

## Seinan Jo Gakuin University Junior College (西南学院大学短期大学部)

### Evaluation summary

**This junior college has demonstrated satisfactory compliance with the standards of the Japan Institution for Higher Education Evaluation.**

Standards	Evaluation result
Standard 1. Mission and Objectives, etc.	Satisfied
Standard 2. Students	Satisfied
Standard 3. Educational Curriculum	Satisfied
Standard 4. Faculty and Staff	Satisfied
Standard 5. Management, Administration and Finance	Satisfied
Standard 6. Internal Quality Assurance	Satisfied

### Good practices

- Students take Christian Early Childhood Care and Education as a required course in their first year, deepening their understanding of Christian preschool education, which perceives “children” to be the center of God’s Kingdom and actively deepening their self-formation as students of Seinan Jo Gakuin. This initiative is worthy of evaluation.
- An annual policy is set regarding the State of Departmental Initiatives to Prevent Dropping Out, analyses are conducted, improvement measures for the next academic year stipulated, and the countermeasures to prevent students from dropping out are thorough. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.
- The college has created a system for supporting students’ mental health, with each year’s new entrants undergoing the University Personality Inventory health survey and where necessary being encouraged to consult with the Student General Support Office. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.

### Recommendations for improvement

- The ratio of the number of enrolled students to the total student capacity is less than 50%. Accordingly, improvements are required.