

To foreign national students who want to study without worrying about money



Students in higher education institutions who are **willing to learn** and meet the **household income** and other requirements below may receive

JASSO scholarship & Tuition and admission fee exemption (TAFE)

| Status of residence etc. | Special Permanent Resident | - Permanent Resident - Spouse or Child of Japanese National - Spouse or Child of Permanent Resident | Long-Term Resident who intend to live permanently in Japan | Dependent who meet the requirements* * Those who have graduated from elementary through high school in Japan and intend to continue working and settle in Japan after graduation from university, etc. |
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| Annual household income requirement | Grant-type scholarships/TAFE | | Loan-based scholarships | |
| | 3.8million yen or less <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Household with three or more dependent children (H3DC) ...No income requirement Students majoring in science/engineering/agriculture in private schools ...6million yen or less | | In case of undergraduate students with the following conditions: applying to interest-free loans, private schooled, parents are salaried and four family members 8million yen or less ※ ※ Estimated pre-tax income | |
| When to apply | In late April in the 3 rd year of high school or In April/September after entering higher education | | | Through the school you are enrolled in *Deadlines vary across schools. |
| Where to apply | | | | |

【Details of each type of scholarship】

| | Grant-type scholarships/Tuition and admission fees exemption | Loan-based scholarships |
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| Annual household income requirement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Category I (full support) : 2.7million yen or less Category II (2/3 support) : 3million yen or less Category III (1/3 support) : 3.8million yen or less Category IV : 6million yen or less & (①or②) ①H3DC (1/4 support for scholarship and full support for TAFE) ②Students majoring in science/engineering/agriculture in private schools (1/3 or 1/4 support for TAFE) H3DC : No income requirement (full support for TAFE) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The limit varies depending on family composition, etc. In case of undergraduate students with the following conditions: private schooled, parents are salaried and four family members |
| Eligible schools | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Universities (undergraduates), junior colleges, technical colleges (4th & 5th years of study) and professional training colleges that meet the prescribed requirements (See the list on the MEXT website) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Universities (including postgraduate studies), junior colleges, technical colleges (4th & 5th years of study), professional training colleges and graduate schools |
| Support amount | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The support amount is determined based on the categories of household, etc. <div> <div> Monthly amount of grant-type scholarships Ex) Category I: If you are an undergraduate student who lives away from home National/public: ¥66,700 Private: ¥75,800 </div> <div> Annual upper limit on exemption of tuition and admission fees Ex) Category I or H3DC: If you are an undergraduate student National/public: Admission fee ¥280,000, Tuition fee ¥535,800 Private: Admission fee ¥260,000, Tuition fee ¥700,000 </div> </div> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You may choose monthly amount of loan. Example of an undergraduate student <div> <div> Interest-free loans 20/30/40/54 thousand yen (In case of students going to private school and commuting from home) One-time increase in the first payment of loan-type scholarship 100~500 thousand yen (100 thousands yen increments) </div> <div> Interest-bearing loans 20~120 thousand yen (10 thousands yen increments) </div> </div> |

For further information/contact *Only available in Japanese

- MEXT's dedicate website "New Financial Support System for Higher Education" <https://www.mext.go.jp/kyufu/index.htm>
- Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO)

Website
Scholarship Consultation Center

Grant-type
Loan-based

<https://www.jasso.go.jp/shogakukin/kyufu/index.html>
<https://www.jasso.go.jp/shogakukin/about/taiyo/index.html>
 Tel: **0570-666-301** (Monday-Friday) (9:00-20:00)
 *Excluding national holidays and year-end/new year holidays
 *Calls are subject to charges



Check your eligibility

JASSO Scholarship Simulator

<https://shogakukin-simulator.jasso.go.jp/>
 You can estimate whether you meet the requirements for each scholarship.



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