

How to Search for Courses at the University of Tsukuba For Exchange Student (Tokubetsu Chokogakusei)

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- **Undergraduate Students**
Check pages 4–5

- **Graduate Students**
Check pages 6–7



 **Cannot find courses? Check the last page!**



School/College/Program at the University of Tsukuba

1. Check Exchange Agreement



Some partner universities restrict the fields of study available for exchange. Please confirm with your exchange coordinators which faculties you are eligible to join.

2. Select two desired School/College/Program



Choose School/College/Program that are closely related to your major.

Undergraduate programs : [List of Schools and Colleges - University of Tsukuba](#)

Graduate programs : [Program Listing - University of Tsukuba](#)

In principle, your program at the University of Tsukuba must match your program at your home university.

Important Note



The following Programs require Japanese proficiency level

- College of Japanese Language and Culture (JLPT N1 or N2)
- Master's Program in Service Engineering (JLPT N1)

The following programs do not allow short-term exchange students to enroll or take courses.

- Degree Program in Business Sciences
- Degree Program in Law School Program
- Degree Program in MBA Program in International

Courses for Exchange Student (Tokubetsu Chokogakusei)

Course Registration Requirements



Due to requirement of Immigration Service Agency of Japan, you need to register and attend at least 8 periods (600 min) of courses a per week.

For Application



Official course registration will be done after you arrive at the university and the program begins.

At the time of application, please select courses of interest in as a reference for coordinating the affiliation and academic advisor.

Please select at least 8 courses in total Ideally:

-5 courses from your first-choice College/School/Program

-4 courses from your second choice College/School/ Program

This course selection does not guarantee you can take those courses.

Important Note



1. Some Colleges/Programs have a limited number of courses available to Exchange Student.

2. Undergraduate students cannot register courses for graduate school students, and vice versa

Kdb Digital Syllabus for searching courses



<https://kdb.tsukuba.ac.jp/>



Use the “Kdb” system to help you find the courses you want to take at the University of Tsukuba

The screenshot shows the 'List of Courses' web application. At the top right, there are fields for 'User ID' and 'Password'. Below that, the 'List of Courses' title is followed by three numbered callouts: 1 points to the 'Academic year *' dropdown (set to 2025), 2 points to the 'Select Term/Module' dropdown, and 3 points to the 'Requisite' dropdown. Below these are checkboxes for 'include overview, remarks and syllabi', 'conducted in english', 'courses open to auditor', and 'courses open exchange student', with a 'Search' button to the right. A table below the filters has columns: Course Number, Course Name, 授業方法, Credits, Year, Term, Weekday and Period, Instructor, Course Overview, Remarks, and Auditor. A fourth callout, 4, points to the 'conducted in english' checkbox.

① Academic Year at UT

Please search by most recent year.

Information of the next academic year (April to March) will be offered at the beginning of April.

② Term/Module



Select Term/Module you plan to enroll in.

[Academic Calendar - University of Tsukuba](#)

AB Module Applicants CANNOT take courses in C Module.

ABC Module Applicants MUST take courses in C Module.

Sum Vac is available for students who enroll Spr to Fall.

Spr Vac is available for students who enroll Fall to Spr.

A dropdown menu titled 'Select Term/Module' is shown. The menu is open, displaying the following options: SprA, SprB, SprC, Sum Vac, FallA, FallB, FallC, and Spr Vac.

You are not allowed to shorten or extend your enrollment period once you submit the application.



Information for Searching Courses Undergraduate Students

List of Courses User ID Password

List of Courses

Academic year * 1 2025 2 Select Term/Modul Select Day Select Period 3 Requisite 4

include overview marks and syllabi conducted in english courses open to auditor courses open exchange student Search

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Year	Term	Weekday and Period	Instructor	Course Overview	Remarks	Auditor
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✓ if Japanese proficiency is poor

✓ Check

Requisite

Requisite

- English Program Course Catalogue
- Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students ▶
- Course Catalog for Graduate School Students
- Course Catalog

Step 1

Requisite

検索 >

Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students

- Teaching Profession
- Foundation/Major Subjects ▶
- Free-Choice Electives (Purpose-Built Subjects)
- Museums
- Curriculum for the Japanese Studies Students

Step 2

Requisite

検索 >

Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students

Foundation/Major Subjects

- School of Humanities and Culture
- School of Social and International Studies ▶
- School of Human Sciences
- School of Life and Environmental Sciences

Step 3

Requisite

検索 >

Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students

Foundation/Major Subjects

School of Social and International Studies

- College of Social Sciences ▶
- College of International Studies

Step 4

College of Social...

検索 >

Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students

Foundation/Major Subjects

School of Social and International Studies

- College of Social Sciences

④ Check boxes

③ Requisite

Step1.
“Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students”

Step2.
“Foundation/Major Subjects”

Step3 and 4.
Select School and College of your 1st and 2nd choice

Check if your selection is reflected.

Step 3 and 4
Please select your desired school and department.

Information for Searching Courses Undergraduate Students

Sample

List of Courses

List of Courses SprA SprB SprC Sum Vac FallA FallB FallC Spr Vac Intensive NT

Academic year * 2025 | SprA | Select Day | Select Period | College of Intern...

Click to check the syllabus

Check if the Term corresponds to your Exchange Period

Check Remarks

- Check if there are identical Course Number and the course syllabus
- Check if the classes are offered only in odd or even number years

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Year	Term	Weekday and Period	Instructor	Course Overview	Remarks	Auditor
BC11411	International Trade	1	2.0	2 - 4 SprAB	Thu1,2	Hisahiro Naito	As the ec...	Open in an odd number year. Identical to BB41601, BE22271, and FH25051. Lectures are conducted in English. face-to-face	
BC11511	Linguistic Anthropology	1					Linguisti...	First period only in Room 3A403 Identical to BE22501. Lectures are conducted in English. face-to-face(partially online) (former Anthropological Linguistics) Identical to BE22231.	

Input in the Application Form

1. From your first desired College/Degree Program (ideally, choose 5 courses)

Course Number(7 digits) / Course Name

BC11411 International Trade

Subjects other than the first and second choices

3. Other courses

- Such as general foundation subjects and Japanese language courses

General foundation subjects

③ Requisite

1. "Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students"
2. "Foundation/Major Subjects"
3. "General Foundation Subjects"

Japanese Language Course (Undergraduate)

Course code start with 390

English Program Course

③ Requisite

1. Select "English Program Course Catalogue"
2. Select the one related to your study field

Information for Searching Courses Graduate Students



<https://kdb.tsukuba.ac.jp/>



List of Courses User ID Password

List of Courses

Academic year * ① 2025 ② Select Term/Modul. Select Day Select Period ③ Requisite

include overview marks and syllabi conducted in english courses open to auditor courses open exchange student ④ Search

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Year	Term	Weekday and Period	Instructor	Course Overview	Remarks	Auditor
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③ if Japanese proficiency is poor

④ Check

Requisite

Requisite

- English Program Course Catalogue
- Course Catalog for Undergraduate Students
- Course Catalog for Graduate School Students
- Course Catalog

Step 1

Graduate School ...

検索 >

Course Catalog for Graduate School Students

- Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences
- Graduate School of Science and Technology
- Graduate School of Comprehensive Human Sciences

Step 2

Graduate School ...

検索 >

Course Catalog for Graduate School Students

- Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences
- Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences (Master's Programs)
- Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences (Doctral Programs)
- Degree Programs

Step 3

Master's Program...

検索 >

Course Catalog for Graduate School Students

- Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences
- Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences (Master's Programs)
- Master's Program in Humanities
- Master's Program in International Public Policy
- Master's Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies

Step 4

Step 2 - 4
Please select your desired graduate school and Degree Program.

Master's Program...

検索 >

Course Catalog for Graduate School Students

- Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences
- Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences (Master's Programs)
- Master's Program in Humanities

③ Requisite Step1.

“Course Catalog for Graduate Students”

Step2-4.

“Graduate School/Degree Program” and “Subprogram” (if applicable)

Check if your selection is reflected.

④ Check boxes

Information for Searching Courses Graduate Students

Sample

List of Courses

List of Courses SprA SprB SprC Sum Vac FallA FallB FallC Spr Vac Intensive NT

Academic year: [dropdown] Select Period: [dropdown] Master's Program: [dropdown]

include overview, remarks and syllabi conducted in english courses open to auditor open exchange student Search

296 results 1-50

Course Number	Course Name	授業方法	Credits	Year	Term	Weekday and Period	Instructor	Course Overview	Remarks	Auditor
0AA3018	Philosophical Practice		2	1.0	1 SprAB	Fri3	菺史 太田		0AA3001/0AA3002履修者は履修不可 Online(Synchronous) Open in an even number year. Identical to 02DBG54. face-to-face(partially online)	
0ABAA24	Seminar in Contemporary Philosophy I(1A)		2	1.0	1, 2					

Click to check the syllabus

Check Remarks

- Check if there are identical Course Number and the course syllabus
- Check if the classes are offered only in odd or even number years

Check if the Term corresponds to your Exchange Period

Input in the Application Form

1. From your first desired College/Degree Program (ideally, choose 5 courses)

Course Number(7 digits) / Course Name

0AA3018

Philosophical Practice

Subjects other than the first and second choices

3. Other courses

- Such as general foundation subjects and Japanese language courses

Japanese Language Course (Graduate)

Course code start with XJ

General foundation subjects

③ Requisite

1. "Course Catalog for Graduate Students"
2. "Graduate School/Degree Program" and "Subprogram" (if applicable)

When you could not find sufficient number of courses from 1st and 2nd choice



Depending on the, school, college, program, the (English) courses offered to short-term exchange students may be limited.

If you cannot select enough courses,

Please check the confirmation on application form.

<p>Confirmation only for the applicants who have listed up three or fewer courses in the 1st and 2nd section.</p>	<p>If the courses you can take are limited, changing your desired affiliation(s) is an option. If you wish to apply without changing your choices, please check the boxes after reading the following carefully.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I understand that the courses I can take are limited, but I still hope to be affiliated with the College/Degree Program of choice (s).<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I understand that I need to clearly state the reason for my choices and the goals of my studies in the Study Plan section.
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In any case, please also include courses from “3. Other courses”

so that you list a total of at least **eight** courses.

