

Nishogakusha University - Study Abroad Program

Fact Sheet for 2026 Enrollment (Exchange- undergraduate)

Overviews	
Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A university with tradition and prestige founded in 1877 • Education excellence that has produced leaders in various fields in Japan • Specialized program in learning Japanese literature, culture, and language skills • Extensive Japanese language study, not only grammar, but also Japanese classics, geography, history, and society • Located in the heart of Tokyo, the center of Japan • Close and friendly atmosphere with faculty, staff and Japanese students • Abundant opportunities to interact with Japanese students • Many cross-cultural exchange activities • Safe and secure accommodations in global atmosphere
Outline of the Program	<p>The program consists of two components of study: Japanese Language and Japan Studies. The Japanese language component provides students with high quality of the Japanese language training. These subjects are set as regular courses in the undergraduate programs. The Japan studies component includes all regular subjects offered by undergraduate programs. Students can choose subjects which they are interested in and deepen their friendships by learning together with regular students.</p>
Classes	
Subjects	<p>Students can take 10 classes, including 6 Japanese language subjects listed below. Undergraduate classes can be increased according to their Japanese language proficiency.</p> <p>(1) Japanese Language</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Japanese I A & B 2. Japanese II A & B (Intermediate) 3. Japanese II A & B (Advanced) 4. Japanese III A & B (Intermediate) 5. Japanese III A & B (Advanced) 6. Japanese Culture and Society A & B <p>(2) Japan Studies</p> <p>Students can choose all subjects offered by undergraduate programs.</p>
Program Schedule (Tentative)	<p><u>[Spring Semester] early April to end of July 2026</u> <u>[Fall Semester] mid-September 2026 to end of January 2027</u> Plus a week of examination period after each semester.</p>
Course Search	<p>Students can search their preferable course from the following sites. www.nishogakusha-u.ac.jp/campuslife/about/syllabus.html</p>
How to apply	
<p>(1) Conditions</p> <p>Students who passed Level N2 of the Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT), or have the same level of Japanese language study experience (600 hours).</p> <p>(2) Required documents</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Commitment Form (誓約書) (for the application of "Student Exchange Program") *in Japanese 2. Score report of Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) and certificate *if applicable 3. Academic Transcript 4. Letter of Recommendation (for the application of "Student Exchange Program") 5. Physical Examination Certificate 6. Passport copy (data) 7. Photo (3cm×4cm) (data) 8. Personal Statement <p>* 1, 4, 5 and 8 can be downloaded from the below application website</p> <p>(3) Procedure</p> <p>Upload the above 8 documents and apply from the website below; URL: www.nishogakusha-u.ac.jp/international/study_abroad_application.html</p> <p>(4) Application Deadlines</p> <p>2026 Spring semester: by October 31, 2025 2026 Fall semester: by March 31, 2026</p>	

Others	
Tuition	Exchange Students are exempt from paying the tuition. However, it is necessary to pay additional charges for the excursion and other extracurricular activities.
Visa and Status of Residence	Nishogakusha University will apply for a Certificate of Eligibility (COE) at the Immigration Bureau of Japan on behalf of the exchange students. After the COE is issued, we will send you the COE with the permission letter from Nishogakusha University. Please apply for the Student Visa at the Embassy of Japan or the consulate general of Japan.
Insurance	Exchange Students should have travel insurance before leaving their country, which covers medical care, lost and damages while you are in Japan. In addition to having your travel insurance, exchange students will be required to join Personal Accident Insurance for Students Pursuing Education and Research ("Gakkensai") before arriving in Japan (Annual Insurance fee: about JPY1,340) and Japan's National Health Insurance after arriving in Japan (Annual Insurance fee: about JPY30,000).
Campus	Located in the heart of Tokyo, near the Imperial Palace. Kudan Campus: https://www.nishogakusha-u.ac.jp/english
Accommodation	<p>A fully furnished shared residence ("Social Residence"), with easy access to the heart of Tokyo, is provided. It is located about a 70-minute commuting distance to Kudan campus by train and walking. Social Residence is a shared house where international students from other universities live together. Rooms are private, with tenants sharing facilities such as kitchen and living room. There will be many opportunities to use Japanese, English, Chinese, and many other languages. Residence outside of the designated dormitory is not permitted.</p> <p>-Facilities: Self-locking entrance, shower/bath (share), kitchen (share), refrigerator (share), air conditioner, washing/drying machine (share), microwave oven (share), rice cooker (share), bed, bed sheets, pillow, eating utensils, study room, Wi-Fi, recreation room, etc. **All exchange students are required to live in the above Social Residence.</p> <p>(1) For exchange students (other than the below university): Rent is approx. JPY 60,000/month (including common expenses approx. JPY 20,000). -Registration fee (JPY20,000) is also required.</p> <p>(2) For students from Chinese Culture University: Rent is free, except for common expenses (approximately JPY 20,000/month).</p> <p>(Common expenses: water, electricity, gas, and Internet).</p>
Student Services	<p>(1) Library The Exchange Student has total access to the library.</p> <p>(2) Computer The Exchange Student receives an E-mail account and access to the computer room.</p> <p>(3) International exchange events International Center holds cross cultural events for international students. The Exchange Students are absolutely welcomed to all these events.</p>
Pick-up service on arrival	<p>The University will provide a free shuttle bus service to your dormitory (Social Residence), on your arrival to Japan (Narita Airport only). Pick-ups will only be available on the following dates (tentative).</p> <p>Early April 2026 (for students studying from April 2026) Mid-September 2026 (for students studying from September 2026)</p>

For further information about the Exchange Program, please ask your institution, or

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