2023 ACADEMIC YEAR SCREENING FLOWCHART

See following pages for details of each step.

Check Eligibility Requirements

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Period for Submitting Application Documents Online
【Spring Semester】10:00 a.m., March 17, 2023—3:00 p.m., March 31, 2023
【Fall Semester】10:00 a.m., September 5, 2023—3:00 p.m., September 12, 2023

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Payment of Application Fee
Upon confirming post office hours, obtain a postal money order (郵便為替) of 35,000 yen issued at any Japan Post Bank or post office in Japan, and submit with the rest of the application.

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Period for Submitting Application Documents by Post ※Must arrive on or before the deadline
【Spring Semester】March 29, 2023—April 3, 2023
【Fall Semester】September 8, 2023—September 13, 2023

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Period during which Application Status can be Confirmed
【Spring Semester】11:00 a.m., April 5, 2023—4:59 p.m., July 10, 2023
【Fall Semester】11:00 a.m., September 20, 2023—4:59 p.m., December 4, 2023

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Announcement of First-round Results
【Spring Semester】11:00 a.m., April 20, 2023
【Fall Semester】11:00 a.m., September 28, 2023

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Passed First Round and Exempted from Second Round	Passed First Round	Decision Pending (Submit additional materials)

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Submission of Research Plan and Certificate of Expected Graduation
【Spring Semester】
May 11, 2023—May 17, 2023
【Fall Semester】
October 5, 2023—October 12, 2023

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First-round Results for Decision-Pending Applicants
【Spring Semester】3:00 p.m., June 22, 2023
【Fall Semester】3:00 p.m., November 16, 2023

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Passed First Round	Rejected

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Second-round Examination (Interview)
【Spring Semester】Saturday, July 8, 2023
【Fall Semester】Saturday, December 2, 2023

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Announcement of Successful Applicants
【Spring Semester】11:00 a.m., July 10, 2023
【Fall Semester】11:00 a.m., December 4, 2023

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Distribution of Enrollment Registration Documents
【Spring Semester】Early February 2024 (tentative)
【Fall Semester】Early August 2024 (tentative)

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Enrollment Registration Deadline
【Spring Semester】March 1, 2024 (tentative)
【Fall Semester】September 2, 2024 (tentative)