



For Oct. 2026
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KYUTECH
GE⁴ Course

Global Education in Green
Energy, Green Environment, and
Green Economy for Global
Innovation Leaders (GE⁴)

IMPORTANT DATE

Deadline for Application

Dec. 15th, 2025

Selection by Interview

End of Dec. 2025 ~ Early Jan. 2026

4 Doctor Students
2 Master Students
Complete Fee Waiver



JAPANESE GOVERNMENT NEXT
**JAPAN
SCHOLAR
SHIP**
KYUTECH 2026

The GE⁴ program is seeking motivated students from Japan and around the world who possess a global perspective and a strong desire to tackle the complex challenges of environment, energy, and economics.

Note: If you apply to this university's other Special Priority Placement Programs (GAAR, DAMD) simultaneously, your application will be disqualified as soon as the overlap is discovered.

How to Apply

- Curriculum Vitae
- Application form
- Transcript with grading system
(Current grades)
- Field of Study and Research
Plan
- GPA Self-check sheet

2026 application forms are
available on GE⁴ course web site.
Please submit application forms
via e-mail to
ge3@life.kyutech.ac.jp

QUALIFICATIONS

- The applicant must be eligible to be M1 or D1 at October 2025.
- Applicants from our partner institutions will be prioritized.
- The average score must be higher than or equal to 2.3 of 3.
- The language level must be higher than or equal to CEFR B2.

You can roughly verify your suitability in terms of the CGPA as per the MEXT rule from the internet resources <https://ulabo.org/gpa/> or from the GPA Self-check sheet Excel file. Please keep in mind that final CGPA will be calculated by our administrative office as per the latest MEXT regulations.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

JAPANESE GOVERNMENT (MEXT) SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2026

RESEARCH STUDENTS / UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS (UNIVERSITY RECOMMENDATION) [SPECIAL SELECTION]

This program (GE⁴) has applied for the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) "Special Program for the Priority Placement of MEXT Scholarship Students." We will recommend outstanding international students for the Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship. For the 2026 academic year, we have a priority placement quota of six students (two Master's, four Doctoral).

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Main Benefits of the MEXT Scholarship:

- Admission and Tuition Fee Waivers
- Monthly Scholarship Stipend
- Round-trip Airfare Provided

Eligibility & Requirements

1. Academic Performance

Criterion: The MEXT GPA (Grading Point Average) in the applicant's most recent academic history (or current program if still enrolled) must be 2.30 or higher (out of a 3.00 scale).

Calculation Method: Calculated based on the formula specified by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT).

You can easily calculate your GPA on this website (the website is in Japanese). <https://ulabo.org/gpa/>

Note: The university will verify your GPA using the designated calculation method before you apply. Please be aware that if your GPA is significantly below 2.30, you will not be eligible for recommendation.

If GPA Cannot Be Calculated: If GPA calculation is impossible due to differences in grading systems or other reasons, a letter of recommendation addressed to the "University President" from a "Graduate School Dean level or higher" at your home university is required.

Note: Issuing a recommendation letter takes time, so please submit your academic transcript for verification as early as possible.

2. Language Proficiency

English: Applicants must meet one of the following conditions:

- Recommended: A certificate proving that the medium of instruction at your university was English (Certificate of Medium of Instruction).

- A test score proving English proficiency at CEFR B2 level or higher (e.g., IELTS 5.5+, TOEFL iBT 72+, etc.).

Note: Score reports for tests that measure all four skills (Listening, Reading, Speaking, Writing) are acceptable.

Note: If certificates are separated by skill (e.g., by the British Council), all certificates must be submitted upon adoption.

Note: The free EF SET is accepted; however, its validity as a certificate is lower, so submission of other official certifications is highly recommended if possible.

3. Required Documents

The following documents are required for application. All documents must be prepared in English or Japanese.

- Academic Transcript:** For all academic years of your most recent degree program (undergraduate or master's). If currently enrolled, please submit transcripts up to the latest semester.

- Grading System:** An official document (issued by the university, or a copy of the student handbook, etc.) explaining the criteria used for the evaluations listed on your academic transcript (e.g., A, B, C, 80-100 points).

Note: Important: This is essential for calculating your GPA. Without it, your application may not be considered for screening.

- Certificate of Language Proficiency:** Document proving you meet the above requirements (Medium of Instruction certificate, IELTS, TOEFL, etc.).

- Certificate of Graduation / Expected Graduation:** Proof of obtaining or expected obtainment of your latest degree.

4. Important Notice on Scholarship Retention

Academic Performance Standards During Enrollment

MEXT Scholarship students accepted under this program's special quota are obligated to maintain high academic performance even after enrollment.

- Annual Review:** Academic performance will be checked annually at each interval.
- Criterion:** The GPA during enrollment must be 2.30 or higher.
- Loss of Eligibility:** In the event that the academic GPA falls below the standard (2.30), the student will lose their status as a MEXT Scholarship recipient (and the right to receive the scholarship).

5. Selection Schedule

December 15, 2025 (JST): Document submission deadline

December – Early January:

First Screening (Document Review: Grade Verification)

After the application period closes, a first screening will be conducted based on the submitted documents. Only those who pass the first screening will be invited to the second screening (interview).

Note: Unsuccessful applicants will not be notified.

Second Screening (Interview Examination: Interviews)

An online interview examination will be conducted as a second screening for those who passed the first screening. Only those who pass the second screening will be notified of the final result.

Note: Unsuccessful applicants will not be notified.

Early February: Notification of Acceptance (Final Acceptance)

Final acceptance notices will be sent to those who pass the second screening.

Download required documents.

<https://www.life.kyutech.ac.jp/~ge3/en/scholarship.html>

If you are unable to access the website, please contact us by e-mail.

Submit the documents and contact us:

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