



Exchange Programs for International Students

Tokyo International University (TIU) was founded in 1965 and encompasses six undergraduate schools and four graduate schools. TIU is constantly expanding its practice-oriented international education. Roughly 1,700 international students from over 70 countries around the world are currently studying at TIU.

TIU offers **two English-based programs** for international exchange students interested in studying for one or two semesters. Exchange students will exclusively take classes on TIU's new Ikebukuro Campus in central Tokyo.

Japan Studies Program (JSP) Semester-based Program

Non-degree semester-based program. JSP curriculum puts a stronger emphasis on learning Japanese language and Japan studies.

Program Overview:

[Japanese Language Course] (Required)

Courses are offered at various levels, from Elementary to Business Japanese. You will be placed at the level based on your results of the Japanese placement test.

[Japanese Studies Course] (Electives)

Japan studies on Culture, Literature, International Relations, Business, and Society are offered, cross-listing with E-Track Major courses. (For students who have JLPT N2 level, other Japanese-based courses are also available.) No graduate-level courses are available.

For details, please check the course list below;

<http://jsp.tiu.ac.jp/academics/elective-courses-2/0726-revised> **[JSP] 2024-Course-List Ikebukuro-ONLY.pdf** (tiu.ac.jp)

Class details for the 2025 Spring and Fall semester will be updated on the link around November 2024.

[Credits]

Students usually register for 16 – 20 credits. The maximum number of credits per semester is 20.

[Accommodation]

Homestay Only:

2025 Spring JPY360,000(estimate)/ Fall JPY360,000(estimate) including meals (breakfast and dinner on weekdays, and breakfast, lunch and dinner on weekends) and liability insurance fee of around JPY3,000.

***The length of stay may slightly change if the TIU academic calendar is modified and the cost also may change accordingly.*

[Activities / Events] ※Subject to change

- 2 to 3 Field Trips to experience Japanese culture
- Kyoto Excursion (Additional fee is required)

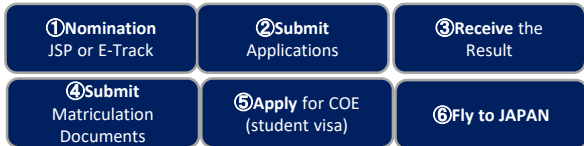
[Advice on choosing a program]

If studying Japanese or Japanese culture is your main purpose, the JSP program may be the best option for you. Taking Japanese Language Courses is mandatory, however, you can still take other courses as well.

[Requirements for JSP & E-Track]

- English Proficiency:** TOEFL iBT 79, IELTS 6.0, CEFR B2 or equivalent to the previously mentioned scores.
- GPA** 2.5 or above

Enrollment Flow



English Track Program (E-Track) Regular Program

English-based degree program in three majors:

Undergraduate: Business Economics (BE), Digital Business & Innovation (DBI) and International Relations (IR)

Graduate: Economics (ECON), Digital Business & Innovation (DBI), International Relations (IR)

Program Overview:

[Undergraduate Course]

- Courses under categories such as Liberal Arts, Major Courses (BE, DBI, IR), Japanese Language, and Special Program are available.
- For students who have JLPT N2 level, other Japanese-based courses are also available.
- No mandatory courses.

[Graduate Course]

- Japanese Language courses are not available.
- No mandatory courses.

For details, please check the course list below;

[Course Lists for Undergraduate Exchange Students - TIU Academic Resources Portal - Confluence \(atlassian.net\)](#)

Class details for the 2025 Spring and Fall semester will be updated on the link around November 2024.

[Credits]

Students usually register for 16 – 20 credits. The maximum number of credits per semester is 20 for first to third-year students and 24 for fourth-year students. (Note: Graduate DBI students can take a maximum of 16 credits. Up to 20 credits can be taken if authorized by the dean of the school.)

[Accommodation]

• **Student Dormitories near Ikebukuro Campus** (30 minute commute to Ikebukuro Campus)

• **Apartments** (housing agency referral is available upon request)

Monthly rent: **80,000~120,000 JPY(estimate)**

[Advice on choosing a program]

If you would like to study a bit of Japanese language or not study it at all and focus on more major courses, the E-Track Program may be the best option for you.

	2025	Spring	Fall
Nomination Deadline		October 23, 2024	April 1, 2025
Application Deadline		November 3, 2024	April 12, 2025
Start of the Semester*		April 1, 2025	Sep 1, 2025
End of the Semester**		July 25, 2025	Dec 23, 2025

※Dates for the start and end of the Semester are subject to change. The 2026 Academic Calendar is not finalized yet.

*Orientation week will be scheduled about 1 week before the start date of the semester. Please do not book your flight until the orientation schedule is finalized.

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