Hold a Foreign Nationality

1.Never held Republic of China ("R.O.C.") nationality

2.Has never undertaken studies in Taiwan as an overseas Chinese student Holds dual R.O.C. nationality shall have never had household registration in Taiwan Had held dual R.O.C. nationality but no longer does at the time of their application shall have renounced their R.O.C. nationality with the approval of the Ministry of the Interior for at least eight years

Formerly from the Mainland Area and who has foreign nationality and has have never had household registration in Taiwan Has foreign nationality, and is eligible for permanent residence in Hong Kong or Macao, who has never had household registration in Taiwan

Has resided overseas continuously for at least six years. The periods of six years shall be calculated using the starting date of the semester (February 1), or (August 1) as the end date of the period.

The term "overseas" refers to countries or regions other than the Mainland Area, Hong Kong, and Macau.

- * The term "resided continuously" means that a person did not spend more than a total of 120 days in Taiwan in each calendar year.
- * However, the following situations are not subject to this restriction:
- 1. attended an overseas youth training course organized by the Overseas Compatriot Affairs Council or a technical professional training program accredited by the Ministry of Education;
- 2. spent a total period of less than two years undertaking Chinese language classes at a Chinese language center at a university or tertiary college which has Ministry of Education approval to recruit students overseas;
- 3. spent a total period of less than two years in Taiwan as an exchange student; or
- 4. spent a total period of less than two years undertaking an internship that they came to Taiwan to undertake with the approval of the designated central competent authority.
- * A person who held both foreign and R.O.C. nationalities and applied for annulment of their R.O.C. nationality before February 1, 2011 is not subject to the 120 days restrictions.

Has never undertaken studies in Taiwan as an overseas Chinese student.

Has not been given a placement in the current academic year by the University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese Students.

Never been expelled and forfeited their status as a registered student by previous school due to misconduct, unsatisfactory of academic performance, or violated any ordinances/regulations and the circumstances were serious

Eligible

at the time of their application has resided in Hong Kong, Macao, or elsewhere overseas (other than the Mainland Area) continuously for at least six years