

“1000-Day Kwanseum Bosal Kido” Application

Kido for Establishment of International Kwan Um School of Zen Center at Musangsa

Musangsa International Zen temple in south Korea is the Kwan Um School of Zen’s head temple of Asia. It was established 23 years ago by Zen Master Seung Sahn and continues his teaching and helps to spread his teachings to all people of the world. Over the years, thousands of people from all over the world have come to Musangsa to learn and practice Zen together. At Musangsa all four groups of the Buddhist community, monks, nuns, laymen and laywoman come together to practice, understand themselves and help others.

However, in many ways, it has been difficult to accommodate all the practitioners due to the lack of adequate public facilities and housing. As a result, it is important to construct a new Meditation Hall and accommodations that can serve as a practice space for everyone to continue and develop Zen Master Seung Sanh’s teaching. Therefore, we have decided to conduct a “1000-Day Kwanseum Bosal Kido” with Monks, Nuns, laywomen, and laymen, to help fund this building project. We invite you to join the chanting and continue on the Bodhisattva Way.

1 Schedule

There will be ten 100-day sessions, starting June 3, 2023. See the detailed schedule below.

1000-day schedule	Beginning Date		End Date	
	Date	Year	Date	Year
1 st	June 3	2023	Sept. 10	2023
2 nd	Sept. 10	2023	Dec. 19	2023
3 rd	Dec. 19	2023	Mar. 28	2024
4 th	Mar. 28	2024	July 6	2024
5 th	July 6	2024	Oct. 14	2024
6 th	Oct. 14	2024	Jan. 22	2025
7 th	Jan. 22	2025	May 2	2025
8 th	May 2	2025	Aug. 10	2025
9 th	Aug. 10	2025	Nov. 18	2025
10 th	Nov. 18	2025	Feb. 26	2026

2 The First Day of 100 Days

The First Day of Kido will start at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 3, 2023, in Buddha Hall.

(We will provide all participants with 108 beads and a chanting notebook on that day.)

3 How to Participate in the KwansumBosal Kido

- 1) You can join the 10:00 a.m. ceremony each morning at the temple, or you can set a time every day at home to participate in the Kwansum Bosal Chanting (i.e., KwansumBosal Bodhisattva Chanting).
- 2) Participants will receive a Kido (i.e., chanting) Notebook that will include the chanting and a calendar to mark the days of chanting for every 100 days. At the end of every 100-day session you can hand in your Kido notebook. If you choose to continue with the Kido for another 100-day session you will receive a new one.
- 3) Kido participants can attend a special ceremony at the beginning date and on the end date of each 100-day session.

(The temple manages the schedules for those who submitted the Kwansum Bosal Kido.)

4 Cost

* 100-Day Kido Fee: 100,000 won (about 75 dollars)

* 1000-Day Kido Fee: 1,000,000 won (about 760 dollars)

* Account Holder: Seung Sahn International Zen Center

* Account Number: 733137-01-000781 (payment in installments possible)

* The Bank's Name: KB Kookmin Bank

5 Office Contact Information

If you have any questions or need more information, please feel free to contact us.

* Tel: 042 841 6084, Fax: 042 841 1202

* Website: <https://www.musangsa.org>

-----cut-----

