



Asia University Scholarship for the Students from ASEAN Countries

Application Guidelines (Season 1)

April, 2025 Course

1. Courses / Number of Candidates

Intensive Japanese Course

-1 academic year of AU Intensive Japanese Course, and

-4 years of regular undergraduate course at AU (5 years in total)

*Students can elect courses from the faculties of: Business Administration, Economics, Law, International Relations, Multicultural Communication, or Urban Innovation

Regular Undergraduate Course

4 years of AU undergraduate course

*Students can elect a course from the faculties of: Business Administration, Economics, Law, International Relations, Multicultural Communication, or Urban Innovation

Number of Candidates: 20 or less in total of above courses

2. Eligibility for Applicants

Applicants must fulfill all the following conditions:

- (1) Those who have nationality in any of the following ASEAN Countries except dual citizens in ASEAN country and Japan: Vietnam, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Philippines, Cambodia, Myanmar, Laos
- (2) Those who fulfill the following requirements either a. or b.
 - a. Current senior high school student who intends to graduate by March, 2025, OR
 - b. Those who have already graduated from high school between March 16, 2023 and March 15, 2024.
- (3) Those who finished or expected to finish the 12 years (11 years for Myanmar) of education method in their country
- (4) Those who hold the following Japanese language ability:

Intensive Japanese Course Those who hold N4 or N3 of the JLPT (Japanese Language Proficiency Test), and who have an incentive to continue studying in Japan.

Regular Undergraduate Course Those who passed the AU's regular entrance exam for international students Type C, and hold JLPT N2 or N1, and who have an incentive to continue studying in Japan.

- (5) Those who marked good records in high school. Mother Language, English, and Mathematics should be high ranked.
- (6) Applicants have to be healthy both in physically and mentally to study in Japanese university. Applicants are required to turn in the medical certificate officially issued by a medical organization.
- (7) Applicants must arrive in Japan before March 31st of the year they enter AU.
- (8) Students must apply and receive the Student Visa before they arrive in Japan.
- (9) Students should keep a close cooperation with AU even after graduation, and try to improve the level of trust relationship between Japan and their countries.
- (10) The following students are not applicable to this scholarship. In the case it turned out after the applicants passed the screening test, they must decline themselves.
- ① Those who has never finished 12 years (11 years for Myanmar) of educational method before entering IJC or Undergraduate Course
 - ② Those who cannot arrive in Japan by the day which AU specified
 - ③ Those who already hold the “Student” visa and affiliate in the Japanese university or any other educational institute.
 - ④ Those who intend to receive another scholarship from a foundation other than AU (including their country’s government organization), including those who plan to receive scholarship when apply and start receiving when arriving in Japan

3. Scholarship Period and Requirements

Intensive Japanese Course Period: 5 years (Including 1 year of Intensive Japanese Course)

Requirements: 1. To fulfill the recommendation requirement 2. To hold GPA 2.45 every year

Regular Undergraduate Course Period: 4 years

Requirement: To hold GPA 2.45 every year

In the case that the IJC or regular course students take a leave for more than 2 months in a row, they cannot receive the scholarship while they leave. In the case that the students got in the situation which is separately set, the scholarship will be revoked.

4. Scholarship and Transportation Fee, etc.

(1) Scholarship: a/ Tuition & Fees for Intensive Japanese Course, b/ Tuition and Fees for the Undergraduate Course, c/ Study Materials and Application Fee, d/ Share House Utility Fee (First 2 Years Only)

(2) Transportation Fee: Arrival, Returning Airfare and Travel Insurance Fee must be paid by the Students.

5. Screening and Result Notification

Intensive Japanese Course

- (1) 1st screening is done based on the documents which are submitted to Asia University.
- (2) To the applicants who passed the 1st screening, the 2nd screening will be done by the interview test in their country. The interview will entirely be done in Japanese.
- (3) Those who passed the 2nd screening will be adopted as the scholarship student at Asia University.
- (4) The result will be noticed by the way and date of AU appoints separately.

Regular Undergraduate Course

- (1) Students apply for the AU's entrance examination for international students "Type C"
- (2) Applicants take the interview test in October in their country
- (3) AU adopts scholarship students from the ones who passed both Type C and the interview test
- (4) The result will be noticed by the way and date of AU appoints separately.

6. Education in the University

(1)

Intensive Japanese Course After the IJC with fulfilling the requirement for recommendation, considering the student's will and academic records, students decide the course, and IJC recommends. The result will be announced by each faculty based upon the result of entrance examination (IJC Academic Records and Interview).

Regular Undergraduate Course Those who passed the AU entrance exam "Type C" and the interview test for scholarship can enter the undergraduate course at AU. If the applicant passed the "Type C" exam but failed the interview test, the applicant cannot receive the scholarship but can enter the AU as a private funded international student.

- (2) Every course starts from April and ends in March, next year.
- (3) Language in class is basically Japanese (except foreign language class)
- (4) Bachelor's degree will be conferred to those who fulfill the requirement of graduation.
- (5) Certificate of ASEAN-JAPAN Program will be conferred when they completed the AU designated course.

7. Application

Intensive Japanese Course

<Web Application>

Create your account here:

http://ijc-asia-u.com/scholarship_program_asean →



<Application Schedule (Season 1, March) for April, 2025>

Application Period	March 1 – March 15, 2024
Announcement of Paper Screening Result	March 22, 2024
Interview	March 25 – 29, 2024
Final Announcement of Result	April 26, 2024

<Required Documents>

***Both “Web Registration” AND “Sending Documents by Post” are required**

Please send the following documents after web registrations

(All certificates must be original, not copy)

1. Application Form 【5 pages】 (Do Not Type. Handwritten Only)
2. Certificate of High School Graduation (or Expected Graduation Certificate)
3. Certificate of Current High School Enrollment (If you are a high school student)
4. Certificate of Academic Record from High School
5. Certificate of JLPT (N4 or N3)
6. Following Documents Regarding the Financial Guarantor a. Proof of Employment b. Proof of Income c. Proof of Financial Standing d. Proof of Relationship with the Applicant
7. Translation in Japanese (If not written in Japanese or English)
8. High School Recommendation Letter from Principal or Teacher (Only Partner Schools)

▲Above all certificate and the documentation must be issued within the last 3 months.

Regular Undergraduate Course

Apply for the Screening for International Students' Regular Entrance Exam “Type C.”

The application schedule will be announced on the AU's website in June, 2024.

8. Other

- (1) The first 2 years of share house utility fee will be paid as a part of scholarship. However, students must be responsible for the meals and other living cost. In average, it costs around 50,000JPY per month. After the 3rd year, students can live either in an off-campus apartment or dormitory on their own expense.
- (2) In addition to what is provided in this application guidelines, other matters necessary for the operation of the Scholarship for Students from ASEAN Countries will be determined separately by Asia University.
- (3) If you are unclear about any of the information in these guidelines, or if you have any questions other than these, please refer to the Asia University International Center and follow their instructions.

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