

◆ (IMPORTANT) Application Requirements and Restrictions for Exchange Students AY2017-2018

1. Undergraduate Schools

【Qualification】

- At the time of application, students must be enrolled as undergraduate students at universities with exchange agreements with Waseda University.
- Students must be continuously enrolled as undergraduate students until the end of the exchange study period at Waseda University.
- Students demonstrating excellent academic and personal records at their home universities.
- Students having strong motivation as well as a clear study plan in any field available at Waseda University and who are likely to benefit from study in Japan.

•【Only School of International Liberal Studies(SILS)】

- ① At the point of application, students must have completed at least one semester at their home universities.
- ② Students have completed most of their secondary education (6 years) in a non-Japanese educational system.

•【Other Schools】

Students must have completed at least 12 years of school education or the equivalent in countries other than Japan.

Undergraduate Schools	Department(s)	Language *1	Course List *2	Requirement(s)		Admission		Semester Acceptance Available	Note	Campus
				GPA 4.0 Scale*3	Language Proficiency	Apr.	Sep.			
Schl Political Science and Economics	web link	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	Waseda
		ENG	CL	N/A	TOEFL iBT(80)・TOEFL PBT(550)・IELTS(6.0)	○	○	○	—	
Schl Law	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	N/A	○	—	
Schl Education	web link	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	N/A	N/A	—	
Schl Commerce	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1) or EJU Japanese(280)	○	○	○	—	
		ENG	CL	N/A	TOEFL iBT(61)・TOEFL ITP(500)・IELTS(5.0)・TOEIC(620)	○	○	○	There are limited numbers of courses conducted in English.	
Schl Social Sciences	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	
Contemporary Japanese Studies Program(CJSP)	N/A	ENG	CL	3.0	TOEFL iBT(80)・IELTS(6.0) *TOEFL-ITP is not accepted	N/A	○	○	—	

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Schl International Liberal Studies(SILS) (English Based Program with required Japanese Language Classes)	N/A	ENG (Curriculum)	CL	3.0	TOEFL iBT(80)・ TOEFL PBT(550)・ TOEFL CBT(213)・ IELTS(6.0)	○ Only one semester	○	○	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●At the point of application, students must have completed at least one semester at their home universities. In case of college transfer, study period before transfer is not counted. We may require additional documents in order to make fair judgment on admission. ●We offer "English Based Program with required Japanese Language Classes". ●Only one semester enrollment is offered for April admission. ●Please take a careful look at the following web page for the important notes regarding the courses that are open to exchange students (SP3=Study Plan 3) at SILS. http://www.waseda.jp/fire/sils/assets/uploads/2016/05/Important_Notes_for_SP3.pdf	Waseda
Schl Culture, Media and Society	web link (Do not need to select when submitting Application)	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	Toyama
Schl Humanities and Social Sciences	web link (Do not need to select when submitting Application)	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	
Schl Fundamental Science and Engineering	web link	JPN	CL	3.0	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●All departments except the Department of Communications and Computer Engineering offer Japanese Based Programs for exchange students. ●Some departments DO NOT open English-Based Programs for exchange students. ●Exchange students are allowed to take only the courses offered by the department they are to enroll in. ●It is not allowed to take any courses offered by other departments/programs within the Faculty of Science and Engineering. ●Students enrolled in the Japanese-based program are not allowed to take courses offered at the English-Based program. ●The major field of study at Waseda must be the same as at the home university. ●At the time of enrollment, the student must be in his/her 3rd year (Junior) or above at his/her home university. (English-Based program only) ●Any courses related to graduation work (including the graduation thesis) or laboratory work/experiments are not available. 	Nishi-Waseda
Schl Creative Science and Engineering		ENG	CL(Please scroll down the web and see "Exchange students(Undergraduate)")		TOEFL iBT(79)・ TOEFL PBT(550)・ IELTS(6.5)・ TOEIC(730)	○	○	○		
Schl Advanced Science and Engineering										
Schl Human Sciences	Human Behavior and Environment Sciences / Health Sciences and Social Welfare / Human Informatics and Cognitive Sciences	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	N/A	N/A	—	Tokorozawa (Saitama Prefecture)
Schl Sport Sciences	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	N/A	N/A	—	

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2. Graduate Schools

【Qualification】

- At the time of application, students must be enrolled at the graduate level at universities with exchange agreements with Waseda University.
- Students must be continuously enrolled at the graduate level until the end of the exchange study period at Waseda University.
- Students demonstrating excellent academic and personal records at their home universities.
- Students having strong motivation as well as a clear study plan in any field available at Waseda University and who are likely to benefit from study in Japan.
- Students must have completed 16 years of school education or the equivalent in countries other than Japan.

Graduate Schools	Department(s)	Language *1	Course List *2	Requirement(s)		Admission		Semester Acceptance Available	Note	Campus
				GPA 4.0 Scale*3	Language Proficiency	Apr.	Sep.			
G.S. Political Science	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○*4	○*4	○	*4= Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor before application.	Waseda
		ENG	Syllabus	N/A	TOEFL iBT(80)· IELTS(6.0)·TOEIC(800)	○*4	○*4	○		
G.S. Economics	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○*4	○*4	○	*4= Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor before application.	
		ENG	Syllabus	N/A	TOEFL iBT(80)· IELTS(6.0)·TOEIC(800)	○*4	○*4	○		
G.S. Law	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	
G.S. Education	web link	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	Specialization in Advanced Teacher Training major accepts only master course in spring.	
G.S. Commerce	N/A	JPN	CL	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	
G.S. Social Sciences	web link (Do not need to select when submitting Application)	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1) or above score 80 of JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	No specific language requirements for doctoral program applicants, however, their language level must be approved by the academic supervisors.	
G.S. International Culture and Communication Studies(GSICCS)	N/A	ENG	Syllabus	N/A	TOEFL iBT(86)·TOEFL PBT(567)·IELTS(6.5)· TOEIC 780	○	○	○	If it is confirmed that the student's English proficiency is equal to or above the level specified on the left, the student could be exempt from taking these tests. Please ask us for details.	
G.S. Letters, Arts and Sciences	web link (Do not need to select when submitting)	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	Toyama

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G.S. Fundamental Science and Engineering	web link(FSE)	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	The passing of the N2 level of the Japanese-Language Proficiency Test is recommended to apply for the Japanese-based programs.	○*4	○*4	○	<p>●Exchange students are allowed to take the courses which they have been given permission to take.The courses must be chosen from those offered by the Department you are to enroll in.</p> <p>●We can not always offer courses taught in English.In some Departments, only courses taught in Japanese are offered.</p>	Nishi-Waseda
G.S. Creative Science and Engineering	web link(CSE)								<p>*4= Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor before application.</p> <p>《Step 1》 Find the research topics and supervisors which are of interest to you: Please refer "Graduate Schools, Programs, Departments, Research Instructions, and Instruction Supervisors (English-based Program)" → "List:Research Instructions and Instruction Supervisors(pdf)"</p> <p style="text-align: center;">https://www.waseda.jp/fsci/en/admissions_gs/</p>	
G.S. Advanced Science and Engineering	web link(ASE)	ENG	Syllabus	N/A	TOEFL iBT(80)・IELTS(6.0)	○*4	○*4	○	<p>《Step 2》Supervisor contact information: Researcher Database (from the Faculty of Science and Engineering website) (Click on the relevant department and then click on either "Activities" or "Laboratory")</p> <p style="text-align: center;">http://www.sci.waseda.ac.jp/research/index-e.html</p> <p>When contacting a faculty member via email, please include the information below. Emails must be written in English. ----- Subject: "Applicant to the Admission to Exchange Program (Your Name)" Main Text: Include the following items. -Name -Prospective research supervisor -Program that you are applying to (master's, or research student) -Your university (include department and major) -Brief description of your research experience -Brief description of your future research plan -Home address -Phone (home and/or cell) -Your email address -Nationality Please attach your CV with a maximum file size of 3 MB. -----</p>	

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G.S. Human Sciences	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○*4	○*4	○	*4= Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor before application.	Tokorozawa (Saitama Prefecture)
G.S. Sport Sciences	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○*4	○*4	○	*4= Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor before application.	Tokorozawa (Saitama Prefecture)
G.S. Asia-pacific Studies(GSAPS)	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	Waseda
		ENG	Syllabus	N/A	TOEFL iBT(92)	○	○	○	—	
G.S. Japanese Applied Linguistics(GSJAL)	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	—	Waseda
G.S. Information, Production and Systems(IPS)	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○*4	○*4	○	*4= Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor before application.	KitaKyushu (Fukuoka Prefecture)
		ENG	Syllabus	N/A	TOEFL iBT(80)	○*4	○*4	○		
G.S. Environment and Energy Engineering	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○*4	○*4	○	*4= Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor before application.	Honio (Saitama Prefecture), Nishi-Waseda

Professional Graduate Schools	Department(s)	Language *1	Course List *2	Requirement(s)		Admission		Semester Acceptance Available	Note	Campus
				GPA 4.0 Scale*3	Language Proficiency	Apr.	Sep.			
Waseda Business School (WBS) (the Graduate School of Business and Finance)	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	●At least three years' work experience is required. If less than three years, the number of MBA courses you may take per semester will be limited to two. ●In addition, MSc in Finance Courses will be open for Exchange students in AY2017.Its course list will be made available around March 2017.	Waseda
		ENG	CL	N/A	TOEFL iBT(92)・TOEFL PBT(580)・IELTS(6.5)・TOEIC(900)	○	○	○		
G.S. Accountancy	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	JLPT(N1)	○	○	○	Only Master course is acceptable.	

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3. Japanese Language Program(JLP)

[Qualification]

- At the time of application, students must be enrolled as undergraduate or graduate students at universities with exchange agreements with Waseda University.
- Students must be continuously enrolled as undergraduate/graduate students until the end of the exchange study period at Waseda University.
- Students must have demonstrated excellent academic and personal records at their home universities.
- Academic records of all courses, not only Japanese language, will be taken into consideration in the selection at Waseda University.
- Students must have strong motivation to learn Japanese. Japanese language proficiency is not necessarily required.

Educational & Affiliated Institute	Department(s)	Language *1	Course List *2	Requirement(s)		Admission		Semester Acceptance Available	Note	Campus
				GPA 4.0 Scale*3	Language Proficiency	Apr.	Sep.			
Center for Japanese Language (Japanese Language Program(JLP))	N/A	JPN	Syllabus	N/A	N/A	○	○	○	Restrictions apply for taking courses offered by other schools. Refer to "Notice for Taking Courses Offered by Other Schools for JLP Students" for details. https://www.waseda.jp/inst/cjl/en/students/registration/download/	Waseda

*1: JPN = Courses conducted in Japanese / ENG = Courses conducted in English

*2: CL=Reference Information: Last Academic Year's Course List

Syllabus= **NOT** all courses in the Syllabus Search are open to Exchange Students. Also, please be aware that the information contained on these web sites changes frequently.

*3=Waseda University uses a **4.0 scale** to GPA. If your home University does not calculate GPA, we will be judging based on your transcript(s) and your Grading System Chart.
In order to satisfy our GPA requirement of 3.0 out of 4.0, you will roughly need to **score 75 points on a 100-point scale**.

*4=Applicants should preferably contact their prospective research supervisor **before application**.