



Scholarships for self-supporting students





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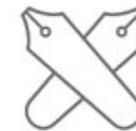
1. Summary of Scholarship system



- ◆ The main purpose of all scholarships is to assist highly talented students who excel academically and who are of excellent character but have difficulties in continuing their studies due to financial reasons.
- ◆ This slide outlines scholarships for privately-financed international students whose status of residence in Japan is “Student”. If your status of residence is either “Permanent resident”, “Special Permanent resident”, “Long-term resident”, “Dependent” or “Child or spouse of Japanese national (permanent resident)”, please refer to scholarship information for Japanese national as below.
<https://www.students.keio.ac.jp/en/com/scholarships/apply/form.html>

- ◆ If you wish to apply for a scholarship offered by the Keio International Center, your status of residence must be “Student”. Those whose visa status is other than “Student” will be able to apply if they change their status to “Student”. Please consider and decide whether you change your visa status or not because there are advantages or disadvantages as well as things you are allowed or not allowed to do depending on your visa status.

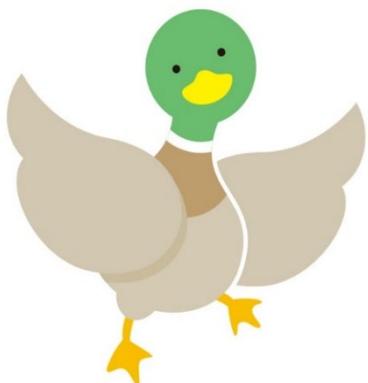
2. Scholarship Category



◆ There are 3 main types of scholarship; ① Internal Scholarship (awarded by Keio), ② Offered by the Japanese Government (Monbukagakusho) and other public entities such as Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO), ③ Offered by the scholarship organizations, including private companies and scholarship foundations.

Organization	Scholarship Name	Amount	Eligibility	Application period	Total Number of Recipients (in 2022)
Type ① Keio University	Keio University Scholarship	¥250,000/year or ¥500,000/year	UG: 2nd year level or above GS: All year level	Late September to Early October	UG : 42 GS : 83
	Keio University Degree Completion Scholarship	Depends on case (Average scholarship payment of ¥300,000/year)	All year level	June & November	UG : 28 GS : 40
	Yamaoka Kenichi Memorial Scholarship	New UG: ¥900,000/year, UG (2-4 year level) & GS: ¥500,000/year	All year level	April	UG : 29 GS : 21
	Donor designated scholarship	Around ¥100,000-500,000/year (Depends on scholarship)	Depends on scholarship	April	13
Type ② Japanese Government (MEXT・JASSO)	JASSO Honors Scholarship	¥48,000/month (Up to one year)	All year level	April	UG : 129 GS : 50
	MEXT Top Global University Scholarship	exemption of tuition fees and monthly allowance of ¥117,000-145,000/month (Up to one year)	All year level	December (previous year) & May	UG : 3 GS : 11
Type ③ Private Foundations	○○Foundation Scholarship, etc.	Around ¥30,000-¥180,000/month (For one year)	Depends on scholarship	Depends on scholarship	UG : 50 GS : 48

Here is a part of Scholarship lists



※UG : Undergraduate (Total student number:797), GS: Graduate School (Total student number: 832)

3. Types of application



Applications through the university ※“Scholarship Application Registration” is necessary

TYPE:A

University Recommendation

※Type ①②③ of p.4

Students apply for the scholarships through Keio University. After internal screening Keio will recommend nominees to each scholarship committee / foundation. Mainly refers to Scholarships provided by Keio University / Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship / JASSO Scholarship / Private Foundation Scholarships.

(Detailed application procedures will be explained from the next slide.)

TYPE:B

University Application

※Type③

Students gather all required documents themselves and submit them to Keio University. Keio University will send all required documents to the awarding organization. This type of application does not require any internal screening.

Application directly to the awarding organization

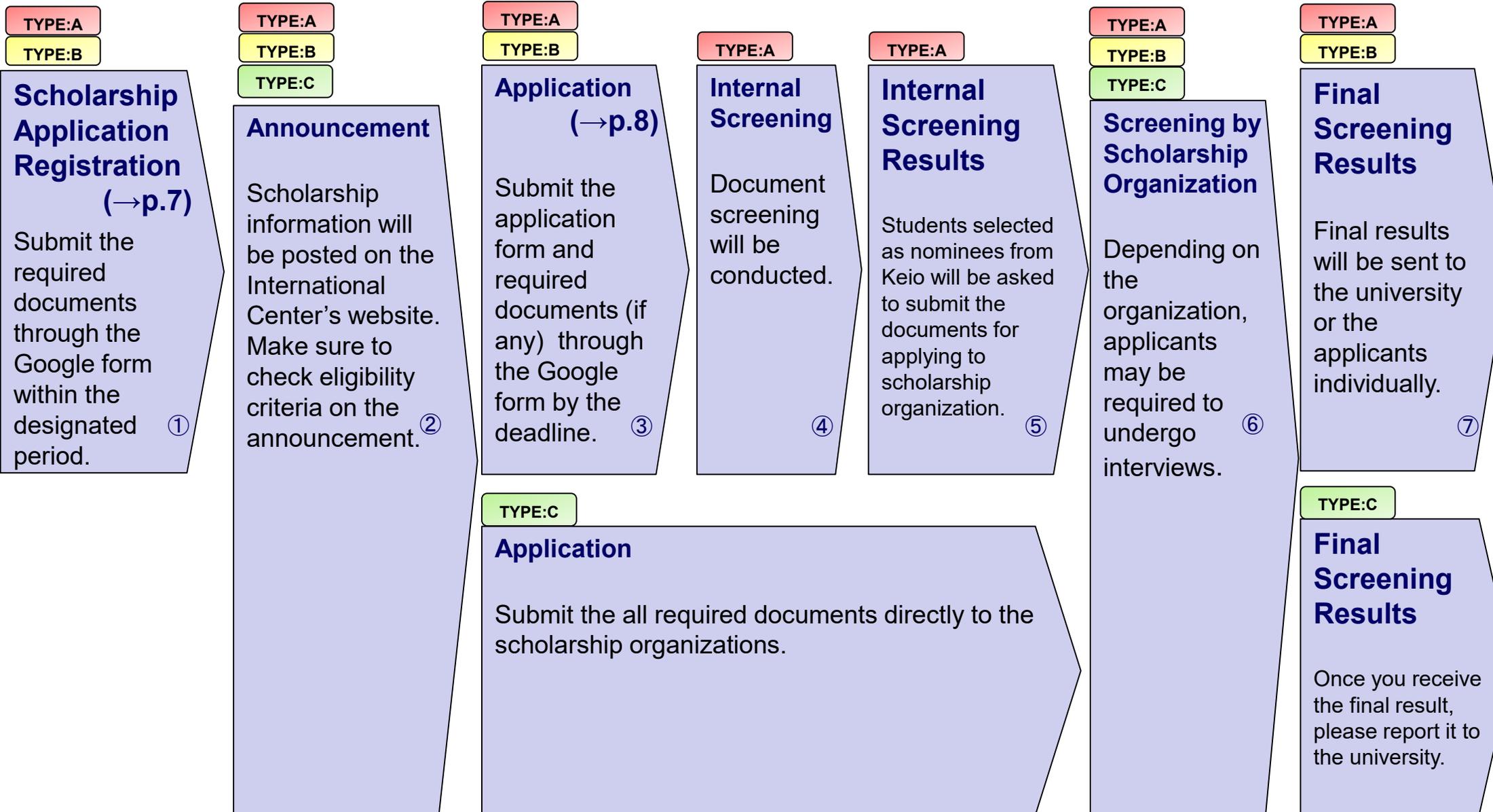
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Direct Application

※Type③

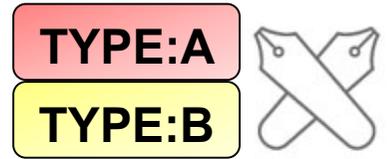
Students gather all of the required documents and apply directly to the scholarship organizations themselves. Information about direct application scholarships is posted on the "Scholarships Now Available" page of the International Center website.

4-1. Outline of Scholarship Procedures



4-2. Scholarship Application Registration

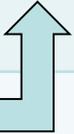
STEP 1



★*There are 2 steps to apply for main scholarships*★

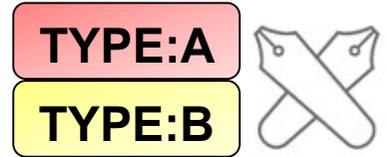
◆Before being able to apply for scholarships...

You have to complete **Scholarship Application Registration**. It is *an entry (sign up) form* for scholarship selection. Only students who have completed registration are eligible to apply for scholarships through Keio University during the semester until the next scholarship applicant registration period (expected in late-March of the following year). Please confirm the details and the required documents from the following website.

Registration period (Strict Deadline)	<p>◆CURRENT Students: From Tue. March 19 to 11:00 AM on Tue. March 26, 2024 *It is NOT acceptable for current students to register after March 27.</p> <p>◆NEW Students: From Mon. April 1 to 11:00 AM on Mon. April 8, 2024 *New students should register after April 1.</p>	 
Submission form	https://forms.gle/3hzqmqH6r7M1DdtH8	
Detailed information	(EN) https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/en/life/scholarship/application.html (JP) https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/intl_student/scholarship/keio_student.html	

4-2. List for Scholarship Application Registration

STEP 1

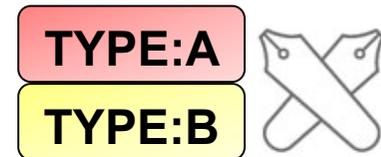


This is a list of required documents for each categories. Download the prescribed form from the website on previous page, fill out and submit them through the Google form.

	Undergraduate		Graduate	
	New students	Current Students	New students	Current Students
1. Check list	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. Scholarship Application Registration Form (3 pages)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. Study & Activity Plan	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Research Plan & Academic Achievements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5. Essay for Scholarship Applicant Registration	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
6. Records of academic achievement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
7. Confirmation of Employment Form	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8. Financial Supporter Report	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
9. Copy of student's Residence Card (both sides)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
10. International Student Scholarship Evaluation Form (Request your academic advisor to submit it to us directly)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>
11. Calculation Sheet for Assessment Grade Point Average	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4-3. Scholarship Application

STEP 2



- ◆ Check the application guideline or announcement for each scholarships posted on the International Center's website and find the scholarship to apply. **Confirm all requirements for each scholarship, download the application documents** from the same website. After fill them out, **submit them through the Google form** by each deadline.



Scholarship Information	(EN) https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/en/life/scholarship/available.html → (JP) https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/intl_student/scholarship/application_info.html
Submission Form	https://forms.gle/AsUma8Wq7SrJHiPL8

Check the announcement on website!
 ✂️ Make sure to confirm the **Eligibility Criteria** and **Submission Due Date**.

- ◆ Internal screening result will be announced at the following Website. We will contact to the successful applicants for the further procedures (if any), so please keep checking your CNS/keio.jp email.

Internal result	https://jukunai/mita/ic/result.html/kif2.keio.jp/
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2021 Academic Year (Fall) / 2022 Academic Year (Spring) Application TAKASE SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION	
Scholarship Amount	100,000 JPY monthly
Scholarship Duration	One year or less from October 2021 or from April 2022 (It begins in the same semester that you enrolled in Keio University.)
Eligible Applicants (as of October 1 st , 2021)	Master 1 st and 2 nd , Doctor 1 st , 2 nd and 3 rd , Doctor 4 th (for Graduate Schools of Medicine and of Pharmaceutical Sciences). *For undergraduate students, only GIGA and PEARL students can apply.
Eligibility Criteria	The scholarship is open to students who are enrolled in the Fall Semester, who demonstrate academic excellence with exceptional moral character, and who have been deemed necessary to receive financial support. Applicants must also meet one of the following criteria: ① graduate students who are involved in research that contributes towards international cooperation ② privately financed international students enrolled in degree programs held in English ③ short-term international students (see Application Guideline for definition). Students receiving more than 30,000 yen monthly from another scholarship cannot apply. Students must attend social meetings organized by the foundation and submit monthly designated reports. Students who cannot enter Japan after having enrolled in Keio university and are taking remote classes are NOT eligible. Proficiency in Japanese is not required, but students must submit their application documents with the Japanese translation attached. For undergraduate students, only those enrolled in the GIGA program in Policy Management or Environment and Information Studies and PEARL program in Economics are eligible to apply. *Applicants have to have completed the Scholarship Applicant Registration for the spring semester of 2021 academic year.
Combination with Other Scholarships	See Eligibility Criteria above
Submission Due Date	Wednesday, July 21st, 11a.m.
Submit to	Google Form of the Scholarship Section, Office of Student Services or the corresponding office on your campus. (https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/en/life/scholarship/available.html)
Announcement of Internal Screening Results	Tuesday, July 27 th on the International Center website
Please read the Application Guideline for further details. The Application Guideline can also be downloaded from the International Center website. https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/en/life/scholarship/available.html	



5. Important Notes (1)

1. **You can simultaneously apply to several university recommendation scholarships.**
2. Even after officially selected to receive a Keio University recommendation to the awarding organization, you can still apply to other scholarships which allows other scholarships to be combined if the scholarship organization that you are being recommended allows you simultaneous receipt of other scholarship. However, the scholarship application and receipt status will be taken into account during the internal selection process.
3. International students who are currently receiving scholarships and who are determined to continue to receive scholarships in the following fiscal year cannot apply for scholarships from other organizations that do not allow simultaneous scholarships. Please read the application guidelines carefully.
4. Once officially selected to receive a university recommendation to the awarding organization, you will not be recommended to other scholarships which do not allow to combine with other scholarships.
5. If you are selected to receive both a university recommendation scholarship and a direct application scholarship, yet are not allowed to receive both simultaneously, you must give priority to the university recommendation scholarship. Students must take responsibility and withdraw from the direct application scholarship themselves.
6. **Once you have been selected as a scholarship recipient, you cannot withdraw.** Please carefully evaluate your financial need when you consider applying for scholarships with smaller award amounts.

5. Important Notes (2)



7. The university will not disclose the progress of the selection process or reasons for selection.
8. If an applicant has provided any false or misleading information, their application will be revoked.
9. If the student is selected but is deemed unsuitable for the scholarship, their scholarship may be revoked. In this case, the recipient must return a portion or the full amount of the scholarship.
10. There are some scholarships for which students with outstanding tuition fees cannot apply to.
11. If you decide to receive a direct application scholarship, please make sure to inform the appropriate office on your campus.
12. Useful Websites:



Website for...	In English	In Japanese
International Student Handbook	https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/files/2023/7/26/intl_student/InternationalStudentHandbook2023.pdf	
Scholarship Information Guidebook	https://keio.box.com/s/gzu2c8odteq1ydjgvq746zegj1ejscnj	https://keio.app.box.com/s/8rmka3upvcjrn9gr0tcmque3ls3txepx
Scholarship Application Registration	https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/en/life/scholarship/application.html	https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/intl_student/scholarship/keio_student.html
Scholarships Now Available	https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/en/life/scholarship/available.html	https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/intl_student/scholarship/application_info.html