

# MEXT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE!

***Monbukagakusho (Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology or MEXT) sponsors official scholarships which are offered to non-Japanese nationals hoping to study at a Japanese university or specialized training college in Japan.***

*There are currently two scholarship types available for high school graduates to study at the undergraduate level in Japan.*

**\*Please note that in some circumstances, such as travel restrictions or curfews, there are possibilities that the selection process will be canceled, or applicants will not be able to depart to Japan even after being selected as scholarship students**

## UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

*Spend up to 5 years at a Japanese university as an undergraduate student in the Social Sciences/Humanities or Natural Sciences.*

**Requirements:** \*U.S. Citizenship (to apply through U.S.)

- \*Completed 12 years of school
- \*Born between April 2, 1997 and April 1, 2004
- \*Willing to learn Japanese
- \*Able to arrive in Japan April 1-7, 2022

**Benefits:** Full Tuition, Airfare, Monthly Stipend

**Application Timeline:**

- \***Application Deadline:** June 1 (*not a postmark deadline*)
- \***Testing at Consulate:** June 24
- \***Interview:** June 25

**Application Website:**

<https://www.studyinjapan.go.jp/en/smap-stopj-applications-undergraduate.html>

## SPECIALIZED TRAINING COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

*Spend up to 3 years at a Japanese professional training school studying one of several fields: Technology, Fashion, Personal Care/Nutrition etc.*

**Requirements:** \*U.S. Citizenship (to apply through U.S.)

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*For detailed information on how to apply, please see the guidelines at:  
[Undergraduate Guidelines](#) or [Specialized Training Guidelines](#)*

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