



Japanese Government Scholarship Programs (MEXT-scholarship programs)

Embassy of Japan in Norway
Culture and Information Section

MEXT-Scholarship

Monbukagakusho

(Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan: MEXT)

offers three different types of scholarship for Norwegian applicants (Embassy Recommendation):

- Scholarship for Japanese studies student
- Scholarship for undergraduate student
- Scholarship for research student

A. Scholarship for Japanese studies student

Scholarship for Norwegian students who wish to study **Japanese language and culture** in a Japanese university.

Duration: **One academic year.**

Scholarship Stipend: ca. JPY 117 000 (ca. NOK 9.000) per month plus tuition. Round trip air tickets provided.

Application/examination period in spring, selected students should arrive in Japan in autumn the same year. The detailed schedule will be given by the host university during the summer.

Requirements:

- (1) Norwegian citizenship
- (2) Age limit: between 18 and 30 years old
- (3) University (undergraduate) student studying in a field related to Japanese language and culture.
- (4) At least one year of university level studying
- (5) Sufficient Japanese proficiency for the university education

How to apply?

"Application Guidelines" and application forms can be downloaded from Japanese embassy's website:

<http://www.no.emb-japan.go.jp/mext/>

Application deadline: mid February

Written examinations and interview will be organized by the Japanese embassy towards the end of February.

B. Scholarship for undergraduate student

- Duration: 5 years (with possibility of extension) undergraduate education (humanity, social science, natural science, technology , medicine, etc.)
- First year: preliminary Japanese language training.
- Grant: Ca. JPY 117 000 (ca. NOK 9.000) per month plus tuition. Round trip air tickets provided.
- Age limit: between 17 and 22 years old.

C. Scholarship for research student

- Scholarship for Maximum **2 years for graduate school level education and research** in major in field of speciality (humanity, social science, natural science, technology, medicine, etc.)
- Grant: ca. JPY 143.000 (ca. NOK 11.000) per month plus tuition. Roundtrip air tickets provided.

- ◆ Study starts: In April or September
- ◆ Applicants can apply for up to three specific universities in priority order, or sent an open application.

Requirements:

1. Bachelor's degree or equivalent from university or university college (høgskole)
2. Willing to learn Japanese and to receive instructions and guidance in Japanese.
3. Age limit: under 35 years old.

Application deadline for

B. Scholarship for undergraduate student and

C. Scholarship for research student

Late spring – early summer (May – July)

Further information will be announced at
Japanese embassy's website around March-April.



Study in Japan Website:

<http://www.studyjapan.go.jp/en/index.html>

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