

Scholarship for International Students (New Strategy Type)

1. Purpose and Eligibility

This scholarship is provided by Kochi University for international students who are privately-funded and have been admitted to any program at Kochi University adopted by MEXT' s "2022 Special Program of Advanced Placement for International Students". The scholarship provides financial support for the period from entrance to completion of the program. It aims to promote the recruitment of outstanding international students who will serve as bridges between Kochi University and their own countries after completion.

2. Amount

80,000 yen monthly

In case your monthly grants from other organizations exceed 20,000 yen, the scholarship shall be reduced so that your total allowance per month will not exceed 80,000 yen.

3. Duration

From April 2024 until completion of the program (maximum three years)

4. Number of recipients

One recipient is anticipated in the first instance (New Strategy Type)

5. Required Documents

- A. Application Form (New Strategy Type) for the Scholarship
(Use Form 1-2 and other specified forms.)
- B. Official Transcript from the university the applicant has graduated from or will graduate from
- C. Letter of Reference by the applicant' s advisor at the university
- D. Application Form or Admission Ticket for the entrance examination
(Please submit promptly after receipt.)
- E. Notification of Pass Grade in the Entrance Examination or Letter of Acceptance
(Please submit promptly after acceptance by Kochi University.)
- F. Copy of Resident Card (after entering Japan)

The applicant will not be considered eligible until all documents have been submitted. Consideration of scholarship applications is dependent on successful admission to Kochi University.

6. Selection

Applications for the scholarship will be considered by the Administrative Committee of Kochi University Foundation for International Collaboration, on the basis of advice from the Graduate School of Kuroshio Science. The final decision will be by the President.

7. Reports

The recipient of the scholarship is required to write a report (Use Form 4-2) every 12 months, to be evaluated by the Program Manager and submitted to the Administrative Committee of the Kochi University Foundation for International Collaboration. After completion of the program, she/he is required to submit a report using Form 7.

8. Additional

The recipient is required to attend the acceptance ceremony, briefing sessions, etc. The scholarship may be suspended, effective from the following month, in any of the following circumstances:

- A. The recipient loses the status of a student at Kochi University.
- B. The recipient is deemed unable to continue research due to illness or other reasons.
- C. The recipient is considered unqualified to receive the scholarship for any other reason.