



FACT SHEET

Information for Student Exchange (2025-2026)

General Information			
Location	<p>https://chiba-u.ac.jp/e/about/location/index.html Chiba University has four campus at Nishi-Chiba, Inohana, Matsudo and Kashiwanoha located in Chiba, and one satellite campus at Sumida located in Tokyo. The main campus at Nishi-Chiba can be reached by train in one hour from Tokyo, and is about one hour by train from Narita and Haneda International Airport.</p>		
Number of students	13,788 students		
Number of faculties & graduate schools	11 undergraduate faculties and 9 graduate schools		
Website	https://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/e/index.html		
Academic calendar	Fall semester	Term 4	From early October to late November
		Term 5	From early December to late January
	Spring vacation	Term 6	From late January to late March
	Spring semester	Term 1	From early April to late May
		Term 2	From early June to late July
	Summer Vacation	Term 3	From late July to late September
Contact information			
Office in charge of student exchange matter	International Student Division		
Postal address	1-33 Yayoi-cho, Inage-ku, Chiba-shi, Chiba, 263-8522 JAPAN		
Head of International Student Division	Koichi TANYA (Mr.)		

Student Exchange	
Eligibility	<p>Prospective exchange students must satisfy the language proficiency requirements of their course of studies.</p> <p>Prospective exchange students who apply to study at the graduate level must have completed at least one (1) semester of graduate studies before being admitted to the exchange program.</p> <p>Exchange students are expected to return to the sending university upon completion of the exchange program.</p>
Course information	
Website for Course syllabus	<p>Exchange students may enroll in the following regular courses with the teacher's permission. Please consult with academic advisor which courses to enroll in.</p> <p>The URL for syllabus is below.</p> <p>https://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/e/course-program/index.html</p>
Japanese Language Course by CIE	<p>Center for International Education (CIE) offers an array of Japanese language courses in order to cater for all types of international students. Permission from an academic advisor is required to take these courses.</p> <p>The courses are divided into eight levels, from elementary to advanced.</p> <p>https://jlcr.gs.chiba-u.jp/top.php</p>
① Undergraduate • Graduate	
Undergraduate or graduate students who wish to deepen their majors can enroll in one of our faculties or graduate schools as exchange students.	
Requirements & deadlines	<p>Requirements and deadlines vary from faculties and graduate schools.</p> <p>Please Contact the desired faculty of graduate school directly.</p>

Contacts for Undergraduate (URL · Email address)	Faculty of Letters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.l.chiba-u.jp/ • bhgakumu@office.chiba-u.jp
	Faculty of Law, Politics & Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.le.chiba-u.jp/ • bhgakumu@office.chiba-u.jp
	Faculty of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.education.chiba-u.jp/ • edu-ryugaku@chiba-u.jp
	Faculty of Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.s.chiba-u.ac.jp/ • iad2880@office.chiba-u.jp
	Faculty of Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.f-eng.chiba-u.jp/ • kougaku-kyomu@chiba-u.jp
	Faculty of Horticulture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.h.chiba-u.jp/ • engei-kokusai@chiba-u.jp
	School of Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.m.chiba-u.ac.jp/en/ • igaku-ryugaku@chiba-u.jp
	Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.p.chiba-u.jp/en/ • inohana-yakugaku@chiba-u.jp
	School of Nursing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.n.chiba-u.jp/ • inohana-kango@chiba-u.jp
	Faculty of Informatics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://informatics.chiba-u.jp/ • kougaku-kyomu@chiba-u.jp
Contacts for Graduate (URL · Email address)	Graduate School of Humanities and Studies on Public Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.gshpa.chiba-u.jp/en/index.html • gah2352@office.chiba-u.jp
	Graduate School of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.education.chiba-u.jp/ • edu-ryugaku@chiba-u.jp
	Graduate School of Science and Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.se.chiba-u.jp/ • iad2880@office.chiba-u.jp (Science) • pad3885@office.chiba-u.jp (Engineering)
	Graduate School of Horticulture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.h.chiba-u.jp/ • engei-kokusai@chiba-u.jp
	Graduate School of Medical and Pharmaceutical Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.m.chiba-u.jp/dept/gakufu/ • sah5234@office.chiba-u.jp (Medical) • yakugaku-in@chiba-u.jp (Pharmaceutical)
	Graduate School of Nursing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.n.chiba-u.jp/ • tae5667@office.chiba-u.jp
	Graduate School of Informatics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://informatics.chiba-u.jp/ • pad3885@office.chiba-u.jp

②J-PAC (Japan Program at Chiba)

Program	J-PAC is the program for undergraduate students who wish to study Japanese culture and society mainly. It consists of two sub-courses.	
	International Liberal Arts Course	This course is for students with any specialty who are interested in Japanese culture and have started Japanese language learning.
	Japanese Studies Course	This course is designed for students who specialize in Japanese language or Japanese studies at their home universities, and who wish to study about Japan in Japanese language.
Study Period	1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All academic year: October to August next year 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All semester only: October to February next year 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spring semester only: April to August	
Outlines & required documents	https://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/global-edu/sai/J-PAC_Outline.pdf	
Contact person	Shu Yokoya (Mr.) Tel: +81-43-290-2199 Fax: +81-43-290-2198 E-mail: jpac@office.chiba-u.jp	
Others	About language requirements, courses and other information, please refer to J-PAC outline.	
Important notes for J-PAC		
1. Students who have not started studying Japanese at the time of application cannot apply. Please check whether the applicant has started learning Japanese. 2. As the number of applicants to J-PAC has increased rapidly in recent years, we will consider whether the student exchange is a mutual exchange and whether there is a balance between acceptance and sending when making selections. 3. If there have been no students from Chiba University who have studied abroad at your university either physically or online in the past five years (starting from 2020), we may ask you to adjust the number of students accepted. After the nomination sheet deadline, we will inform you of the number of people who can be accepted by March 31st. 4. Please strictly adhere to the nomination and application deadline.		

Cost and Insurance

Accommodation	<p>Off-campus housing will be secured for exchange students from partner universities.</p> <p>https://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/international/isd/en/housing/index.html</p>
Living costs	<p>It costs around 100,000 yen per month for meals, electricity, phone bills and dormitory. Students will also need to pay for textbooks, leisure and other activities. It may be different depending on individual's lifestyle.</p>
Insurance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> National Health Insurance (about 20,000 yen/year) 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Accident Insurance for Students Pursuing Education and Research "Gakkensai" (1,000 yen/year) 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Comprehensive Insurance for Students Lives Couples with Gakkensai "Inbound Futai-Gakusou" (1,860 yen/year) are compulsory. The amount is subject to change.
<p>Please be sure to interview the students you are sending and provide them with prior education on what kind of preparation they need in order to adapt to a different culture. In particular, if you are applying from a country or region where studying in Japan is not common, we would appreciate it if you could give your student the opportunity to receive advice from the coordinator and hear about the experiences of those who have studied in Japan.</p> <p>We are looking forward to see your students at Chiba university!!</p>	