

GUIDE TO STUDYING IN SAITAMA



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Why don't you study abroad in Saitama?



Mascots of Saitama "Kobaton" & "Saitamatch"

Recommendation to study abroad in Saitama

Why SAITAMA? 1 Located in Metropolitan area

Metropolitan area gathers many people and business organizations.

There are about **12,000** overseas students in Saitama

About **a half of overseas students** coming to Japan study in Metropolitan area.

About 12,000 overseas students presently live in Saitama.
Result of an Annual Survey of International Students in Japan 2018-JASSO

There are many business organizations in Saitama, **the fifth** most in Japan

It is the third in number of business organizations after Tokyo and Kanagawa in Metropolitan area.

2016 Economic Census-Result of Activity Investigation Industrial gross (Basic) -Saitama Department of General Affairs Statistics Division

The fifth biggest economic size in Japan

Nominal gross prefectural product is about 22.3 trillion yen, the fifth biggest economic size in Japan.

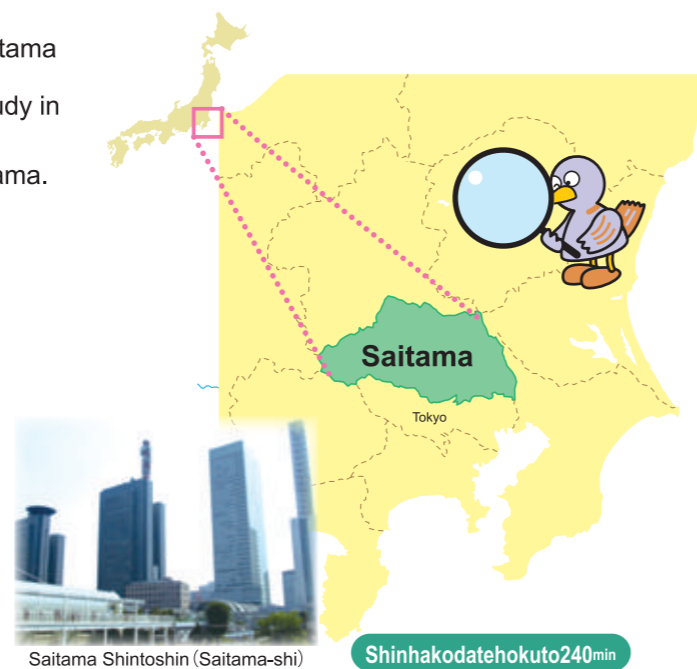
2015 Prefectural resident economic calculation - Cabinet Office

Easy access to the Tokyo area

It takes only 30 minutes to get to Ikebukuro or Ueno by taking train from Omiya, the biggest terminal station in Saitama.

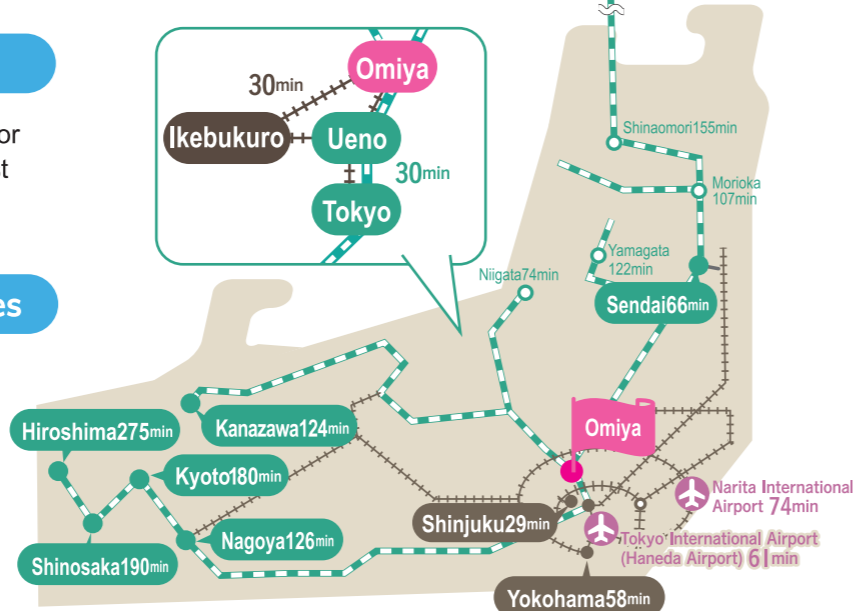
Easy access to other metropolises

Easy access to tourist areas such as Kyoto, Sendai, Hiroshima.



Saitama Shintoshin (Saitama-shi)

Shinhakodatehokuto 240min



Access to other metropolises

Why SAITAMA?

2 Easy to live

Lower rent than in Tokyo

● Tokyo ▶▶▶ **86,000yen**

● Saitama ▶▶▶ **63,000yen**

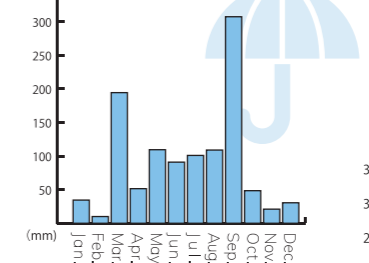
※Rent of 33㎡ private apartment room for a month
Statistical Observations of Prefectures 2018

Many fair days

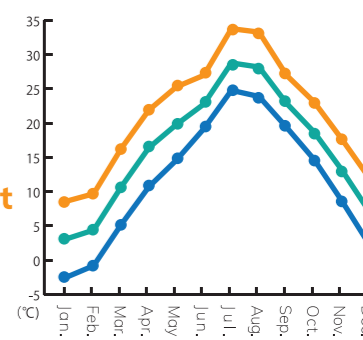
56 fair days out of 365 days
(The most fair-days in Japan in 2016)

Statistical Observations of Prefectures 2018

Rainfall

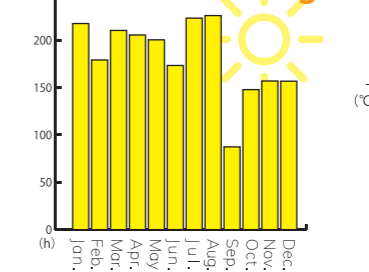


Highest temperature
Average temperature
Lowest temperature



Japan Meteorological Agency Website (Saitama observation point, 2018)

Hours of sunlight



Why SAITAMA?

3 Many places for healing



Arakawa-river (widest river in Japan)



Tove Jansson Akebono Children's Forest Park (Hanno-shi)



Saitama Children's Natural Zoo (Higashi-Matsuyama-shi)



Memorial Park for town rule enforcement (Ina-machi)



Soka Matsubara Promenade (Soka-shi)



Map of highlights in Saitama



Town of sports



Gyoda-shi
● Village of ancient lotus



Nagatoro-machi
● Arakawa-river boat tour



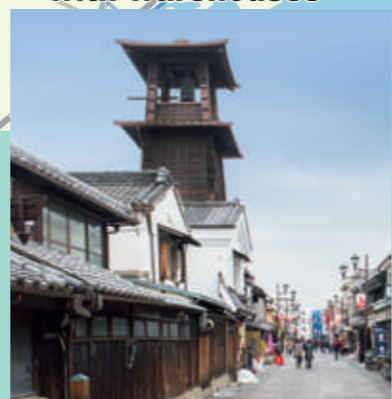
● Hodosan Shrine



Chichibu-shi
● Chichibu Night Festival



Kawagoe-shi
● Historic streets lined with warehouses



Saitama-shi
● Omiya Bonsai Museum



● Railway Museum



Professional sport teams in Saitama

- Saitama Seibu Lions
- Saitama Astraia/Musashi Heat Bears
- Saitama Broncos
- Urawa Red Diamonds/Omiya Ardija
- Ageo Medics



Tokyo 2020 Olympic and Paralympic Games, and Rugby World Cup 2019™ tournament will be held in Saitama

[Tournament venues in Saitama prefecture]

1 BASKETBALL

(Olympic Games)
● Venue: Saitama Super Arena [Saitama-shi]



2 FOOTBALL

(Olympic Games)
● Venue: Saitama Stadium 2002 [Saitama-shi]



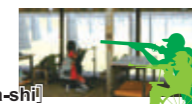
3 GOLF

(Olympic Games)
● Venue: Kasumigaseki Country Club [Kawagoe-shi, Sayama-shi]



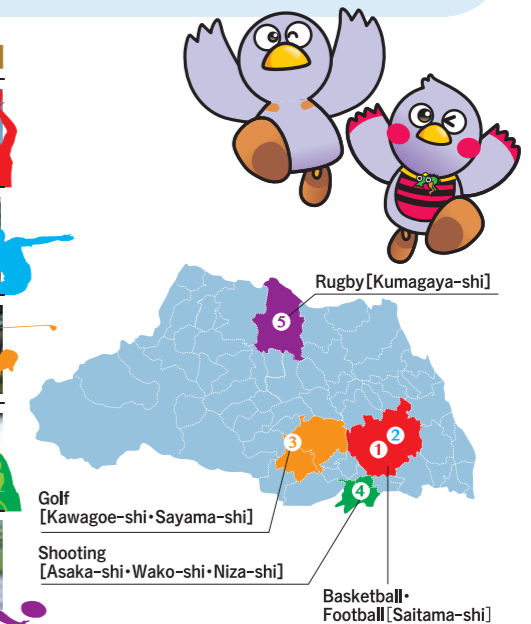
4 SHOOTING

(Olympic and Paralympic Games)
● Venue: Asaka Shooting Range [Asaka-shi, Wako-shi, Niza-shi]



5 RUGBY

(Rugby World Cup 2019)
● Venue: Kumagaya Rugby Stadium [Kumagaya-shi]
● Tournament Dates: 20th September (Fri) - 2nd November (Sat), 2019



Sacred places for anime (animation) fans

Chichibu-shi

The setting is in Chichibu, the town with the magnificent natural landscape and its history.

- The Anthem of the Heart
- Anohana: The Flower We Saw That Day



Niiza-shi

- Atom (Astro boy)
- Atom (Astro boy) is a special resident in Niiza-shi.

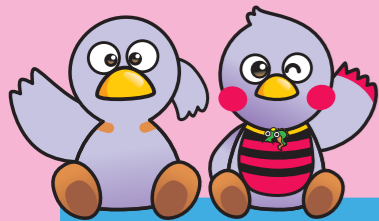


Kasukabe-shi

- Crayon Shin-chan
- 'Shin-chan', popular anime character in and around Asia is a resident of Kasukabe-shi.



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Support for overseas students in Saitama

What is Saitama Center for Go Global Students (GGS)?

GGS is the base in Saitama for bringing up students who actively work globally and encouraging them to be ready-to-work human resources for companies. We will support the overseas students who seek employment with assistance of universities and business organizations in Saitama.

GGS support menu



Job matching & Follow-up system



Job consulting



Exchange event of Overseas students x Business people



Job fair



Internship



Tour for Company visit & Discussion meeting

Usage of GGS information

When I want to get the information about job searching or events related to International exchange

▶ GGS Website



<https://www.ggsaitama.jp/>
Latest information will be posted on 'Notice' page. You can enjoy the substantial page full of articles such as overseas students' interview.

When I want to check the job information about global business organizations in Saitama

▶ GGS job matching system



<https://ggs-jobmatch.jp/>
Register first!
Check the job information of company in Saitama and make an entry. Aim for working in Japan!

▶ GGS mail magazine



<https://www.ggsaitama.jp/globalnet/mailmagazine/>
Event information about studying abroad or job searching, and the monthly serial relay-essay by "Global" people bred in Saitama'.

Also, check up our SNS



<https://www.facebook.com/ggsaitama/>



https://twitter.com/saitama_ggs

Advice from seniors used through GGS



Lü Meng Jiao (from China)

Major subject ● Community policy, Tourism policy
Employed by ● Koyo Orient Japan Co. Ltd.

When I started searching job, I seriously considered three things; 1. My strong and weak points, 2. What I tried my best in my school days, and 3. What I can contribute to a company when employed. While I consult with the counselors of GGS, I organized my thoughts and practiced a job interview many times. I think it is important to speak Japanese politely with confidence in actual interviews. Also, it is effective to attend GGS's meetings to collect the information of the companies that are actively recruiting overseas students. Finally, it is very hard to look for a job in Japan, but have your dream and set the goal, then, work hard until you receive notice of a prospective employee from a company.



Bogati Pradip (from Nepal)

Major subject ● Agricultural study, International bio-business
Employed by ● Musashino Co. Ltd.

Want to be employed in Japan? If overseas students have no idea about how to search jobs or collect information about it, you should register at GGS. GGS provides wide range of information on job searching for overseas students who want to be employed in Japan from scratch. If you have a concern, consult GGS who supports overseas students.



Iempoolsub Monthaya (from Kingdom of Thailand)

Major subject ● Asia Pacific Studies, International relations program
Employed by ● J. MORITA TOKYO MFG. CORP.

What important on job hunting is that you should set the goal first, then make an effort to reach the goal. I'm sure there are many things that make you worry but it doesn't mean a waste of time. No matter how hesitate you are, take it slow and find thing which make you joy. Think positively about job hunting. Facing yourself, be who you are and do not forget to carry the smile. Last but not least, please do a job hunting without any regrets.

Inquiry

■ Inquiry for general information related to overseas students

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■ URL:https://www.ggsaitama.jp/

■ Collecting information about immigration matters and procedures

Immigration Bureau

■ <http://www.immi-moj.go.jp/>

Saitama Information & Support

■ <http://sia1.jp/foreign/advice/>

■ Collecting the general information related to study abroad in Japan

Japan Student Services Organization(JASSO)

■ <https://www.jasso.go.jp/>

General Guide for studying abroad in Japan

■ <https://www.studyjapan.go.jp/>

■ About Saitama prefecture

Saitama Prefecture

■ <https://www.pref.saitama.lg.jp/>

Public Interest Incorporated Foundation Saitama International Association

■ <http://sia1.jp/>

University guide in Saitama

1 Saitama University

<http://www.saitama-u.ac.jp/>




Address	255 Shimo-Okubo, Sakura-ku, Saitama-shi, Saitama-ken 338-8570		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Faculty] Faculty of Liberal Arts, Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Education, Faculty of Science, Faculty of Engineering [Graduate School] Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences(M/D), Graduate School of Education(M), Graduate School of Science and Engineering(M/D) The United Graduate School of Education Tokyo Gakugei University (D)		
Number of overseas students/ students	481/8,453 (As of May 1st 2018, the number of full-time students)	Enrollment Season	April / October
Required literacy in languages	It varies by each Faculty / Graduate School		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Scholarship systems, Tuition waiver system		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Accommodation for International Students (International House), International Student Society of Saitama University (ISSU), International Students Advising & Counseling Room •Degree Programs Offered in English (Graduate School of Science and Engineering / International Graduate Program on Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, MA Program in Japanese and Asian Culture / MEcon Program in Japanese and Asian Economy and Management) 		
PR	Make Your Dream Come True at Saitama University, Japan.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Naw Jacklin Nyunt (from Myanmar) I came to Japan as an exchange student of Saitama University Master's course in 2014. I had planned to take the course for 1 year at first, but I proceeded to Doctoral course because I was impressed with Japanese culture. In Doctoral course, as my abilities of research methods and communication skills have progressed by interacting with international students from all over the world, I began to build confidence in myself. I am most grateful to my colleagues and the professor for always encouraging and supporting me. Also, I appreciate the wonderful environment for study Saitama University offers. After I graduate from the course, I'd like to be a bridge between Japan and my country using my knowledge cultivated by my study.</p>		

3 Jumonji University

<http://www.jumonji-u.ac.jp/>




Address	2-1-28 Sugasawa, Niiza-shi, Saitama-ken 352-8510		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Faculty] Faculty of Human Life [Graduate School] Graduate School of Human Life Sciences [Intensive Japanese Language Program for International Students]		
Number of overseas students/ students	[Faculty & Graduate School] 83/3,390 [Intensive Japanese Language Program] 59/59	Enrollment Season	[Faculty] April [Graduate School & Intensive Japanese Language Program] April / September
Required literacy in languages	It varies by each Faculty / Graduate School / Program		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Tuition Reduction Program is available for International students studying at their own expense [Faculty & Graduate School]		
Support system for overseas students	[Intensive Japanese Language Program] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Special admission system by recommendation to faculty, or transfer system by recommendation into the junior year •Plentiful opportunity for study through experience such as tea ceremony and kimono, introduction of rooms in a dormitory 		
PR	At our university, we prepare "Half Term Course at Intensive Japanese Language Program" for those with the status residence of "Dependent" or "Spouse of Japanese", and provide sufficient Japanese language education.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Chen Xin (from China) I decided to study at Intensive Japanese Language Program of Jumonji University because the teacher in China recommended it to me. This program provides not only Japanese language course but also the opportunity to experience Japanese culture, and help me understand this country more from the various points of view. In my everyday life, I can consult a staff of the center who support foreign students and it is helpful. After I complete this program, I am going to enter Jumonji University. I am very glad to be able to continue studying at this university.</p>		

2 Shibaura Institute of Technology

<https://www.shibaura-it.ac.jp>



Address	[Toyosu Campus] 3-7-5 Toyosu, Koto-ku, Tokyo 135-8548 Toyosu Campus Omiya Campus Shibaura Campus [Omiya Campus] 307 Fukasaku, Minuma-ku, Saitama -shi, Saitama-ken 337-8570 [Shibaura Campus] 3-9-14 Shibaura, Minato-ku, Tokyo 108-8548		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Faculty] Collage of Engineering, Collage of Systems Engineering and Science, Collage of Engineering and Design, School of Architecture [Graduate School] Graduate School of Engineering and Science		
Number of overseas students/ students	1,297 / 8,868	Enrollment Season	April / September
Required literacy in languages	Japanese / English		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Tuition reduction program		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Special Entrance Examination for International student (undergraduate) •Support Life in Japan such as Visa acquisition, Finding accommodations and so on 		
PR	Shibaura Institute of Technology is the only one private university of science and engineering universities which is selected as "Top Global University" by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology. The university has set a goal to being in the top 10 science and engineering universities in Asia in 2027, the year celebrating its 100th anniversary. We bring up "Global Human Resources in science and engineering who learn in the world and contribute to the world" and they will be able to lead a new world.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Kim Pong-Ju (from Korea) The decisive factor I entered Shibaura Institute of Technology was that it is selected as one of the Top Global Universities and I was convinced I would be able to grow up myself here. I hope to get a job related to space such as planetary exploration projects in the future. I live very meaningful and enjoyable days in the international student dormitory in which enabled me to make lots of friends.</p>		

4 Josai University

<https://www.josai.ac.jp/>



Address	1-1 Keyakidai, Sakado-shi, Saitama-ken 350-0295		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Faculty of Economics (Department of Economics) •Faculty of Contemporary Policy Studies (Department of Social and Economic Systems) •Faculty of Management (Department of Management) •Faculty of Science (Department of Mathematics, Department of Chemistry) •Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences (School of Pharmacy, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Department of Clinical Dietetics and Human Nutrition) •Japanese Studies Program 		
Number of overseas students/ students	195 / 7,665	Enrollment Season	April / September (for Japanese Studies Program only)
Required literacy in languages	JLPT N2, EJU Japanese Language Test Score 200, or equivalent skill		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Scholarship program, Tuition Reduction program		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Student Support (Application for COE, Visa Extension, Permission for Part-time job) •International Exchange Events 		
PR	Josai University aims to become a leading university in the world and develop 'human resources with global mindset'.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Ei Thinzar (from Myanmar) It's been my dream to study abroad since I was a child. I wanted to study economics, so I decided to come to Japan which is one of the most economically advanced countries in the world. Now I'm studying hard to get a master's degree. After graduation I want to find a job in a Japanese company and make use of my knowledge and skills I gained at Josai University. I hope my experience in Japan will help the development of Myanmar in the future.</p>		

5 Shobi University

<https://www.shobi-u.ac.jp/>




Address	1-1-1 Toyodacho, Kawagoe-shi, Saitama-ken 350-1110		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Faculty] • Faculty of Informatics for Arts (Department of Information Expression, Department of Music Expression, Department of Music Business Development, Department of Performing Arts) • Faculty of Policy Management (Department of Policy Management) • Faculty of Sport Management (Department of Sport Management) * It is scheduled to open in April 2020 (under plan)	[Graduate School] • School of Informatics for Arts Division of Musical Arts (Master's Degree) Division of Media Arts (Master's Degree) • School of Policy and Management Studies Public Policy and Administration Studies (Master's Degree)	
Number of overseas students/ students	329 / 2,569	Enrollment Season	April
Required literacy in languages	A score of 200 points or higher in the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU) or N2 Level or higher in the JLPT is required.		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Various tuition exemption programs for honor students and scholarship programs		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Japanese Language Courses • Cosignatory system for renting apartments • General Student Assistance Office and Counselling Room • Introduction of Advisor System • Participation in cross-cultural exchange activities conducted by near-by elementary schools, junior high schools, high schools and Kawagoe-shi • Employment Support provided by the Student Career Center • Assistance for acquisition of status of residence and proxy application services, etc. 		
PR	Shobi Gakuen University is actively promoting International Exchange and provides hospitable support to International students for their fulfilling life.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Nguyen Tuan Anh (from Vietnam) I came to Japan three years ago. After learning Japanese at Tokyo Nichigo Gakuin (Saitama-shi, Saitama-ken) for one and half years, I am studying mainly Information Communication in the department of Policy Management at Shobi University. The University has departments related to arts and sports such as music, games performing arts other than economy and management. You will be able to find what you want to do here. It also plans various events for international students. With your vision of the future, I'd like you to study at Shobi University together. Don't hesitate to ask me anything you want to know. I look forward to seeing you!</p>		

7 Daito Bunka University

<https://www.daito.ac.jp>




Address	[Itabashi Campus] 1-9-1 Takashimadaira, Itabashi-ku, Tokyo 175-8571 [Higashimatsuyama Campus] 560 Iwadono, Higashimatsuyama-shi, Saitama-ken 355-8501	Itabashi Campus	Higashimatsuyama Campus Bldg. No 5
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	Faculty of Literature, Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Foreign Languages, Faculty of Law, Faculty of International Relations, Faculty of Business Administration, Faculty of Sociology, Faculty of Sports and Health Science		
Number of overseas students/ students	262 / 11,653	Enrollment Season	April
Required literacy in languages	JLPT Level N2 or higher		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Tuition Exemption (20% of Annual Tuition) and DBU Scholarship Program		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entrance Examination for International Students, Application for COE, Visa Extension, permission for Part-time Job • International Exchange Event, Field Trip (Okinawa, Hokkaido, etc.) • Medical Expenses Support through Mutual Aid Society, Career Support, etc. 		
PR	DBU will celebrate its 100th anniversary in 2023. From Asia to the world, we will start on a journey into the future filled with new knowledge!		
Message from seniors	 <p>Hoang Thi Thu Trang (from Vietnam) I entered the Faculty of Foreign Language, Daito Bunka University in April 2018. After entering the university, you'll notice there are a lot of things you don't know. But don't worry too much, because teachers and friends are always with you. Let me tell you something from my experience. First, you should walk around the campus and meet people! Soon you will make new friends. I'm looking forward to seeing you!</p>		

6 Seigakuin University

<https://www.seigakuin.jp>




Address	1-1 Tosaki, Ageo-shi, Saitama-ken 362-8585		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	Faculty of Political Science & Economics (Political Science & Economics Department) Faculty of Humanities (European-American Culture Department, Japanese Culture Department, Child Studies Department) Faculty of Psychology and Social Welfare (Psychology and Social Welfare Department)		
Number of overseas students/ students	413 / 1,871	Enrollment Season	April / September
Required literacy in languages	JLPT N3 or higher		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Half of Entrance Fee Exemption (140,000 yen) Tuition Fee Exemption (30% of Annual Tuition)		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Support by International Center (Visa Extension, Study Support, Scholarship, Career Support, Student Events, etc.) • Japanese Language Class for Overseas Students • Japanese Speech Contest (Award Certificate and extra prize will be given to the excellent speakers.) • International Exchange Event • Fall admission is possible 		
PR	Seigakuin won "Japan Ryugaku Awards Grand Prize in 2018" for its second time following the year 2016! It has been selected as an Award winner for seven consecutive years by Japanese language schools. Seigakuin carefully and kindly supports every one of overseas students for their happy student life.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Kariyawasam Madushini (from Sri Lanka) The faculty and staff members are really kind to overseas students. When we are in trouble, they really worry and support us so that we will never feel alone. Also, if they find our Japanese or Kanji skills are not so good, they will provide us with a special class and teach us kindly. Here I've learned how it is important to be kind to others. If you want to study at a Japanese university, I will strongly recommend Seigakuin University.</p>		

8 Tokyo Denki University

<https://www.dendai.ac.jp/>



Address	[Tokyo Senju Campus] 5 Senju Asahi-cho, Adachi-ku, Tokyo 120-8551 [Saitama Hatoyama Campus] Ishizaka, Hatoyama-machi, Hiki-gun, Saitama 350-0394		Saitama Hatoyama Campus
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Tokyo Senju Campus] [Undergraduate] School of System Design and Technology, School of Science and Technology for Future Life, School of Engineering [Graduate] Graduate School of Science and Technology for Future Life, Graduate School of Engineering, Graduate School of Advanced Science and Technology (Ph.D course) [Saitama Hatoyama Campus] [Undergraduate] School of Science and Engineering [Graduate] Graduate School of Science and Engineering, Graduate School of Advanced Science and Technology (Ph.D course)		
Number of overseas students/ students	[Total] 210 / 9,959 [Hatoyama] 55 / 2,952 ※As of May, 2018	Enrollment Season	[Undergraduate] April [Graduate] April / September
Required literacy in languages	[Undergraduate] Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students [Graduate] JLPT N2		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Tuition reduction / TDU scholarship		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Special classes for international students (Japanese language/ Current Issues) • School events with Japanese students, a sports festival, and school festivals • Scholarships offered by university or private organizations • Visa support and housing arrangement 		
PR	We are a science and engineering university where you can study academic science and technology with more than a 100 year history and great achievements.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Limsukhawat kittichat (from Thailand) Tokyo Denki University aims to nurture students to be people who can contribute to society with technology and therefore I study hard every day. As Saitama Hatoyama campus is spacious and surrounded by nature, it is an appropriate environment to study. Also, many students live near the university so I can enjoy spending time with Japanese students in the classes and club activities. In addition, there are a lot of events for international students that I can experience Japanese culture through seasonal events such as cherry blossom viewing party, Tanabata Star festival, New Year's party.</p>		

9 Toyo University

<https://www.toyo.ac.jp>




Address	[Hakusan Campus] 5-28-20 Hakusan Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 112-8606 Kawagoe Campus Asaka Campus [Kawagoe Campus] 2100 Kujirai, Kawagoe-shi, Saitama-ken 350-8585 [Asaka Campus] 48-1 Ichioka, Asaka-shi, Saitama-ken 351-8510 [Itakura Campus] 1-1-1 Izumino, Itakura-machi, Ora-gun, Gunma-ken 374-0193 [Akabanedai Campus] 1-7-11 Akabanedai, Kita-ku, Tokyo 115-0053		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Hakusan Campus] Faculty of Letters, Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Business Administration, Faculty of Law, Faculty of Sociology, Faculty of Global and Regional Studies, Faculty of International Tourism Management [Kawagoe Campus] Faculty of Science and Engineering, Faculty of Information Sciences and Arts [Asaka Campus] Faculty of Human Life Design [Itakura Campus] Faculty of Life Sciences, Faculty of Food and Nutritional Sciences [Akabanedai Campus] Faculty of Information Networking for Innovation and Design *Each campus has the graduate school.		
Number of overseas students/ students	1,283/31,844	Enrollment Season	April / September
Required literacy in languages	Japanese, (partially)English		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Tuition exemption (20~40% for undergraduate students and 30% graduate students) and scholarship system		
Support system for overseas students	•Courses especially designed for international students. •Active exchange among overseas students such as overseas students union •Health center and consultation room •Residential security system for overseas students •Compensation system for overseas students (insurance) •Job seeking support (teaching business Japanese, internship, and so on)		
PR	Variety of scholarships such as tuition support for overseas students are available. Extensive support for finding employment in Japan as one of the 12 bases nationwide of "International student Employment Promotion Program" of Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology.		
Message from seniors	 Eliakyn da Silva Rosa (from Brazil) It's been soon two years and half since I came to Toyo University. This university is wonderful for studying. Besides, we can see globalization here in Toyo University, so we can exchange students both from Japan and from many countries. I enjoy campus life every day. Let's study at Toyo University together!		

10 Dokkyo University

<http://www.dokkyo.ac.jp/>




Address	1-1 Gakuen-cho, Soka-shi, Saitama-ken 340-042		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Faculties] Faculty of Foreign Languages (Department of German, English, French and Tourism and Transnational Studies) Faculty of International Liberal Arts (Department of Interdisciplinary Studies) Faculty of Economics (Department of Economics, Management and Science and Economics on Sustainability) Faculty of Law (Department of Law, International Legal Studies and Policy Studies) [Graduate Schools] Graduate School of Law, Graduate School of Foreign Languages, Graduate School of Economics		
Number of overseas students/ students	73 / 9,023	Enrollment Season	April / September
Required literacy in languages	Understand classes conducted in Japanese language		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Tuition reduction system / Unique scholarships		
Support system for overseas students	Intensive Japanese language program, Subsidy for JLPT fee, Dokkyo University International Scholarship, Special entrance examination for overseas students, September admission system, Housing for overseas students (Maximum one year)		
PR	Leafy campus most suitable for study is waiting for you.		
Message from seniors	 Song Leilei (from China) I liked Japanese dramas and have come to be interested in Japanese through the dramas. Also, listening to a life in Japan from my cousin who studied there made me think to study in Japan abroad to Japan. I belong to the Department of Management Science which is divided into four special courses. I am studying in the accounting course because I am interested in accounting. Also, I have been studying hard to gain the specialized knowledge and also to improve my English skills at the same time. Dokkyo University offers international events several times a year and I have made many Japanese friends. I have come to know deeply about Japanese culture by spending time with friends, and live a fruitful student life.		

11 Nippon Institute of Technology

<https://www.nit.ac.jp/>




Address	4-1, Gakuendai, Miyashiro-machi, minami-Saitama-gun, Saitama-ken 345-8501		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	Faculty of Fundamental Engineering, Faculty of Advanced Engineering, Faculty of Architecture, Graduate School of Engineering [Japanese Language Course for Overseas Students (Bekka)]		
Number of overseas students/ students	Whole University: 76 / 4,225 [Bekka]: 21 / 21 (As of January, 2019)	Enrollment Season	[Bekka] April / September (Twice a year)
Required literacy in languages	[Bekka] JLPT N4 or higher level (advisable level is N3)		
Exemption of school fees etc.	[Bekka] Undergraduate entrance examination fee scholarship for the extremely excellent students is available		
Support system for overseas students	[Bekka] •Students who completed Japanese Language Course for Overseas Students (Bekka) will be able to take a recommendation entrance examination of Nippon Institute of Technology in accordance with their grades. •We are providing the elective subjects which enable you to obtain science and technological basic knowledge of such as mathematics and physics other than the Japanese related subjects. •You can enjoy exchanging Japanese students and the volunteers living in a neighborhood. And also, you can experience Japanese traditional culture such as flower arrangement and tea ceremony.		
PR	We are supporting the students who wish to study at Nippon Institute of Technology or any other science and technology universities!		
Message from seniors	 Zixi Yuan (from Shanghai, China) I like Japanese cartoon (anime) and have come to be interested in the dwelling environment of its background. So, after I studied architecture at the university in China, I came to Japan. In Nippon Institute of Technology, I strongly feel that I study realistic architecture which is in harmony with our daily life since they teach us the meaning of designs such as 'why the window is necessary here?' while looking through various architectural structures in the class. I fully enjoy my campus life here by going for meals with Japanese friends, using the training center or doing sport in the gymnasium of the university.		

12 Nihon Pharmaceutical University

<http://www.nichiyaku.ac.jp/>





Address	[Saitama Campus] 10281 Komuro, Ina-machi, Kitaadachi-gun, Saitama 362-0806 [Ochanomizu Campus] 3-15-9 Yushima, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 113-0034		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[Saitama Campus] Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences [Ochanomizu Campus] Department of Pharmaceutical and Medical Business Sciences		
Number of overseas students/ students	31 / 1,728	Enrollment Season	April
Required literacy in languages	About JLPT N2		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Scholarship, Tuition reduction programs		
Support system for overseas students	Japanese proficiency enhancing program Japanese I (2 units), Japanese II (2 units), Japanese III (2 units), Japanese IV (2 units) (These are for Ochanomizu Campus)		
PR	This pharmaceutical department is unique department first time in Japan with the curriculum unified pharmaceutical and business subjects in order to cultivate professionals who can cover medical and business industry. We turn out students who have learned an international sense to respond to the demand of domestic /foreign medical and health industries to society.		
Message from seniors	 Zeng Fanlin (from China) For students who are currently studying Japanese and searching a field of your future career, I would like to recommend "Department of Pharmaceutical and Medical Business Sciences" of Nihon Pharmaceutical University. This department is for nurturing "administrator of drug stores and hospitals." Therefore, this university teach both "knowledge of drugs" and "knowledge of business" and support you to get necessary qualifications. Thanks to this, I had gained informal appointments from six companies. I currently work at a drug store called "Kokokara Fine". Last year, my junior student also started working for this company. I would like to work for company's oversea business utilizing my language proficiency in the future.		

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13 Risho University

<http://www.ris.ac.jp/>




Address	[Kumagaya Campus] 1700 Magechi, Kumagaya-shi, Saitama-ken 360-0194 [Shinagawa Campus] 4-2-16 Osaki, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo 141-8602		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	Kumagaya Campus [Kumagaya Campus] Faculty of Social Welfare, Faculty of Geo-Environmental Science /Graduate School of Social Welfare, Graduate School of Geo-Environmental Science [Shinagawa Campus] Faculty of Buddhist Studies, Faculty of Letters, Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Business Administration, Faculty of Law, Faculty of Psychology /Graduate School of Humanities and Sociology, Graduate School of Economics, Graduate School of Business Administration, Graduate School of Law, Graduate School of Psychology		
Number of overseas students/ students	197 / 10,336	Enrollment Season	April
Required literacy in languages	Japanese (the level which doesn't hinder the studies after admission)		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Scholarship System for high achievers (grant type), Tuition Reduction system for Private expense International Students		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Dormitory "UNIDENSU" (Kumagaya Campus) • Medical Cost Aid (The Student Health Insurance Mutual Aid Association) • Subsidy to part of language Test Fee (Japanese Language Proficiency Test and the like) • Hosting of International Exchange Events 		
PR	Risho University is the university which will celebrate 150th anniversary of founding in 2022. It has 8 faculties and 7 Graduate Schools. International students study at Kumagaya Campus (Kumagaya-shi, Saitama-ken) and Shinagawa Campus (Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo).		
Message from seniors	 <p>Luo Cheng (from China) I'm studying Geoinformatics in Department of Geography, Faculty of Geo-Environmental Science. You can acquire new knowledge by considering various kinds of national environment and humanity environment while doing fieldwork based on you learnt in classes. Since the university has various extra curricular activities and clubs, you can fully enjoy campus life. Kumagaya Campus is located in a natural rich environment and equipped with facilities such as library, dormitory, cafeteria and so on.</p>		

14 Saitama Prefectural University

<https://www.spu.ac.jp/>




Address	820 Sannomiya, Koshigaya-shi, Saitama-ken 343-8540		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	[School of Health and Social Services] Department of Nursing, Department of Physical Therapy, Department of Occupational Therapy, Department of Social Work and Child Science (Division of Social Work, Division of Child Science), Department of Health Sciences (Division of Behavioral Sciences, Division of Laboratory Sciences, Division of Oral Health Sciences) [Graduate Course of Health and Social Services] Master's Program, Doctoral Programs		
Number of overseas students/ students	8 / 1,770	Enrollment Season	April or any time
Required literacy in languages	—		
Exemption of school fees etc.	—		
Support system for overseas students	Exchange programs with partner universities overseas (Tuition Exemption)		
PR	—To those who want to study Health, Medical Care or Welfare— SPU is waiting for people with high motivation who want to play an active role in the field of health, medical care and welfare.		
Message from seniors	 <p>Ma Dali (from Shanxi, China) I'm an exchange student from Shanxi Medical University. I gained valuable experiences through learning with teachers and classmates at SPU. I also participated in many different activities. All that happened here have become really good memories for my life.</p>		

15 Chuo Computer & Communication College

<http://www.ccmc.ac.jp/>



Address	2-33-10 Tohoku, Niiza-shi, Saitama-ken 352-0001		
Undergraduate studies Graduate studies, etc.	Department of ICT management (4-year course) Department of IT/Web (2-year course) Department of Business Design (2-year course) Department of Japanese Language(1.5-year/2-year course)		
Number of overseas students/ students	364 / 368 (Expected number for academic year 2019)	Enrollment Season	April
Required literacy in languages	JLPT N2		
Exemption of school fees etc.	Scholarship of Japan Student Services Organization or Chuo Computer & Communication College		
Support system for overseas students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introducing companies that match student's experience, career, etc. • Incentive for person who got certification • Giving information of student's residence and part-time job • Many internship programs 		
PR	Official job offers of 2018 : 119 (including 51 from listed companies) Acquisition of qualifications in 2018 : Fundamental Information Technology Engineer Examination : 5 Japanese Language Proficiency Test N1 : 36/310 (11.6%) Japanese Language Proficiency Test N2 : 141/310 (45.4%)		
Message from seniors	 <p>Garcia Thomas Alexander (from USA) I like Japan very much and want to stay in Japan doing a worthwhile job for a long period. This is why I decided to study IT. In Chuo Computer & Communication College, you can take part in a trial lesson, where you can get some advice about your aptitude for programming. That experience gave me confidence to keep on studying IT in this school. Of course, it is hard to acquire multiple programming languages, but I am going to study hard to create own software in the future.</p>		

Access to each university in Saitama

