

2022年度日本政府(文部科学省)奨学金留学生申請書(専修学校留学生)

2022 APPLICATION FORM FOR JAPANESE GOVERNMENT (MEXT) SCHOLARSHIP  
(SPECIALIZED TRAINING COLLEGE STUDENTS)

記入上の注意

1. タイプ、又は手書きの場合はブロック体で明瞭に記入すること。
2. 数字は算用数字を用いること。
3. 年号はすべて西暦とすること。
4. 固有名詞はすべて正式な名称とし、一切省略しないこと。

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Type or write neatly by hand in block letters.
2. Use Arabic numerals (0, 1, 2, 3, 4...).
3. Write years in western calendar.
4. Write proper nouns in full without abbreviation.

※Personal data filled in this application form will only be used for scholarship selection purposes. Contact information such as email addresses of selected applications might be used by the Japanese Government in order to create academic networks or to send out relevant information when necessary.

1. 氏名(アルファベット) Name (in alphabet)	姓 Surname	名 Given name	ミドルネーム Middle name
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※パスポートの表記と同一にすること Write your name exactly as it appears on your passport.

2. 性別 Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> 男 Male <input type="checkbox"/> 女 Female	3. 婚姻状況 Marital Status	<input type="checkbox"/> 独身 Single <input type="checkbox"/> 既婚 Married	写真 Photo (4.5cm×3.5cm) 6ヶ月以内に撮影した写真 又はデジタル画像を貼ること。 写真の裏面に名前と国籍 籍を書くこと。 Paste your photo or digital image taken within 6 months. Write your name and nationality on the back of the photo.
4. 国籍 Nationality				
5. 日本国籍 Japanese Nationality	<input type="checkbox"/> 無 NO	<input type="checkbox"/> 有: 離脱予定年月 YES: expatriation date	2 0 年 yy 月 mm	
6. 生年月日 Date of Birth	年 yyyy	月 mm	日 dd 年齢(2022/4/1現在) Age (As of April 1, 2022)	

※申請者は1997年4月2日以降に出生した者であること。募集要項の学歴条件番号③を満たして申請する者のみ、日本の大学入学時点で18歳以上であることが必要である。Applicants must have been born on or after April 2, 1997. Only applicants who meet the condition No.③ of academic background in Section 4. (3) of the Application Guidelines should be over 18 years of age or older at the time of admission to a Japanese university.

7.(1) 現住所 Current Address	国名 Country
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※現住所が日本の場合、現在の在留資格の種類  
If you currently reside in Japan, what is your current resident status?

※既に我が国の在留資格「永住者」、「定住者」等を有している場合であっても、採用後に「留学」に変更する必要がある。なお、国費外国人留学生の身分終了後に改めて「永住者」又は「定住者」の在留資格を申請しても当然には認定されない可能性があることを理解した上で申請すること。An applicant with "permanent resident" or "long-term resident" status must change his/her status to "student" if selected. Be aware that application for the original status after "student" status is expired may not be necessarily approved.

(2) 渡日前住所 Your address before departure for Japan	<input type="checkbox"/> 同上 Same as above.
	<input type="checkbox"/> 下記住所に変更することが確定している The above 'Current Address' will be changed as follows:
	国名 Country

※渡日前住所が現住所から変更になることが確定している場合は、「(2)渡日前住所」の「下記住所に変更することが確定している」に✓を入れ、住所を記入すること。変更がない場合は「同上」に✓を入れること。If the current address will be changed at the time of leaving from your country, please check the box of 'The above 'Current Address' will be changed as follows:' and specify the new address. If the current address will not be changed, check the box of 'Same as above'.

※渡日前住所が国籍国と異なる場合は、渡日旅費が不支給となることを理解しているか。If your address before departure for Japan is outside your home country, do you understand that an airline ticket to Japan will not be provided?  はい YES  いいえ NO

(3) 査証申請予定公館 Name of Japanese diplomatic office where you will apply for visa issuance
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※下記外務省ウェブページを参照し、国籍国に所在する公館の中から公館名を1つ記載すること。不明な場合は在外公館に確認すること。Write a Japanese diplomatic office in the country of your nationality in reference to the following webpage of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Please consult in advance with a Japanese diplomatic office if you are unsure about this item.

Embassies & Consulates: [https://www.mofa.go.jp/about/emb\\_cons/over/index.html](https://www.mofa.go.jp/about/emb_cons/over/index.html)

(4) 電話番号 Phone number	(5) Email
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※可能な限り、渡日前～日本留学中～帰国後にわたり使い続けることが予想されるEmailアドレスを記入すること。  
You are suggested to write an email address that can be used continuously before, during and after your stay in Japan.

8. 現在の身分 Present status	<input type="checkbox"/> 学生 Student	在籍学校名 Name of school						
	<input type="checkbox"/> 就労者 Employed	勤務先名 Name of organization						
	<input type="checkbox"/> その他 Others							
9. 過去に在籍した高校又は大学での専攻分野 Specialized field of study in high school or university								
10. 学歴 Academic record								
<b>INSTRUCTIONS</b>								
<p>1. 初等教育から最新の教育課程まで正規生として修学した課程のみ記入すること。幼稚園・保育所教育は記入不要。</p> <p>2. 「卒業年月」は学校の公式な卒業年月を記入すること。(例: 学校の学事暦が10月入学9月卒業の場合、最後の8~9月が休暇の場合も「卒業月」欄は「9月」となる。)</p> <p>3. 最終学歴が卒業見込の者は、「卒業年月」には卒業見込年月を記入すること。</p> <p>4. 「卒業状況」を「その他」と選択した場合は、具体的な状況を「特記事項欄」に記入すること。(例: 退学、休学中)</p> <p>5. 「大学予備教育」は後期中等教育に含まれる。</p> <p>6. 「大学入学資格試験」に合格している場合には、その旨「特記事項」欄に記入すること。</p> <p>7. 「飛び級」をしている場合には、その旨を「特記事項」欄に記入すること。(例: 後期中等教育-3年次を飛び級により短期卒業)</p> <p>8. 住居の移転や大学の再入学等を理由に、同教育課程で複数の学校に在籍していた場合は、同じ欄に複数の学校の在籍を記載すること。</p> <p>9. 下記に書ききれない場合は、別紙に記入することも可能。しかしその場合は、別紙に記入する旨を明記すること。</p> <p>1. Write your record from primary education (elementary school) to most recent educational level attended only as a full-time student. Exclude kindergarten education and nursery school education.</p> <p>2. Write the official graduation year and month in the space of "To: yyyy/mm". (ex. In case of October intake and September graduation under the school's academic calendar, put "9 (September)" in the space of "mm" as an official graduation month although the term from August to September is a summer break.)</p> <p>3. For those whose status is "Expected to graduate", write expected year and month of graduation in the space of "To: yyyy/mm".</p> <p>4. If the applicant chooses "Other status" in the Status, indicate the detail of status in the Remarks column. (ex. Withdrawal, leave of absence)</p> <p>5. Preparatory education for university admission is included in upper secondary education.</p> <p>6. If the applicant has passed the university entrance qualification, indicate this in the Remarks column.</p> <p>7. Any school years or levels skipped should be indicated in the Remarks column. Example: Upper secondary education - Skipped senior year for the early graduation.</p> <p>8. If you attended multiple schools at the same level of education due to moving house or readmission to university, write all the schools in the same column.</p> <p>9. You may use a separate piece of paper if the space below is insufficient. In such a case, please indicate that the information is on a separate page.</p>								
教育段階 Educational level	学校名 School name	所在地 Location	入学及び卒業(見込)年月 Year & month of enrollment & graduation (expected to graduate)					
初等教育 (小学校) Primary Education (Elementary School)		州・省 State/Province	入学 From	年 yyyy	月 mm	年 yrs		
		市・町 City/Town	卒業 To	年 yyyy	月 mm			
前期中等教育 (中学校) Lower Secondary Education (Middle School/Junior High School)		州・省 State/Province	入学 From	年 yyyy	月 mm	年 yrs		
		市・町 City/Town	卒業 To	年 yyyy	月 mm			
後期中等教育 (高校) Upper Secondary Education (Senior High School)		州・省 State/Province	入学 From	年 yyyy	月 mm	年 yrs		
		市・町 City/Town	卒業 To	年 yyyy	月 mm			
高等教育 (大学学部) Tertiary(Higher) Education (Undergraduate)		州・省 State/Province	入学 From	年 yyyy	月 mm	年 yrs	<input type="checkbox"/> 卒業 Graduated <input type="checkbox"/> 卒業見込 Expected to graduate <input type="checkbox"/> その他 Other status	
		市・町 City/Town	卒業 To	年 yyyy	月 mm			
2022年4月1日時点の通算の学校教育修学年数 Total years of schooling attended as of April 1, 2022						年 yrs		
特記事項 Remarks (上記の特記事項欄で書ききれない場合は適宜使用すること) You may use the space if the space of the above Remarks column is insufficient.								

11. 過去に国費外国人留学生に採用されたことがあるか。なお、過去に国費外国人留学生として採用された者は応募対象外である。 Have you been awarded a Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship in the past? If 'YES', you are NOT eligible to apply.		<input type="checkbox"/> いいえ NO	<input type="checkbox"/> はい YES	
※過去に受給した奨学金が文部科学省奨学金に該当するか否か不明の場合は事前に在外公館に相談すること。If you are unsure whether previously awarded financial aid corresponds to a MEXT Scholarship or not, please consult in advance with a Japanese diplomatic office.				
12. 日本政府(文部科学省)奨学金制度による他のプログラム(2021年度奨学金支給開始プログラムのうち採否結果が未決定のプログラム及び2022年度奨学金支給開始のプログラム)に併願しているか。それらの日本政府(文部科学省)奨学金との併願は認められない。Are you applying for any other Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarships (including the programs for which scholarship payments will begin in FY2021, although their final selection results have not been decided yet, and the programs for which scholarship payments will begin in FY2022)? It is not allowed to apply for other Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarships at the same time.		<input type="checkbox"/> いいえ NO	<input type="checkbox"/> はい YES	
13.(1) 本制度による奨学金と重複し、日本政府(文部科学省)以外の機関(自国政府機関を含む)から奨学金等を受給、又は受給予定であるか。 Are you receiving or scheduled to be receiving any scholarship from any organization other than the Japanese Government (MEXT) (including an organization of your home country government) together with the MEXT Scholarship?		<input type="checkbox"/> いいえ NO	<input type="checkbox"/> はい YES	
※「はい」の場合、本奨学金と他の奨学金の併給は認められないため、本制度に採用後は他の奨学金の受給を停止しなければならないことを理解しているか。 If 'YES', do you understand you must cancel other scholarships after selected for MEXT Scholarship Student since it is not allowed to receive other scholarships together with the MEXT Scholarship?		<input type="checkbox"/> はい YES	<input type="checkbox"/> いいえ NO	
(2) 他の奨学金に応募又は他の奨学金を受給している場合は、その名称、期間、金額等を記すこと。 If you are receiving or applying for other scholarships, please specify the name of the sponsor, scholarship period, scholarship amount, etc.				
奨学金の名称・期間・金額 Name of sponsor, period and amount of the scholarship				
14. 日本での希望専攻分野及び学科等 Preferred field of study and subjects in Japan				
※必ず別紙「専攻分野に関連する主な学科等」から選んで記入すること。第2希望まで記入する場合、必ず第1希望と同一の専攻分野から選択すること。Select from the Annex "Majors and Related Subjects for Fields of Study". If you enter a second choice, ensure that it is from the same field of study as your first choice.				
記号 Code	希望専攻分野名 Name of field of study		番号 No.	希望学科名 Name of subjects
		第1希望 First choice		
		第2希望 Second choice		
15. 希望理由 Reasons for selection of field of study and subjects				
※14.で記入した学科等を希望する理由を具体的に記入すること。 Specify the reasons why you selected each "field of study" and "subject" in section 14.				
第1希望 First choice				
第2希望 Second choice				
16. 日本に関心をもったきっかけは何か。 What was the trigger for having an interest in Japan?				

17. 日本留学の経験を通じて日本と母国のためにどのような貢献ができると考えているか。What kinds of things do you think you can contribute to Japan and your home country through your experience of studying in Japan?									
18. 語学力 Language ability		読む能力 Reading		書く能力 Writing		話す能力 Speaking		聴く能力 Listening	
日本語 Japanese									
英語 English									
その他 Others ( )									
※3から0で自己評価すること Self-rate on a scale of 3 to 0.		3 = 優 Excellent		2 = 良 Good		1 = 可 Fair		0 = 不可 Poor	
19. 日本語能力(資格) Japanese language qualifications		日本語能力試験 JLPT		レベル level		その他 Other		(例) 日本留学試験(日本語) ○○○/450点 (Ex.) EJU Japanese Score: ○○○/450	
20. 英語能力(資格) English language qualifications		TOEFL		iBT		IELTS		その他 Other	
		Other type ( )							
21. 緊急の際の母国の連絡先 Contact person in your home country in case of emergency.									
氏名 Name								続柄 Relationship	
現住所 Current address								職業 Occupation	
電話番号/FAX番号 Phone / Facsimile number						Email			
22. 日本への渡航及び滞在歴 Past visits or stays in Japan List from your most recent visits.									
期間 Period								渡航目的 Purpose	
From	年 yyyy	月 mm	~	To	年 yyyy	月 mm			
From	年 yyyy	月 mm	~	To	年 yyyy	月 mm			
<p>私は2022年度日本政府(文部科学省)奨学金留学生募集要項に記載されている事項をすべて了解し、上記の通り申請資格を満たしていることを確認の上、申請します。</p> <p>I understand and accept all the conditions stated in the Application Guidelines for Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship for FY2022, and upon confirmation of my qualifications for application as stated above, I hereby apply for this scholarship.</p>									
申請者署名 Applicant's signature						申請年月日 Date of application		20 年 / 月 / 日 year / month / day	

**APPLICATION GUIDELINES**  
**JAPANESE GOVERNMENT (MEXT) SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2022**  
**(SPECIALIZED TRAINING COLLEGE STUDENTS)**

The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) of Japan offers scholarships to international students who wish to study at Japanese specialized training colleges as Specialized Training College Students under the Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship Program as follows.

**1. DEFINITION OF “SPECIALIZED TRAINING COLLEGE STUDENTS”**

Those who are enrolled in a postsecondary course at a specialized training college, or who are receiving preparatory education in the Japanese language and other subjects prior to placement at the specialized training college.

**2. FIELDS OF STUDY**

Those who apply for a specialized training college student must choose a field of study in accordance with the following procedure and fill in “Preferred field of study and subjects in Japan” on the application form.

(1) Choose a preferred field of study from among (A) to (F) below.

(A) Technology	(B) Personal Care and Nutrition	(C) Education and Welfare
(D) Business	(E) Fashion and Home Economics	(F) Culture and General Education

(2) Choose preferred subject(s) from the “Name of Subjects” listed in the chosen field of study on the Annex “Majors and Related Subjects for Fields of Study”. Applicants may enter a first and second choice of subjects from the same field of study.

(Note 1) Applicants who choose “Other Subjects” in the field of (A) to (F) are required to specify what kind of subjects they want to study in “Preferred Field of Study and Subjects in Japan” and “Reasons for Selection of Field of Study and Subjects” on the application form. If there are no accepting colleges for the subjects which are not specified as “Name of Subjects” and “Main Learning Contents” in the Annex “Majors and Related Subjects for Fields of Study”, his/her applications will be rejected and the applicants must withdraw from the scholarship selection. (Examples of subjects: medicine, nursing, biology, psychology, aircraft piloting, etc.)

**3. PREPARATORY EDUCATION AND STUDY AT SPECIALIZED TRAINING COLLEGE**

**(1) Preparatory Education**

- ① Each grantee will be enrolled at a preparatory educational institution designated by MEXT for the first year of the scholarship period. The preparatory course is a one-year intensive course in the Japanese language, Japanese affairs, and other subjects necessary for preparation for proceeding to a specialized training college.
- ② A grantee who has completed the preparatory course will go on to a specialized training college designated by MEXT. If a grantee is determined to be incapable of completing the preparatory course, his/her scholarship will be cancelled and he/she will be required to return to his/her home country.

**(2) Specialized Training College**

- ① The specialized training college which the grantee who has completed the preparatory course enrolls will be decided by MEXT upon consultation with the college concerned. No objection by the grantee against the decision will be allowed.
- ② A grantee of this scholarship will be enrolled into a postsecondary course of a specialized training college requiring graduation from an upper secondary school for entrance and receive professional education for two

years prior to graduation. A grantee who graduates will be awarded a diploma.

- ③ All classes will be given in the Japanese language.

### **(3) Change of Field of Study and Transfer to Another Institution**

- ① A grantee will not be permitted to change his/her field of study during the study at preparatory educational institution and specialized training college.
- ② A grantee will not be permitted to transfer to another educational institution during the period of the preparatory education course and the course at the specialized training college.

## **4. QUALIFICATIONS AND CONDITIONS**

MEXT accepts applications from international students for study in Japan who satisfy the following qualifications and conditions. Its aim is to foster human resources who will become bridges of friendship between the grantee's country and Japan through study in Japan and who will contribute to the development of both countries and the wider world.

**(1) Nationality:** Applicants must have the nationality of a country that has diplomatic relations with Japan. An applicant who has Japanese nationality at the time of application is not eligible. However, persons with dual nationality who hold Japanese nationality and whose place of residence at the time of application is outside of Japan are eligible to apply as long as they choose the nationality of the other country and renounce their Japanese nationality by the date of their arrival in Japan. The First Screening must be conducted at the Japanese Embassy or Consulate (hereinafter referred to "Japanese diplomatic mission") in the country of which the applicant chooses the nationality.

**(2) Age:** Applicants, in principle, must be born between on or after April 2, 1997. However, applicants who satisfy the following ③ condition of Academic Background must be 18 years of age or older at the time of admission to a university in Japan.

Exceptions are limited to cases in which MEXT deems that the applicant could not apply within the eligible age limit due to the situation or circumstances of the applicant's country (military service obligation, loss of educational opportunities due to disturbances of war, etc.) Personal circumstances (financial situation, family circumstances, state of health, circumstances related to applicant's university or place of employment, etc.) will not be considered for exceptions.

**(3) Academic Background:** Applicants must satisfy any one of the following conditions.

- ① Applicants who have completed 12 years of schooling in countries other than Japan. (Applicants who will meet the above condition by March 2022 are eligible.)
- ② Applicants who have completed studies at a school equivalent to a Japanese upper secondary school in countries other than Japan. (Applicants who will meet the above condition by March 2022 are eligible.)
- ③ Applicants who have successfully passed an academic qualification examination that is equivalent to the completion of 12 years of schooling in countries other than Japan. (Applicants who will meet the above condition by March 2022 are eligible.)
- ④ Other than the above ①, ② and ③ conditions, applicants who are eligible for enrollment in a postsecondary course at a specialized training college at the time of application.

**(4) Japanese Language:** Applicants must be willing to learn Japanese. Applicants must be interested in Japan and be willing to deepen their understanding of Japan before and after arriving in Japan. In addition, in principle, applicants must be willing to receive specialized training college education in Japanese.

**(5) Health:** Applicants must submit a health certificate in the prescribed format signed by a physician attesting that the applicant has no physical or mental conditions hindering the applicant's study in Japan.

**(6) Arrival in Japan:** In principle, applicants must be able to arrive in Japan between April 1, 2022, and April 7, 2022. Departure from the home residence should be on or after April 1, 2022.

Excluding cases in which MEXT deems as unavoidable circumstances, the applicant must withdraw from this scholarship program if the applicant cannot arrive in Japan by the end of the specified period above which decided by MEXT or the accepting preparatory educational institution.

**(7) Visa Requirement:** An applicant shall, in principle, newly obtain a "Student" visa at the Japanese diplomatic mission located in the applicant's country of nationality, and enter Japan with the residence status of "Student." Accordingly, even if the applicant already has other residence status ("Permanent resident," "Long-term resident," etc.), the applicant must change it to the "Student" status and re-enter Japan. Moreover, the applicant should be aware that after expiration of the status as a MEXT Scholarship student and even if the student again applies for their original resident status of "Permanent resident" or "Long-term resident," such resident statuses might not be necessarily granted. The applicant should also be aware that the scholarship will be cancelled if he/she arrived in Japan without a newly obtained "Student" visa.

**(8) Non-Eligibility:** Those who meets any one of the following conditions are ineligible. If identified ineligible after being selected as a scholarship student, he /she must withdraw from the scholarship.

- ① Those who are military personnel or military civilian employees at the time of their arrival in Japan or during the period of the payment of the scholarship;
- ② Those who cannot arrive in Japan by the last date of the period specified by MEXT or the accepting institution;
- ③ Those who are previous grantees of Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship programs (including those who withdraw from the scholarship program after the arrival in Japan). The Monbukagakusho Honors Scholarship for Privately-Financed International Students is not included in the Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship programs;
- ④ Those who are currently also applying to another program under the Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship system. This includes the programs for which scholarship payments will begin in FY2021, although their final selection results have not been decided yet, and the programs for which scholarship payments will begin in FY2022;
- ⑤ Those who are already enrolled in a Japanese university or other institution with a residence status of "Student," or who are going to be enrolled, or plan to enroll, in a Japanese university or other institution as a privately-financed international student from the time of application to the MEXT scholarship program in the applicant's country until the commencement of the period for payment of the MEXT scholarship. However, this stipulation does not apply to privately-financed international students who, even though they are enrolled, or are planning to enroll, in a Japanese university or other institution, verifiably complete their studies before the start of the scholarship payment period, return to their home country at the time of the scholarship application, and newly acquire the "Student" residence status and come to Japan;
- ⑥ Those who are planning to receive scholarship money from an organization other than MEXT (including a government organization of the applicant's country) on top of the scholarship money provided by MEXT after the start of the scholarship payment period;
- ⑦ Those who are expected to graduate at the time of application and cannot satisfy the condition of academic background by the deadline given;
- ⑧ Holders of dual nationality at the time of application who cannot verify that they will give up Japanese

nationality by the time of the arrival in Japan;

- ⑨ Those who change their residence status to that of other than “Student” after their arrival in Japan;
- ⑩ Those who plan to, from the time of application for the MEXT scholarship program, engage in long-term research (such as fieldwork or internship) outside Japan or plan to take a long-term leave of absence from the preparatory educational institution or the specialize training college.

**(9) Others:** MEXT Scholarship will be granted those who are willing to contribute to mutual understanding between Japan and their home country by participating in activities at schools and communities during their study in Japan while contributing to the internationalization of Japan. They shall also make efforts to promote relations between the home country and Japan by maintaining close relations with the university attended after graduation, cooperating with the conducting of surveys and questionnaires and cooperating with relevant projects and events conducted by the Japanese diplomatic mission after they return to their home countries.

## **5. PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP**

- (1) The scholarship period will last for three years from April 2022 to March 2025, including one-year preparatory education in the Japanese language and other subjects due to be provided upon arrival in Japan.
- (2) Extension of period of scholarship: If grantee graduates from a specialized training college, is admitted for enrollment in a Japanese university as a third-year transfer student and has outstanding academic achievement that meets certain criteria, he/she may have the period of his/her scholarship extended upon successful examination by MEXT.

## **6. SCHOLARSHIP BENEFITS**

- (1) Allowance:** 117,000 yen per month. A supplemental regional allowance of 2,000 yen or 3,000 yen per month will be added to the monthly scholarship amount for the grantees studying or conducting research in specially designated regions. Due to the situation of the Japanese Government’s budget, the amount of payment may be subject to change each fiscal year. If a grantee is absent from the specialized training college or preparatory educational institution for an extended period, the scholarship shall be suspended for that period.
- (2) Education Fees:** Fees for the entrance examination, matriculation, and tuition at specialized training colleges and preparatory educational institutions will be paid by MEXT.
- (3) Traveling Expenses:**
  - ① **Transportation to Japan:** MEXT will stipulate the travel schedule and route, and provides an airline ticket to grantees who will arrive in Japan during the specified period stated in “4. (6) Arrival in Japan”. The airline ticket will be an economy-class ticket for the flight from the international airport closest to the grantee’s residence (in principle, the country of nationality) to an international airport in Japan used on the normal route to the accepting institution. The grantee shall bear at his/her own expense all costs related to domestic travel from the grantee’s residence to the nearest international airport, airport taxes, airport usage fees, special taxes necessary for travel, travel expenses within Japan (including airline transit costs), travel insurance expenses, carry-on luggage or unaccompanied baggage expenses, etc. The grantee shall also bear at his/her own expense travel and lodging costs incurred in a third country if the grantee must travel to a third country before coming to Japan for visa purposes because there are no Japanese diplomatic missions in his/her country, or if there are no direct flights from the grantee’s country of residence to Japan. MEXT will provide an economy-class airline ticket from the grantee’s country of residence to the said third country, and from the third country to an international airport in Japan used on the normal route to the accepting institution. In principle, the address given in the space for “Your address before departure for Japan” on the application form shall be recognized as the “residence,” and the airline ticket will be arranged for a flight from the international airport nearest to that address. Except for cases when the grantee must travel to a third country to obtain a visa, MEXT will not provide an airline ticket for cases of



travel to Japan from a country other than the grantee's country of residence due to the grantee's personal circumstances. If a grantee will arrive in Japan before or after the specified period stated in "4. (6) Arrival in Japan", travel expenses will not be paid.

- ② **Transportation from Japan:** Based on the application by the grantee, MEXT will provide an airline ticket to grantees who shall graduate the specialized training college and return to the home country by the end of the final month of the period of scholarship (See "5. PERIOD OF SCHOLARSHIP"). MEXT shall provide an economy-class airline ticket from the international airport in Japan used for the normal route to and from the accepting institution to the international airport (in principle, in the country of nationality) nearest to the returning recipient's residence. The grantee shall bear at his/her own expense all costs related to travel from the grantee's residence in Japan to the nearest international airport, airport taxes, airport usage fees, special taxes necessary for travel, travel expenses within the country of nationality (including airline transit costs), travel insurance expenses, carry-on luggage or unaccompanied baggage expenses, etc. If a grantee returns to the home country before the end of scholarship payment period due to personal circumstances, or reasons stated in "7. SUSPENSION OF PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP" below, MEXT will not pay for the returning travel expenses.

If a grantee continues to stay in Japan after the scholarship period has ended in cases such as proceeding to further education or being employed in Japan, travel expenses for a temporary return will also not be paid.

## **7. SUSPENSION OF PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP**

Payment of the scholarship will be cancelled for the reasons given below. Should any of the following reasons apply, the grantee may be ordered to return a part of, or all of, the scholarship paid made up to that time. Payment of the scholarship may also be stopped during the period up to the decision on the disposition of the matter.

- ① A grantee is determined to have made a false statement on his/her application;
- ② A grantee violates any article of his/her pledge to the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology;
- ③ A grantee violates any Japanese laws and is sentenced and imprisoned for an indefinite period or for a period of exceeding 1 year;
- ④ A grantee is suspended from his/her specialized training college or preparatory educational institution or receives other punishment, or is removed from enrollment; as a disciplinary action in accordance with school regulations of the accepting institution;
- ⑤ It has been determined that it will be impossible for a grantee to complete the course within the standard period of study because of poor academic grades or suspension or absence from the specialized training college or preparatory educational institution;
- ⑥ A grantee came to Japan without newly acquiring the "Student" residence status, or changed his/her residence status has changed to one other than "Student";
- ⑦ A grantee has received another scholarship (excluding those specified for research expenditures);
- ⑧ A grantee proceeds to a more advanced level of education without receiving approval for an extension of the period of the scholarship.

## **8. SELECTION**

- (1) The Japanese diplomatic missions will conduct the First Screening of applicants by means of examination of submitted application documents, written academic examinations and interviews.
  - ① Subjects of Written Academic Examinations (to be undertaken by all applicants): Japanese, English, and Mathematics.
  - ② Calculators and other devices may not be used during the written examinations.
- (2) The date and time of the notification of the results of the First Screening will be specified separately by the Japanese diplomatic mission in the applicant's country; the reasons for the results of the screening will not be

disclosed. Those who pass the First Screening will not necessarily be selected as the MEXT Scholarship Students.

- (3) Applicants who have passed the First Screening will be recommended to MEXT. MEXT will then conduct the Second Screening of the recommended applicants and decide the scholarship grantees. MEXT selects candidates from each field of study.
- (4) Applicants will be informed of the final selection results by the Japanese diplomatic mission in the applicant's country by the end of January 2022. The reasons for the results will not be disclosed. Any objections to the decision on the university of placement will not be accepted.

## 9. APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

Applicants must submit the following documents to the Japanese diplomatic mission in the country of the applicant's nationality by the designated deadline. The submitted documents will not be returned.

No.	Documents	1 Original	1 Copy	Remarks
①	Application Form	○	○	Use the FY2022 Application Form. (See Note 4.)
②	Academic transcript(s) for all school years of last school/university attended	○	○	A transcript issued either by the school/university attended or by the applicant's national government. (See Note 5.)
③	Certificate(s) of graduation of school/university attended	○	○	If the applicant has not yet graduated, submit a certificate of prospective graduation from the school/university. (See Note 6.)
④	Recommendation letter from either a class teacher or principal of last school attended	○	○	Free format. A sample is available. (See Note 7.)
⑤	Medical certificate	○	○	Use the FY2022 certificate form.
⑥	Certificate of enrollment	●	●	Only for those currently enrolled in a university.
⑦	Certificate of university enrollment qualification examination	●	●	Only for those who pass the university enrollment qualification examination. (See Note 6 and 8.)
⑧	Certificate of language proficiency	/	● (2 copies)	Only in case applicant has documents attesting to competency in Japanese or English; submit 2 copies. No original document necessary. (See Note 9.)

- (Note 1) Documents indicated by the white circle (○) must be submitted by all the applicants. Documents indicated by the black circle (●) should be submitted only if applicable.
- (Note 2) These documents must be written in Japanese or English, or translation in either of these languages should be attached.
- (Note 3) The applicants must submit two application packets: one is a complete set of original documents and the other is a complete set of their copies. Ensure that there is no missing information in the application form when printing out. Write the document number from ① to ⑧ (refer to the numbers in the table above) in the upper right-hand corner of the first page for all the documents.
- (Note 4) The applicant's photograph to be attached to the Application Form should be of clear quality, taken within six months of submission, and printed on paper specially for photographs. The photograph should be 4.5 x 3.5 cm., upper-body, full-faced, no hats. Please write applicant's name and nationality on the back of the photograph. The photograph data can be pasted to the Application Form and printed out.
- (Note 5) Applicants must submit the following documents according to his/her academic background:
- (a) Applicants who are attending, or have graduated from, an upper secondary school: an academic transcript of the upper secondary school

- (b) Applicants who are attending, or have already graduated from, a university: academic transcripts of both the upper secondary school and the university.

The academic transcripts should show the grade scale applied and the grades earned by the applicant in all the subjects studied for each year of study at the school or the university. Those who are currently attending an upper secondary school or a university must also submit the academic transcript that covers the period from the year of enrollment to the term for which grades have been determined at the time of application for the scholarship. Those who are attending an upper secondary school or a university must also submit a transcript when he/she graduates from that school or university by the time selection results are finalized. In the case that the last school offers a single-structure education system consisting of a lower and upper secondary level or a primary and secondary level, the necessary academic transcripts to be submitted shall cover all school years of upper secondary education.

(Note 6) Applicants must submit the following documents according to his/her academic background:

- (a) Applicants who are attending an upper secondary school: a certificate of prospective graduation from the upper secondary school;
- (b) Applicants who have already graduated from an upper secondary school: a certificate of graduation from the upper secondary school;
- (c) Applicants who are attending a university: a certificate of graduation from the upper secondary school (in addition, they must submit a ⑥certificate of enrollment.);
- (d) Applicants who have already graduated from a university: certificates of graduation from both the upper secondary school and the university.

A copy of the graduation certificate and the certificate of university enrollment qualification examination is acceptable if the copy is attested by an authorized official of the university or an examination authority. Do not submit the originals as the submitted documents will not be returned. Those who are attending an upper secondary school or a university must also submit a certificate of graduation when he/she graduates from that school or university by the time selection results are finalized.

(Note 7) A recommendation letter for those who are attending an upper secondary school or a university should be issued by that school or university they are attending. A recommendation letter for those who graduated from an upper secondary school or a university should be issued by that school or university.

(Note 8) For applicants with “⑦Certificate of university enrollment qualification examination”, this document may be submitted in place of documents No. ②, ③ and ④.

(Note 9) If printing out the certificates from the Internet, print out and submit a page showing the applicant’s name and the details of the relevant qualification (level, score, etc.). The date of issue of the certificates should be no earlier than two years from the date of application to the Japanese diplomatic mission.

## 10. UNAVOIDABLE CIRCUMSTANCES

In the event of unavoidable or unforeseen circumstances, Japanese Government reserves the right to change or cancel the arrival date, scholarship, and contents of the application guidelines here within, at any time before or after notification of the results of the final selection.

Unavoidable Circumstances are defined as events whose effects could not reasonably be prevented or controlled by MEXT or Ministry of Foreign Affairs (including Embassies and Consulate generals of Japan) including but not limited to acts of God, acts of government (including local government, hereafter referred to as government), acts of government authorities (including limitations on travel or immigration enacted by the Japanese government or other foreign countries’ government due to the event of infectious disease), compliance with law, regulations or orders, fire, flooding and torrential rain, earthquakes, acts of war (regardless of a declaration of war), revolt, revolution or rebellion, strike, or lockout.

## 11. NOTES

- (1) The grantees are advised to learn, before departing for Japan, the Japanese language and to acquire information about Japanese weather, climate, customs, college education, and conditions of the university to attend in Japan, as well as about the difference between the Japanese legal system and that of his/her home country.
- (2) As the first installment of the scholarship payment will be made from one month to one and a half months after the grantee's arrival in Japan, the grantee is recommended to bring at least approximately US\$2,000 with him/her to Japan to cover immediate living expenses and other necessary expenses.
- (3) The scholarship payments will be transferred to the bank account of Japan Post Bank (JP Bank) opened by each grantee after the arrival in Japan. MEXT will not transfer the scholarship payments to other account.
- (4) Grantees must enroll in National Health Insurance (Kokumin Kenko Hoken) upon arrival in Japan.
- (5) It is suggested that grantees acquire a "My Number Card" upon arrival in Japan.
- (6) Accommodations:
  - ① In principle, each grantee will be able to live in a dormitory during the preparatory education. Expenses relating to accommodations will be borne by the grantee.
  - ② After entering a specialized training college, a grantee will be able to continue to live in the aforementioned dormitory or other residential accommodations introduced by the college. Expenses relating to accommodations will be borne by the grantee.
- (7) Information regarding the MEXT Scholarship Students (name, gender, date of birth, nationality, accepting college/university/graduate school/undergraduate school, field of specialty, period of enrolment, career path after completion of scholarship, contact information [address, telephone number, e-mail address]) may be shared with other relevant government organizations for the purpose of utilization for overseas students programs implemented by the Japanese Government (support during period of study in Japan, follow-up survey, improvement of the overseas student system).

Information regarding MEXT Scholarship Students (excluding date of birth and contact information) may be included in publicity materials prepared by the Japanese Government for promoting the acceptance of overseas students in Japan, particularly in order to introduce former MEXT Scholarship Students who are playing active roles in countries around the world.

These matters are included in the Pledge stipulating rules and regulations which MEXT Scholarship Students must comply with and submit when they have been granted the Scholarship.
- (8) The English texts attached to the Application Guidelines and the Application Form are for complementary use only. English expressions do not change the Japanese content.
- (9) If there are any questions about the content of the written texts in this Application Guidelines or any other matters, applicants/grantees should inquire the Japanese diplomatic mission in the country of the applicant's nationality and follow their instructions.
- (10) In addition to the regulations stipulated in this Application Guidelines, those that are necessary to implement the Japanese Government Scholarship programs shall be determined by the Japanese Government.

専攻分野に関連する主な学科等 (Majors and Related Subjects for Fields of Study)

専攻分野(Fields of Study)		学科等(Subjects)		主な学習内容 (Main Learning Contents)
記号 (Code)	専攻分野名 (Name of Fields of Study)	番号 (No.)	学科等名 (Name of Subjects)	
A	工業関係 (Technology)	1	土木・建築 (Civil Engineering and Architecture)	土木工学、建築設計等 (Civil Engineering, Architectural Design etc.)
		2	電気・電子 (Electrical and Electronic Engineering)	電気工学、電子工学等 (Electrical Engineering, Electronic Engineering etc.)
		3	機械 (Mechanical Engineering)	機械工学、機械設計等 (Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Design etc.)
		4	無線・通信 (Wireless Communication)	電気通信、放送、テレビ等 (Telecommunications, Broadcast, Television etc.)
		5	電子計算機 (Computer)	コンピュータ、プログラミング等 (Computer, Programming etc.)
		6	情報処理 (Information Processing)	情報処理、情報工学等 (Information Processing, Information Engineering etc.)
		7	その他( ) (Other Subjects)	
B	衛生関係 (Personal Care and Nutrition)	1	栄養 (Nutrition)	栄養等 (Nutrition etc.)
		2	調理・製菓製パン (Cooking and Confectionery, Bakery)	調理、製菓等 (Cooking, Confectionery etc.)
		3	美容・理容 (Cosmetology and Barber)	美容、理容等 (Cosmetology, Barber etc.)
		4	その他( ) (Other Subjects)	
C	教育・社会福祉関係 (Education and Welfare)	1	保育士養成(Nursery Teacher Training)	保育等 (Nursery Teacher Training)
		2	介護福祉(Nursing Welfare)	介護福祉 (Nursing Welfare)
		3	その他( ) (Other Subjects)	
D	商業実務関係 (Business)	1	経営 (Management)	経営学、経営実学等 (Business Administration, Business Practice etc.)
		2	経理・簿記 (Accounting and Bookkeeping)	経理、簿記、財務等 (Accounting, Bookkeeping, Finance etc.)
		3	ビジネス (Business)	実学ビジネス (Practical Business)
		4	商業 (Commercial)	商業、商業実務等 (Commercial, Commercial Practice etc.)
		5	旅行 (Travel)	観光、ホテル等 (Tourism, Hotel Management etc.)
		6	その他( ) (Other Subjects)	
E	服飾・家政関係 (Fashion and Home Economics)	1	和洋裁 (Japanese/Western Dressmaking)	服飾、ファッションデザイン等 (Clothing, Fashion Design etc.)
		2	その他( ) (Other Subjects)	
F	文化・教養関係 (Culture and General Education)	1	音楽 (Music)	音楽、音響等 (Music, Acoustic etc.)
		2	映画・映像 (Film and Video)	映画、映像等 (Film, Video etc.)
		3	アニメーション (Animation)	アニメーション (Animation)
		4	マンガ・イラストレーション (Manga and Illustration)	マンガ、イラスト等 (Manga, Illustration etc.)
		5	美術 (Art)	美術、絵画等 (Art, Painting etc.)
		6	デザイン (Design)	グラフィックデザイン、インテリアデザイン等 (Graphic Design, Interior Design etc.)
		7	写真 (Photography)	写真 (Photography)
		8	通訳・翻訳 (Interpretation and Translation)	通訳、ガイド、翻訳等 (Interpretation, Guide, Translation etc.)
		9	その他( ) (Other Subjects)	

※その他を選択する場合は、申請書に選択理由を詳細かつ具体的に記入すること。

NOTE: If you select "Other Subjects", please specify in detail your chosen subjects in your application form.