

Study
abroad

Application Guidelines for 2024 Okayama University Overseas Dispatch Support Project Scholarship

- Online program is not applicable.
- For graduate studies overseas for more than 90 days, please refer to the application guidelines for "Graduate Studies Overseas".

1. Purpose

Scholarship will be awarded to students of Okayama University who study at overseas universities and other institutions and who have outstanding academic achievement and character.

2. Applicable Study Abroad Program

- (1) Dispatch based on inter-university or department exchange agreements, etc.
- (2) Dispatch conducted by faculties, graduate schools, etc.
- (3) Dispatch based on a written agreement between universities, etc.
※ Graduate study overseas of less than 90 days is also included.
- (4) Dispatch approved by the Director of the Institute of Global Human Resource Development

3. Study Abroad Period

1st recruiting 1 April, 2024 (Monday) - 30 September, 2024 (Monday)

2nd recruiting 1 October, 2024 (Tuesday) - 31 March, 2025 (Monday)

Study abroad programs that end within the above period are eligible.

4. Eligibility

Regular students of the graduate school of the University who meet all of the following conditions.

1. Those who will study abroad based on 2. Applicable Study Abroad Program and 3. Study Abroad Period above.
2. Those who do not receive any other scholarship for study abroad
3. Those who are expected to meet a certain standard※ for the university-wide GPA.

※ Selection will be based on the total university-wide GPA through the fourth semester of 2024 (Not the GPA at the time of application). If your overall GPA is less than 2.0 through the fourth semester of FY2024 will be rejected.

For second-year students and above, the following must also be satisfied

4. Those who are expected to earn standard number of credits in their current year of study.
The standard number of credits vary depending on the faculties, graduate schools to which you belong. If you would like to confirm your necessary number of credits, please contact the International Student Division.

If, after receiving the scholarship, it is discovered that the student does not meet the qualifications for application, the student will be required to return the scholarship.

5. Grant-in-Aid

Asian region 30,000yen (one-time payment, not a monthly scholarship)
Outside Asia 50,000yen (one-time payment, not a monthly scholarship)

※ Definition of Asian region is based on the classification defined by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan.

6. Co-subsidy with other scholarships

Those who receiving other scholarships for overseas study are not eligible to apply.

7. Application procedure

Application Period:

1st 17 September, 2024 - 30 September, 2024

2nd 17 January, 2025 - 31 January, 2025

How to apply

- ① Login to Moodle below
- ② <https://moodle.el.okayama-u.ac.jp/course/view.php?id=230442>

Fill out the application form

- ③ Submit the following documents to Moodle

* Application form for transfer of travel expenses, etc.
(prescribed form)

For study abroad programs of less than 90 days, the following must also be submitted

* Documents confirming the duration of study abroad

8. Selection and results

Screening will be strictly conducted by the Global Human Resource Development Institute, and **selection results will be notified by Okadai G-mail in late March 2025 (tentative).**

Payment of scholarship is scheduled for late April 2025.

Rejection will be given in the following cases

- Those who do not meet 4. Eligibility above
- Those who have not completed their study abroad by 31 March, 2025 (Friday)

Please note that even if you meet the requirements, your application may not be adopted due to budget constraints.

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