

Admission Schedule

April 2026 Entry

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●—● : Application Period ■ : Examination Date ▲ : Documentary Screening △ : Notification of Application Screening Result ◇ : Interview Period ◎ : Notification of Result

Graduate School	Exam	Degree	Admission Type	Residence	Student Status	2025						2026			Page number	Prior Contact to a Professor
						July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March		
Life and Medical Sciences	Fall	Ph.D.	General Applicants	Japan Abroad	Regular			●—● 9/16 9/24		■ 11/16	◎ 12/1				139	Required
					Special				▲							
Global Studies	Fall	Master Ph.D.	General Applicants	Japan	Regular			■ ◎ 9/14 9/26							171	Strongly Recommended for - Master's Program (Residence: Abroad Student Status: Special) - Doctoral Program
					Special	●—● 7/9 7/28										
				Abroad	Regular Special			▲ ◎ 9/26								
	Spring	Master	General Applicants	Japan	Regular								■ ◎ 2/15 2/27			
					Special						●—● 12/22 1/7		▲ ◎ 2/27			
		Ph.D.		Regular								■ ◎ 2/15 2/27				
				Special								▲ ◎ 2/27				
Brain Science	Round 1	Integrated Doctoral Degree Program	General Applicants	Japan Abroad	Regular Special	●—● 7/3 7/18	▲ △ 8/22							182	Required	
	Round 2	Integrated Doctoral Degree Program [for transfer to the third year]						●—● 9/2 9/17	▲ △ 10/10	◇—◇ 11/4 11/18	■ ◎ 12/6 12/17					

September 2026 Entry

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					Special								▲ ◎ 2/27			
Global Studies	Spring	Ph.D.	General Applicants	Japan	Regular								■ ◎ 2/15 2/27		244	Strongly Recommended
					Special						●—● 12/22 1/7		▲ ◎ 2/27			
				Abroad	Regular											
					Special											