline has an office at Incheon Int'l Airport).

5-3 Shipping Address & Contact Information

Address: 충청북도 청주시 흥덕구 강내면 탑연리 332-3 한국교원대학교 함인당 학생기숙사
Korean National University of Education, Ham-In Dang Student Dormitory, 332-3 Tabyeon-ri,
Grangnae-myeon, Heungdeok-gu, Cheongju-si, Chungcheongbuk-do, Republic of Korea

Postal Code: 우) 361-894

Telephone: 043-230-3215 (Cheongju)

▷ *If you do not receive your luggage by February 27th, be sure to contact the airline and give them the new contact information of your new school.*

6. February 2018 EPIK Orientation Schedule

Time Date	9:00am~10:30am	11:00am~12:30pm	2:00pm~3:30pm	4:00pm~5:30pm	6:00pm ~
2.19 (월)	Airport Pick-up & Registration				
2.20 (화)	Class Meeting (Campus Tour)	Open Ceremony	Korean History and Culture	Class Meeting II	Welcoming Dinner
2.21 (수)	Medical Check-Up	Lesson Planning 1	EPIK Duties and Regulations		Korean Class
2.22 (목)	Lesson Planning 2	Storytelling	Korean Language & Korea Today	Lesson Observation	Korean Class
2.23 (금)	Korean Culture Trip				Class Leader's Meeting
2.24 (토)	Cooperative Learning	Classroom Management	Networking	English Comprehension	Korean Class
2.25 (일)	Learning Taekwondo	Afterschool and Camp	Lesson Demo Prep	Lesson Demo Prep	Lesson Demo Prep
2.26 (월)	Lesson Demonstration & Feedback			Meeting with MOE / POE	Closing Ceremony & Farewell Dinner
2. 27 (화)	Luggage Loading on the POE/MOE Bus / Escorted to Each POE/MOE				

(This schedule is subject to change)