

A Guide



for the Tohoku University Natural Science Direct Enrollment Education Program 2025 Spring

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(1) Curriculum

- Each semester consist of 15 weeks
- One class = 90 minutes
- 2 credits/semester for most of the courses
- 1 credit = 45 hours of study time
- Take 13 credits/semester



(1) Curriculum

Course Requirement

Special Auditing Student

13 credits / semester



(1) Curriculum

Elective Courses

Special Auditing Student

Optional: Courses taught in English (FGL Courses)

- <u>Advanced Molecular Chemistry Course (AMC)</u> Science
- International Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Course (IMAC-U) Engineering
- <u>Applied Marine Biology Course (AMB)</u> Agriculture

Intercultural Collaborative Learning Course

*Upon the approval from academic advisors and course instructors

Junior Year Program in English (<u>JYPE</u>):

*DEEP students can also take JYPE courses **except** Japanese language courses & Individual Research Training(IRT).

Japanese Language Program at Kawauchi(JLPK)

*For JLPK courses, DEEP students do not receive any credits.





- Obtain the class schedule at each assigned faculty/school
- Discuss your course works with your academic advisor

In general, you cannot take graduate classes.

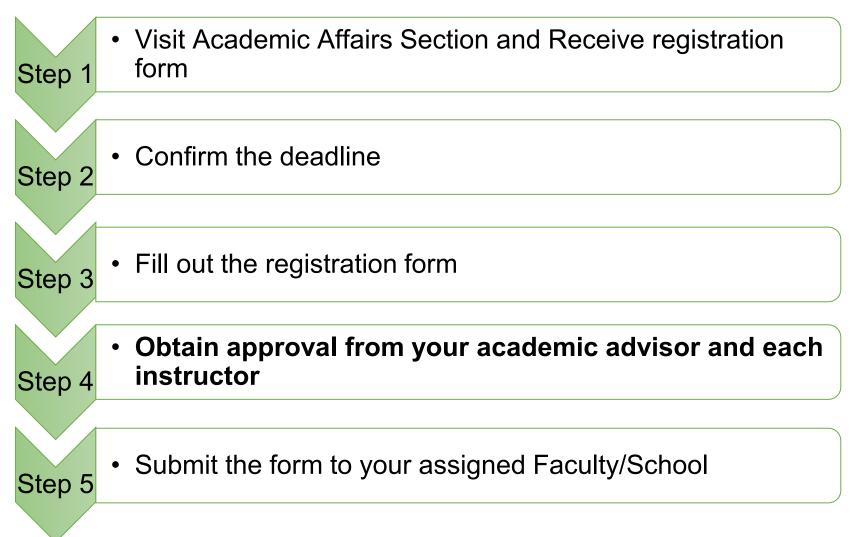
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Please note that you generally cannot officially register for

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(3)Registration for Courses





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Submit Registration Form to Academic Affairs Section of your assigned Faculty/School

Confirm the deadline at your own Faculty/School.

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(4) Grading System, Transcription and Credit Transfer

- Grades: AA / A / B / C / D
- Transcripts & Certificate*: both documents directly sending via email to a student's home university in Apr. or Oct.
- Credit Transfer
- (5) Certificate of Completion*



(6) Period of Study in Exchange Program

Program	Study Period	Program End:
JYPE	1 or 2 Semester(s)	Poster (Fall) / Oral (Spring)
COLABS		Oral Presentation
DEEP		Final Class

If you wish to shorten or extend the exchange period:

1.Confirm with the home university for eligibility.

2.Submit an official letter to the student exchange division, if the extension is approved by your home university.

3.Once the student exchange division receive the letter, we will contact your academic advisor about your request.

4.Discuss with your academic advisor at Tohoku University for permission.

5.Share the email response from your academic advisor regarding the extension with the student exchange division.

Deadline; May 15 (Spring) / Nov. 15 (Fall).



(7) Academic Calendar

Spring Semester (Apr. 2025 - Sep. 2025)	
Orientation	Apr.2
Classes Begin	Apr. 8
IRTLab Oral / Poster Presentation	Aug. 6 – Aug. 8, 2025 *JYPE · COLABS only
Classes End	Aug. 5

Fall Semester (Oct. 2025 - Mar. 2026)		
Orientation	ТВА	
Classes Begin	Oct. 1	
Winter Vacation	Dec. 25, 2025 - Jan. 2, 2026	
Classes End	Feb. 3, 2026	
IRTLab Oral / Poster Presentation	TBA * JYPE/COLABS only	



2. JASSO





- JASSO Scholarship Orientation Video already available via Google Classroom.
- For more information, refer to the email and join the Google classroom titled "<u>JASSO Scholarship Classroom</u> <u>2025S</u>" (Class code: I6i22rm)*.
- We will contact you in the Google Classroom for pledges, monthly Signing Dates, Bank account and other important information, make sure to join!

*We will send you an invitation email for the Google classroom, please check your Tohokudai-DC email address.

The April signing dates are the 3rd and 4th.



Things you need to do

for JASSO scholarship

1. Participate in Google classroom

2. Submit Transfer Request Form

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1. Participate in Google classroom

*The JASSO Scholarship Orientation will be held online from Today via Google classroom, all of the JASSO scholarship awardees should participate in. (Time: anytime)

 \circ When you receive an invitation email for "JASSO Scholarship Classroom 2025S", log in the google classroom with your Tohoku-Dai Gmail account and password.

 \circ View the material of the orientation.

○ After checking the materials, click "Class (授業)", then complete the "Pledge for the JASSO Scholarship Awardee" and "H-1/H-2 Report of JASSO".

*JASSO Signing Schedule:

JASSO scholarship awardees are required to sign for the designated attendance confirmation sheet every beginning of month to receive the scholarship. Please come to the Student Exchange Division (C-6 counter, second floor of the Education and Student Support Center (A01) with your residence card.

(If you do not have the residence card yet, bring your passport).

For the April signing, the signing date is designated on April 3rd and 4th. If you are unable to sign on the above date due to unavoidable reasons (research activities or classes), please contact us in advance.



2. Submit Transfer Request Form

ODocuments to submit

You need to submit the "Wire Transfer Request Form" to receive the JASSO Scholarship via bank transfer.

Please submit the required documents as soon as you receive the bank book or the card in your hand.

OHow to submit: Via Google Form



Sample: Bank Card

We will announce how to submit the "Wire Transfer Request Form" at the JASSO Google classroom.

Please wait for an email to join the classroom.

New students open a Japan Post Bank (JP Bank) account with your smartphone using the "Yucho Direct Plus" app.

For more information on how to open a bank account, check <u>STEP 4:</u> <u>Opening a Bank Account</u> in <u>Getting Started in Japan</u>.

The Bank accounts page in TU Support is also useful.



3. Sign for confirmation sheet

-Where: 6-C Counter at the <u>Student Exchange Division, 2nd floor</u> of the Education and Student Support Center.



!IMPORTANT!:
If you miss signing days, the scholarship for the month will NOT be
provided.



4. Answer web questionnaire

All JASSO awardees are required to submit the "Pre-arrival (H-1)" and

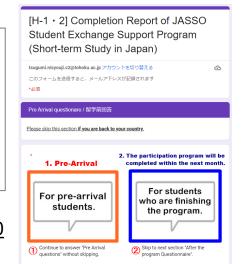
"After the program Questionnaire (H-2)" reports.

-Deadline:

- H-1: Before receiving the first scholarship.
- H-2: After receiving the last scholarship (before leaving Japan).

-About 15 minutes to finish Accessible to smart phone





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3. Contact





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Lastly.....

☆Invitation to Google Classroom for DEEP student

The incoming Student Section office will release the essential notices through Google Classroom.

Please join and check it out!

DEEP 2025 Spring Class code: 723ta62c

Activate from April 1st.