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Tokai University Graduate School **Application Guide for Admission**

General/Adult Admission **(Fall Semester)**

For October 2026 Enrollment

(Spring Semester, 1st/2nd Session)

For April 2027 Enrollment

- Graduate School of Engineering
- Graduate School of Science and Technology



Tokai University
Admission Office

Founding Spirit

During his youth, Dr. Shigeyoshi Matsumae, founder of Tokai University Educational System (TES), was bewildered by the question "How should I live my life?" He found inspiration in the teachings of Kanzo Uchimura, a noted Japanese Christian scholar who held study group meetings for youth.

Dr. Matsumae also studied about Denmark and the role education played in the rebuilding of the nation. The impressions of these early lessons were the genesis of what has become the Tokai University Educational System. In time, Dr. Matsumae opened his first school, Bosei Gakujuku, which was inspired by the concept of Danish folk schools, and devoted his life to education.

This four-line slogan was written by Dr. Matsumae for the students of Bosei Gakujuku and continues to guide all of the schools at TES.

Cultivate your thoughts in your early days
Nurture your body in your early days
Develop your intellect in your early days
Aim your hopes towards the stars in your early days

His message to students was simple but powerful: develop both your minds and bodies to the fullest possible extent, and in doing so, acquire great insight and understanding of yourself, of life, and all aspects of the world around you.

Dr. Matsumae's vision continues to guide and inspire TES in its mission to provide youth with a balanced education that opens their minds and nurtures within them a humanitarian spirit, thus contributing to a more peaceful world.

Admissions policy

We invite people from Japan and abroad to apply who hold the necessary qualifications to obtain an education based on the requirements set forth by the master's program and the first stage of doctoral program and the doctoral program and the second stage of the doctoral program, who understand Tokai University's founding spirit and the educational ideals shown below and embody the desirable qualities of a graduate student, and who have a high spirit of scholarly inquiry and ambition towards research.

● Desirable Qualities of a Graduate Student

1. Those who have foundational and applicable skills for their specialty, as well as a broad perspective and a desire to learn specialized knowledge.
2. Those who have the desire to play a meaningful role in building a civilized and harmonious society as someone with a high degree of expertise.
3. Those who seek to think in a multi-faceted manner about various topics, while holding their own worldview and historical perspective

■ Admissions policy of graduate schools and courses

For the admissions policy of individual graduate schools and courses, please refer to the site of each school and course on the official website of Tokai University: <https://www.u-tokai.ac.jp/>

Mission

Tokai University Graduate School adheres to the founding spirit of Tokai University. It adheres to a high-level theoretical and applied approach to specialized knowledge and research and values the significance of such work. At the same time, it aims to enable learning that is responsive to the high degree of specialization and expertise that is required by professions, so that graduates can contribute to the development of cultures and the welfare of humanity.

Research Advisor

Research advisor can be searched through the official website of Tokai University. Please contact your desired research advisor prior to applying to discuss your interests and goals.

Campuses (Graduate school campus locations for Fall 2026 and Spring 2027 enrollment)

Shonan Campus

4-1-1 Kitakaname, Hiratsuka, Kanagawa, 259-1292 Japan
Tel. +81-463-58-1211 (Main number)
Graduate School of Letters (Except for the Course of Tourism), Graduate School of Law, Graduate School of Human Environmental Studies, Graduate School of Arts, Graduate School of Physical Education, Graduate School of Health Sciences, Graduate School of Science, Graduate School of Engineering*

Shinagawa Campus

2-3-23 Takanawa, Minato-ku, Tokyo, 108-8619 Japan
Tel. +81-3-3441-1171 (Main number)
Course of Tourism (Graduate School of Letters), Graduate School of Political Science, Graduate School of Economics, Graduate School of Information and Telecommunication Engineering

Isehara Campus

143 Shimokasuya, Isehara, Kanagawa, 259-1193 Japan
Tel. +81-463-93-1121 (Main number)
Course of Biomedical Engineering (Graduate School of Engineering), Graduate School of Medicine
*For the Course of Biomedical Engineering (Graduate School of Engineering) classes will be conducted on Shonan Campus after April 2028.

Shizuoka Campus

3-20-1 Orido, Shimizu-ku, Shizuoka, Shizuoka, 424-8610 Japan
Tel. +81-54-334-0411 (Main number)
Graduate School of Oceanography

Kumamoto Campus

9-1-1 Toroku, Higashi-ku, Kumamoto, Kumamoto, 862-8652 Japan
Tel. +81-96-382-1141 (Main number)

Aso Kumamoto Rinku Campus

871-12 Sugidou, Mashiki-machi, Kamimashiki, Kumamoto, 861-2205 Japan
Tel. +81-96-234-6430 (Main number)
Graduate School of Agriculture

Sapporo Campus

1-1-1 5-jo Minamisawa Minami-ku, Sapporo, Hokkaido, 005-8601 Japan
Tel. +81-11-571-5111 (Main number)
Graduate School of Biology

The Graduate School of Science and Technology and the Graduate School of Bioscience: Study will be conducted at one of the above campuses where the student's research advisor is based.

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1 Admission Quotas

1. Master's Program (2- year program)

Campus	School	Course	Abbreviated Names	Enrollment Quotas
Shonan	Engineering	Information Science and Technology	情理M	40
		Electrical and Electronic Engineering	電電M	20
		Applied Science	応理M	40
		Architecture and Civil Engineering	建土M	35
		Mechanical Engineering	機械M	85
Isehara, Shonan		Biomedical Engineering	医用M	8

Note The admission quotas are equivalent to the total enrollment capacity of the April and October enrollments.

2. Doctoral Program (3- year program)

Campus	School	Course	Abbreviated Names	Enrollment Quotas
The campus where the research advisor is based	Science and Technology	Physics and Mathematical Science	理工D	35
		Information Science and Technology		
		Electrical and Electronic Engineering		
		Life Science and Technology		
		Materials Science and Chemistry		
		Mechanical Engineering and Aeronautics and Astronautics		
		Architecture and Civil Engineering		
		Marine Science and Technology		
		Earth and Environmental Science		

Note The admission quotas are equivalent to the total enrollment capacity of the April and October enrollments.

2 Schedule

	School	Application Period	Examination Date	Acceptance Announcement Date	Enrollment Procedures	Enrollment Month
Fall	Engineering Science and Technology	<p style="text-align: center;">Web</p> June 1 (Monday) to June 10 (Wednesday) 6:00 p.m., 2026	July 5 (Sunday), 2026	July 15 (Wednesday), 2026	<p style="text-align: center;">Web</p> July 15 (Wednesday) to July 24 (Friday) 5:00 p.m., 2026	October 2026
Spring 1st Session		<p style="text-align: center;">Application Documents Mailing Deadline</p> June 12 (Friday), 2026 [Must arrive by deadline]			<p style="text-align: center;">Web*</p> July 15 (Wednesday) to July 24 (Friday), 2026	November 17 (Tuesday) to November 27 (Friday) 5:00 p.m., 2026
Spring 2nd Session		<p style="text-align: center;">Web</p> January 7 (Thursday) to January 16 (Saturday) 6:00 p.m., 2027	February 13 (Saturday), 2027	February 24 (Wednesday), 2027	<p style="text-align: center;">Web</p> February 24 (Wednesday) to March 4 (Thursday) 5:00 p.m., 2027	

* For the Spring 1st Session, enrollment procedures will be suspended from July 25 (Sat.) to November 16 (Mon.)

- Note**
- 1) Please confirm the type of entrance examination and the month of enrollment before applying.
 - 2) Graduates of universities outside of Japan are subject to eligibility screening. Please check page 7 for details.

Examination Site

School	Examination Site
Engineering	Shonan Campus, Tokai University (4-1-1 Kitakaname, Hiratsuka, Kanagawa, 259-1292 Japan)
Science and Technology	The examination site will be indicated on the admission slip.

*The room/building of the examination will be informed at the entrance gate of your examination site on the day of the examination.

Accident insurance

Applicants are covered by insurance for injuries or accidents related to the entrance examination incurred on the day of the examination.

3 Selection Method

1. Document screening (submit the documents specified by the university)
2. Examinations specified by each course

4 Application Procedures

Please access the link below and complete the application procedures.

Graduate School Web Application Site ▼
<https://sak-sak.net/app/tokaigs>



1. Application Method

Application period

2026 Fall / 2027 Spring 1st Session

[Web registration] June 1 (Monday) to June 10 (Wednesday) 6:00 p.m., 2026

[Application documents mailing deadline] June 12 (Friday), 2026 [Must arrive by deadline]

2027 Spring 2nd Session

[Web registration] January 7 (Thursday) to January 16 (Saturday) 6:00 p.m., 2027

[Application documents mailing deadline] January 18 (Monday), 2027 [Must arrive by deadline]

- (1) Please access the Graduate School Web Application Site to enter personal information and register an ID photo.
- (2) After registering the ID photo, please follow the on-screen instructions to pay the examination fee. Once the fee has been paid, no changes can be made to the information you have entered. Please double-check before making the payment and print the application registration slip after the payment has been completed.
- (3) Enclose the application documents in an envelope with the specified address label affixed, and send it by registered mail. The mail must arrive by deadline.

Address:

Tokai University (Office for College of Science & Engineering)
 4-1-1 Kitakaname, Hiratsuka-shi, Kanagawa, 259-1292 Japan
 Tel. +81-463-63-4210 (Direct)

2. Examination Fee: 32,000 yen

Please make the payment via the Graduate School Web Application Site.

For more information, please access the Graduate School Web Application Site from the QR code on this page.

3. Application Documents

Application Documents	
1	<p>Application Registration Slip (2 types) [Designated form]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After registering your personal information and an ID photo data, and paying the examination fee on the Graduate School Web Application Site, you will be able to print the application registration slip and the address label from the "Application Status" section on the same site. Please check the details and fill in your educational background and work history in the designated fields before submitting.
2	<p>Certificate of (expected) graduation or certificate of completion which satisfies application qualifications (issued within the last three months by the school you graduated from)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If your name is different from the one listed on the application documents, please attach a copy of your family registration issued within the last three months by a public organization. • If the transcript is written in a language other than Japanese or English, please attach a Japanese or English translation certified by a public institution, Japanese language school, or translation company (stipulate the date of creation and the translator's name, address, phone number, and signature or institutional seal).
3	<p>Latest academic transcript (issued within the last three months by the school you graduated from)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If your name is different from the one listed on the application documents, please attach a copy of your family registration issued within the last three months by a public organization. • If the transcript is written in a language other than Japanese or English, please attach a Japanese or English translation certified by a public institution, Japanese language school, or translation company (stipulate the date of creation and the translator's name, address, phone number, and signature or institutional seal).

Additional documents are required for the interview in addition to the application documents listed above. Please check page 8-9 " [6] Examination" for details.

Note

- 1) Please obtain prior approval from the faculty member whom you wish to seek research instruction from.
- 2) If any application documents are missing or incomplete, the application cannot be accepted.
- 3) Once submitted, the examination fee and the application documents will not be returned for any reason.
- 4) Once submitted, no changes can be made to the application for any reason.
- 5) Payment of the entrance examination fee will never be requested by telephone.
- 6) If any false or incorrect information is included in the application documents, admission will be revoked even after enrollment, and the applicant will lose eligibility for admission.

4. Examination Admission Slip

- (1) After we confirm your application documents, you will be able to print out the examination admission slip from the application status confirmation screen of the Graduate School Web Application Site from June 22 (Monday), 2026 for the Fall semester/Spring semester 1st Session, and from January 29 (Friday), 2027 for the Spring semester 2nd Session.
- (2) Please check the details on the examination admission slip.
 - Items related to the applicant: Name in *kana*, full name (same indication as the passport), date of birth
 - Items related to the examination: Examinee number, graduate school, major and course of choice, and the course abbreviation, examination site and start time

- Note**
- 1) Once the application has been submitted, no changes to examination-related information will be accepted for any reason.
 - 2) Please confirm the examination site and your transportation options.
 - 3) Regarding names written in Kanji, as a general rule, only characters classified under JIS Level 1 and Level 2 standards should be used. Characters not defined in the JIS code will not be accepted.

If you cannot find the examination admission slip, or if there is any error on the examination admission slip, please contact the Office for College of Science and Engineering.

Tel. +81-463-63-4210 (Direct) seco-ad@tokai.ac.jp (E-mail)

5 Application Qualifications

1. Master's Program

General Admission

Those who meet one of the following requirements (1)-(2) as stipulated in Article 102 of the School Education Act.

- (1) Those who have graduated or are expected to graduate from a university or college as by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment), stipulated in Article 83 of the School Education Act.
- (2) Those who have been enrolled in a university for three years or more (those who are expected to complete a three-year or three-and-a-half-year program by the time of admission) and who are recognized by Tokai University to have earned the prescribed credits with sufficient academic performance. Periods of leave of absence shall not be included in the total years of enrollment.
- (3) Those who are recognized as having academic qualifications equivalent to those of university or college graduates as stipulated in Article 155 of the School Education Act Enforcement Regulations, and who satisfy one of the following requirements:
 - ① Those who have completed or are expected to complete a bachelor's degree by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment), as stipulated in Article 104-4 of the School Education Act.
 - ② Those who have completed or are expected to complete 16 years of school education outside Japan by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment).
 - ③ Those who have completed or are expected to complete 16 years of school education of a foreign country by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment) by taking courses in Japan through a correspondence course offered by a school in that country.
 - ④ Those who have completed or are expected to complete by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment) a course of the foreign educational institutions in Japan that are designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (the MEXT Minister), and who are considered to have completed or are expected to complete 16 years of school education of a foreign country.
 - ⑤ Those who have been awarded a degree equivalent to a bachelor's degree by completing a course of study at a foreign university or other foreign institution with a program duration of three years or more. The program must be recognized by the government of the respective country or designated by the MEXT Minister. This also includes those expected to obtain such a degree by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment) through a completion of correspondence courses offered by foreign universities while residing in Japan, or by a foreign educational institutions in Japan that are designated by the MEXT Minister.
 - ⑥ Those who have completed a course of a vocational school after the date specified by the MEXT Minister, or are expected to complete it by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment). The course must be at least four years in duration and satisfy other conditions designated by the MEXT Minister.
 - ⑦ Those who are designated by the MEXT Minister. (As per official Announcement No.5 issued by MEXT in 1953).
 - ⑧ Those who are enrolled in a graduate school as stipulated in Article 102-2 of the School Education Act (admitted through early admission), and who are recognized as having academic qualifications adequate for Tokai University Graduate School.
 - ⑨ Those who have been recognized through an application screening process as having academic qualifications equivalent to a university or college graduate, and who are 22 years of age or older, i.e., born on or before October 1, 2004 (Fall enrollment) or April 1, 2005 (Spring enrollment).

- Note** Enrollment requirements for applicants who pass the entrance examination under Application Qualifications (2): Applicants must complete the third year of study and earn at least 75% (three-fourths) of the credits for graduation set by their university.

■ Adult Admission

Those who meet one of the following requirements (1)-(2) as stipulated in Article 102 of the School Education Act, and who must have a working experience of two years or more after graduation.

- (1) Those who have graduated from a university or college stipulated in Article 83 of the School Education Act.
- (2) Those who are recognized as having academic qualifications equivalent to those of university or college graduates as stipulated in Article 155 of the School Education Act Enforcement Regulations, and who satisfy one of the following requirements:
 - ① Those who have obtained a bachelor's degree as stipulated in Article 104-4 of the School Education Act (by the National Institution for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education).
 - ② Those who have completed 16 years of school education outside Japan.
 - ③ Those who have completed 16 years of school education of a foreign country by taking courses in Japan through a correspondence course offered by a school in that country.
 - ④ Those who have completed a course of the foreign educational institution in Japan that are designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (the MEXT Minister) defined as an educational institution recognized within the school education system of a foreign country as offering a program of a foreign university or college, and who are considered to have completed or are expected to complete 16 years of school education of a foreign country.
 - ⑤ Those who have been awarded a degree equivalent to a bachelor's degree by completing a course of study at a foreign university or other foreign institution with a program duration of three years or more. The program must be recognized by the government of the respective country or designated by the MEXT Minister. This includes completion of correspondence courses offered by foreign universities while residing in Japan, or by a foreign educational institutions in Japan that are designated by the MEXT Minister.
 - ⑥ Those who have completed a course of a vocational school after the date specified by the MEXT Minister. The course must be at least four years in duration and satisfy other conditions designated by the MEXT Minister.
 - ⑦ Those who are designated by the MEXT Minister. (As per official Announcement No.5 issued by MEXT in 1953).
 - ⑧ Those who are enrolled in a graduate school as stipulated in Article 102-2 of the School Education Act (admitted through early admission), and who are recognized as having academic qualifications adequate for Tokai University Graduate School.
 - ⑨ Those who have been recognized through an application screening process as having academic qualifications equivalent to a university or college graduate, and who are 22 years of age or older, i.e., born on or before October 1, 2004 (Fall enrollment) or April 1, 2005 (Spring enrollment).

2. Doctoral Program

■ General Admission

Those who meet one of the following requirements (1)-(3) as stipulated in the proviso of Article 102-1 of the School Education Act.

- (1) Those who have completed or are expected to complete a master's degree by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment).
- (2) Those who have completed or are expected to complete a professional degree by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment).
- (3) Those who are recognized as having academic qualifications equivalent to a person with a master's degree or a professional degree as stipulated in Article 156 of the School Education Act Enforcement Regulations, and who satisfy one of the following requirements:
 - ① Those who have obtained a master's degree or a professional degree, or are expected to complete an equivalent degree by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment).
 - ② Those who have completed or are expected to complete a curriculum of a foreign country by taking a correspondence course while residing in Japan, and who have obtained or are expected to obtain a degree equivalent to a master's degree or a professional degree by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment).
 - ③ Those who have completed or are expected to complete a course at a foreign educational institution in Japan and have obtained or are expected to obtain a degree equivalent to a master's degree or a professional degree by September 2026 (Fall enrollment) or March 2027 (Spring enrollment). The institution must be qualified to offer graduate-level courses under the foreign country's educational system and be specifically designated by the MEXT Minister.
 - ④ Those who have completed a course at the United Nations University, established as stipulated in the Act on Special Measures Incidental to Enforcement of the Agreement between the United Nations and Japan regarding the Headquarters of the United Nations University, based on the approval by the UN General Assembly on December 11, 1972, and have obtained a master's degree or an equivalent degree.
 - ⑤ Those who have completed a course at a foreign school, an educational institution specified in section ③ above, or the United Nations University, and who have passed the examination and screening stipulated in Article 16-2 of the Standards for the Establishment of Graduate Schools, and are recognized as having academic qualifications equivalent to those holding a master's degree.
 - ⑥ Those who are designated by the MEXT Minister. (as per Official Announcement No. 118 issued by MEXT in 1989).
 - ⑦ Those who have been recognized, through an application screening process, as having academic qualifications equivalent to those of a master's degree or professional degree holder, and who are 24 years of age or older. (i.e., born on or before October 1, 2002 (Fall enrollment), or April 1, 2003 (Spring enrollment)).

■ Adult Admission

Those who meet one of the following requirements (1)-(3) as stipulated in the proviso of paragraph 1 of Article 102 of the School Education Act, and who must have a working experience of two years or more after graduation.

- (1) Those who have completed a master's degree.
- (2) Those who have completed a professional degree.
- (3) Those who are recognized as having academic qualifications equivalent to a person with a master's degree or a professional degree as stipulated in Article 156 of the School Education Act Enforcement Regulations, and who satisfy one of the following requirements:
 - ① Those who have completed a master's degree or a professional degree outside Japan.
 - ② Those who have completed a curriculum of a foreign country by taking a correspondence course while residing in Japan, and who have obtained a degree equivalent to a master's degree or a professional degree.
 - ③ Those who have completed a course at a foreign educational institution in Japan and have obtained a degree equivalent to a master's degree or a professional degree. The institution must be qualified to offer graduate-level courses under the foreign country's educational system and be specifically designated by the MEXT Minister.
 - ④ Those who have completed a course at the United Nations University, established as stipulated in the Act on Special Measures Incidental to Enforcement of the Agreement between the United Nations and Japan regarding the Headquarters of the United Nations University, based on the approval by the UN General Assembly on December 11, 1972, and have obtained a degree equivalent to master's degree.
 - ⑤ Those who have completed a course at a foreign school, an educational institution specified in section ③ above, or the United Nations University, and who have passed the examination and screening stipulated in Article 16-2 of the Standards for the Establishment of Graduate Schools, and are recognized as having academic qualifications equivalent to those holding a master's degree.
 - ⑥ Those who are designated by the MEXT Minister. (as per Official Announcement No. 118 issued by MEXT in 1989).
 - ⑦ Those who have been recognized, through an application screening process, as having academic qualifications equivalent to those of a master's degree or professional degree holder, and who are 24 years of age or older. (i.e., born on or before October 1, 2002 (Fall enrollment), or April 1, 2003 (Spring enrollment)).

Eligibility Screening

Those who meet the underlined eligibility guidelines are subject to eligibility screening and must submit the following documents:

■ Application deadline

<u>2026 Fall / 2027 Spring 1st Session</u>	May 22 (Friday), 2026
<u>2027 Spring 2nd Session</u>	December 11 (Friday), 2026

■ Submission Documents

- ① Resume [Designated Form]
 - ② Certificate of (expected) graduation or certificate of completion which satisfies application qualifications
 - ③ Latest academic transcript (issued within the last three months)
 - ④ Letter of recommendation (Only those who include the period of research student in the application qualifications)
 - ⑤ Academic papers or materials of your research which satisfies the application qualifications (if available)
- ※ Those who have graduated or completed their education in the People's Republic of China are also required to submit an electronic certificate of degree. Please plan ahead, as it takes approximately one month to obtain the certificate.

Please check the official website of Tokai University for details regarding the application procedures, and be sure to undergo the eligibility screening by deadline.

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

6 Examination

1. Master's Program

General Admission

School	Course	Examination Subject	Scoring Weight	Time Schedule
Engineering	Information Science and Technology	Foreign language: English (Dictionaries are permitted except for electronic dictionaries.)	100	10:00–12:00 13:00–(20 min)
		Expertise: Select three from the following seven subjects; Applied Mathematics, Control Engineering, Information Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Image Engineering, Media Contents, Media Communication. (Nothing may be referred or used during the examination)	200	
		Interview: Make a 5-minute presentation on your graduation research (or a graduate research plan). Answer to the questions from the interviewer.*2 <i>Submit a research plan in advance (free format and any volume).*</i> 1		
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Foreign language: English (Dictionaries are permitted except for electronic dictionaries.)	100	10:00–12:00 13:00–(20 min)
		Expertise: Select three from the following six subjects; Electromagnetics, Electrical Circuits, Applied Mathematics, Information Engineering, Control Engineering, and Telecommunication Engineering. (Nothing may be referred or used during the examination)	200	
		Interview: Make a 5-minute presentation on your graduation research (or a graduate research plan). Answer to the questions from the interviewer.*2 <i>Submit a research plan in advance (free format and any volume).*</i> 1		
	Applied Science	Foreign language: English (Dictionaries are permitted except for electronic dictionaries.)	100	10:00–12:00 13:00–(20 min)
		Expertise: Select one from the following two subjects (which corresponds to the expertise of your desired research advisor); Biotechnology or Applied Chemistry. (Only scientific calculators without programming functions may be brought into the room.)	200	
		Interview		
	Architecture and Civil Engineering	Foreign language: English (Dictionaries are permitted except for electronic dictionaries.)	100	10:00–12:00 13:00–(20 min)
		Expertise: Select one from the following two areas. (Only scientific calculators without programming functions may be brought into the room) 1. Architecture Select two questions from; Architectural Planning and Design, City Planning, Architectural History, Building Structural Mechanics, Building Materials and Construction, and Building Environment and Facilities. 2. Civil Engineering Select three questions from; Materials and Structural Mechanics, Soil Mechanics, Hydraulics, Concrete Engineering, and Infrastructure Planning and Management.	200	
		Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document. <i>Submit a research plan in advance (free format and any volume).*</i> 1		
	Mechanical Engineering	Foreign language: English (Dictionaries are permitted except for electronic dictionaries.)	100	10:00–12:00 13:00–(20 min)
		Expertise: Select two subjects from; Mechanics of Materials, Mechanical Dynamics, Thermodynamics, Fluid Mechanics and Comprehensive Mechanical Engineering. (Nothing may be referred or used during the examination)	200	
		Make a 5-minute presentation using your PC. Questions in your academic field may be asked.*2		
	Biomedical Engineering	Foreign language: English (Dictionaries are permitted except for electronic dictionaries.)	100	10:00–12:00 13:00–(20 min)
		Expertise: Select five out of 12 questions from the following three areas. You must select at least one question from each area. (Nothing may be referred or used during the examination) 1. four questions from Basic Natural Science; Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, and Biology. 2. four questions from Basic Engineering; Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Control Engineering, Materials Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering. 3. four questions from Basic Medicine; Anatomy/Physiology, and General Clinical Medicine.	200	
		Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document. <i>Submit a research plan in advance (free format and any volume).*</i> 1		

*1 Submit to: Tokai University Office for College of Science & Engineering (4-1-1 Kitakaname, Hiratsuka, Kanagawa 259-1292, JAPAN)
Deadline: 2026 Fall semester/2027 Spring semester (1st session): June 12 (Friday), 2026 (must arrive by deadline),
2027 Spring semester (2nd session): January 18 (Monday), 2027 (must arrive by deadline)

*2 A projector will be prepared by the university (HDMI and VGA interfaces are supported). Applicants are required to bring a personal computer for their presentation, as well as a USB flash drive containing a backup of the presentation materials. As a precaution, applicants are also advised to bring printed copies of their slides.

■ Adult Admission

School	Course	Examination Subject	Time Schedule
Engineering	Information Science and Technology	Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document and expertise in your academic field. <i>Submit a research plan in advance (free format and any volume).</i> *1	10:00– (20 min)
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document and expertise in your academic field. <i>Submit a research plan in advance (free format and any volume).</i> *1	10:00– (20 min)
	Applied Science	Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document and expertise in your academic field. <i>Submit a letter of self-recommendation and a research plan in advance (free format, A4 sized, and 2-3 pages).</i> *1	10:00– (20 min)
	Architecture and Civil Engineering	Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document and expertise in your academic field. <i>Submit a research plan in advance (free format and any volume).</i> *1	10:00– (20 min)
	Mechanical Engineering	Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document and expertise in your academic field. <i>Submit a letter of recommendation from your desired research advisor and a research plan in advance (free format, A4 sized, and 2-3 pages).</i> *1	10:00– (20 min)
	Biomedical Engineering	Interview: Based on what is written in the submitted document and expertise in your academic field. <i>Submit a letter of recommendation from your employer or self-recommendation, a research plan (free format and any volume) and a copy of documents indicating your clinical experience (only for clinical engineers) in advance.</i> *1	10:00– (20 min)

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2. Doctoral Program

■ General Admission

School	Course	Examination Subject	Time Schedule
Science and Technology	Science and Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation*1 (10 min) (Concerning your research progress and plan) • Interview (Questions to your presentation including evaluation of language proficiency and knowledge concerning your academic field.) <i>Submit a summary of your master's thesis*2 and a research plan. (Reason for selecting the research topic, objectives, and methods. Approximately 600 words, A4 sized)*3</i>	10:00– (30 min)

*1 The university will provide a projector, a RGB cable and a HDMI cable for the presentation. If you wish to use other connectors, you are responsible for bringing them.

*2 For applicants who are expected to complete a master's course, prepare an abstract of the interim report of the master's thesis. If there is no master's thesis, prepare an abstract of the equivalent.

*3 Submit to: Tokai University Office for College of Science & Engineering (4-1-1 Kitakaname, Hiratsuka, Kanagawa 259-1292, JAPAN)
Deadline: 2026 Fall semester/2027 Spring semester (1st session): June 12 (Friday), 2026 (must arrive by deadline),
2027 Spring semester (2nd session): January 18 (Monday), 2027 (must arrive by deadline)

■ Adult Admission

School	Course	Examination Subject	Time Schedule
Science and Technology	Science and Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation*1 (10 min) (Concerning your research progress and plan) • Interview (Questions to your presentation including evaluation of language proficiency and knowledge concerning your academic field.) <i>Submit a research plan (Reason for selecting the research topic, objectives, and methods. Approximately 600 words, A4 sized) and a list of research achievements.*2 *3</i>	10:00– (30 min)

*1 The university will provide a projector, a RGB cable and a HDMI cable for the presentation. If you wish to use other connectors, you are responsible for bringing them.

*2 Submit a list of academic achievements (free format and A4 sized). For research papers, include the title, the author(s), journal's title, volume, page, and the year of publication. Information about presentations at academic conferences should include the title, the presenter(s), the name and the year/month of the academic conference, and the venue. For other accomplishments, provide adequate descriptions.

*3 Submit to: Tokai University Office for College of Science & Engineering (4-1-1 Kitakaname, Hiratsuka, Kanagawa 259-1292, JAPAN)
Deadline: 2026 Fall semester/2027 Spring semester (1st session): June 12 (Friday), 2026 (must arrive by deadline),
2027 Spring semester (2nd session): January 18 (Monday), 2027 (must arrive by deadline)

7 Instructions

1. Examination

- (1) On the day of the examination, applicants must bring the examination admission slip to present it when entering the examination room.
- (2) Applicants must be seated in the examination room at least 20 min before the start of the examination.
- (3) **Taking the examination at a different date, time or examination site will not be allowed. Please check the information on the slip carefully.**
- (4) Applicants who have not entered the examination room within 20 min after the start of the examination will not be allowed to take the examination.
- (5) On the day of the examination, only applicants are allowed to enter the examination site.
- (6) During the examination, the proctors will verify your identity by comparing your face with the registered ID. Please note that the proctors may ask you to raise your face, or to remove your mask or glasses for verification.
- (7) Examinees who leave the room before the end of the examination will not be permitted to continue. Those who leave the room during the examination may not continue. In case of illness or unavoidable circumstances, please raise your hand to inform the proctors and follow their instructions.
- (8) Those who fail to take the designated examination subjects will be disqualified.
- (9) All applicants must follow the instructions of the proctors or interviewers in the examination room. Those who do not follow the instructions may be asked to leave the examination room.
- (10) Although we pay attention to the temperature in the examination room, applicants should keep in mind that a comfortable room temperature may vary by individual, and that temperatures may differ depending on seating position. **Applicants are recommended to wear clothing that allows to adjust body temperature.** However, as a general rule, applicants are not allowed to wear hats, scarves, or stoles.
- (11) No consideration will be given to any everyday noise during the examination (e.g., footsteps or necessary conversations of proctors, sounds of aircraft, vehicles, weather, air conditioning, coughing, sneezing, sniffing by nearby students, brief smartphone or clock sounds, or chimes from nearby buildings, etc.).

2. On the day of the examination

■ What to bring

- (1) Examination admission slip, writing utensils (HB pencil or HB mechanical pencil, plastic eraser)
- (2) Materials specified by each course (check page 8-9)
- (3) Lunch

■ Personal belongings

- (1) The following items are allowed on applicants' desk during the examination besides the examination admission slip.
 - HB pencil, pencil cap, HB mechanical pencil, plastic eraser
 - Pencil sharpener (Electric or large type and knives are not permitted.)
 - Watch (except the ones with dictionaries, calculators, communication functions, ones which it is difficult to determine whether such functions are present, ones that make a ticking sound, kitchen timers, study timers, and large watches).
 - Glasses, handkerchiefs, eyedrops, and tissue paper (must be taken out of its container).
 - Items listed in "[6] Examination" on page 8-9 may be brought to the examination room.
- (2) In principle, items other than those listed above will not be permitted. The following are examples of items that are not permitted to use during the examination.
 - Rulers, compasses, graph paper and other aids.
 - Ear plugs, disinfectant and other disinfectants, food and drinks (including bottled drinks, candy, gum etc.).
 - Electronic devices such as smartphones, mobile phones, wearable devices (smart watches, smart glasses, etc), tablet terminals, electronic dictionaries, IC recorders, earphones, music players, etc.

*For the electronic devices listed above, please deactivate the alarm setting and switch off the power before entering the examination room. Please place the device in your bag after confirming that the power is turned off as instructed by the examination supervisor before starting the test. Please note that wearing or holding an electronic device instead of storing it in your bag may be considered cheating.

Note Those who wish to use items other than those allowed on the desk due to illness, injury, disability, etc. must apply in advance for special consideration for the examination. If you need assistance to take the examination and/or participate in educational activities due to physical disabilities, please contact the Office for College of Science and Engineering by the following dates.

2026 Fall semester/2027 Spring semester (1st session): May 15 (Friday), 2026

2027 Spring semester (2nd session): December 4 (Friday), 2026

E-mail seco-ad@tokai.ac.jp

3. Cheating

The examination shall be rigorously implemented so that all applicants may take the examination fairly. Applicants who behave inappropriately and disturb the implementation of a fair examination will be disqualified from all examinations until September 2027. (The examination fee will not be refunded.) For fraudulent activities, we may file a police report or take other actions depending on the circumstances.

■ Behaviors that are judged to be cheating

- Cheating (hiding or using cheat sheets, reference books, etc., or looking at other applicants' answer sheets).
- Providing benefits to other applicants by telling them answers or assisting them to cheat.

- Using or operating items or devices that are not authorized to be used.
- Not following the instructions of the proctors, interviewers or other staff members.
- A person other than the applicant pretending to be the applicant.
- Engaging in behaviors that may undermine the fairness of the examination.

4. Others

- (1) Information on the entrance examination implementation will be provided through the official website of Tokai University.
- (2) For inquiries on the day of the examination regarding train delays, etc., please contact the Tokai University Entrance Examination Headquarters.
Tel. +81-463-63-4630 (Available on the examination day only)

8 Announcement of Acceptance/Enrollment Procedures

1. Announcement of Acceptance

Date of acceptance announcement

2026 Fall Semester / Spring Semester, 1st Session July 15 (Wednesday), 2026

2027 Spring Semester, 2nd Session February 24 (Wednesday), 2027

The results will be posted on the website [<https://www.u-tokai.ac.jp/>] at 9:30 a.m. on the date of acceptance announcement. (Tokai University will not mail the results to each applicant)

* Notification of acceptance is available for download.

No inquiries regarding admission results will be accepted.

Confirmation period available on the website

2026 Fall Semester July 15 (Wednesday) 9:30 a.m. to July 24 (Friday) 5:00 p.m., 2026

2027 Spring Semester, 1st Session July 15 (Wednesday) 9:30 a.m. to November 27 (Friday) 5:00 p.m., 2026

2027 Spring Semester, 2nd Session February 24 (Wednesday) 9:30 a.m. to March 4 (Thursday) 5:00 p.m., 2027

2. Enrollment Procedures

Registration period

2026 Fall Semester July 15 (Wednesday) to July 24 (Friday) 5:00 p.m., 2026

2027 Spring Semester, 1st Session July 15 (Wednesday) 9:30 a.m. to November 27 (Friday) 5:00 p.m., 2026
* Enrollment procedures will be suspended from July 25 (Sat.) to November 16 (Mon.)

2027 Spring Semester, 2nd Session February 24 (Wednesday) to March 4 (Thursday) 5:00 p.m., 2027

Please access the Web Enrollment Procedure Site via the official website of Tokai University and complete the enrollment procedures online within the period mentioned above.

Enrollment procedures submitted after the application period will not be accepted for any reason, including inability to access the internet or user error.

Tuition and fees must be paid in a single payment.

3. Refund of Tuition and Fees

In principle, tuition and fees are not refundable once paid. However, if you wish to withdraw under special circumstances, we will accept your withdrawal and refund your tuition and fees (except the admission fee) only if you complete the withdrawal procedures by 5:00 p.m. on August 31, 2026 (Monday) for Fall enrollment or March 31, 2027 (Wednesday) for Spring enrollment. For details, please refer to the admission procedure guidelines.

Please note that the admission fee is not refundable for any reason once paid.

4. Other Notes

- (1) If there is any change in your current address after application submission, please notify the Office for College of Science and Engineering (Refer to page 4).
- (2) If enrollment procedures were not completed by the due date, enrollment will not be permitted.
- (3) Payment of tuition and fees will never be requested by telephone.
- (4) Applicants who have taken and passed the entrance examination with the expectation of graduation (completion) and who fail to qualify for the graduate school admission by the end of September 2026 (for Fall enrollment) or the end of March 2027 (for Spring enrollment) will have their admission cancelled and will lose their admission status.
- (5) Any misconduct in the application or admission procedures will result in cancellation of admission and disqualification of the applicant, even after admission.

5. Documents Required after Completion of Enrollment Procedures

- (1) Those who applied for admission and registered for enrollment with the certificates of expected graduation (completion) and / or expected master's degree conferral document must submit a certificate of graduation (completion) or a certificate of degree when receiving a student ID card.
- (2) Those who have applied for admission to the master's program and fall under "[5] Application Qualifications 1. (2)" on page 5 (those who have skipped a year), please prepare in advance and submit a certificate of enrollment for the third year or higher (or a certificate of withdrawal or other equivalent document) and a final transcript (including number of credits earned) from the university when receiving a student ID card.
- (3) Failure to submit the aforementioned documents or failure to meet application and admission eligibility requirements will result in cancellation of acceptance and disqualification from admission, even after admission.
- (4) Those who have applied for admission to the master's program (except "[5] Application Qualifications 1. (2)" on page 5 (those who have skipped a year) and have already earned credits at the graduate school of Tokai University or other universities may apply for credit approval upon admission. For students from other universities, please prepare a transcript showing the courses you have earned and the syllabus in advance.
- (5) Those who have applied for the doctoral program (excluding the Graduate School of Science and Technology and the Graduate School of Bioscience) and who have graduated from the master's program may apply for credit transfer upon admission. For students from other universities, please prepare a copy of the final transcript and syllabus of the master's program of your home university in advance.

9 Tuition and Fees

2026 Fall Semester (Japanese Yen)			2027 Spring Semester (Japanese Yen)		
Fee Category	School	Graduate School of Engineering / Science and Technology	Fee Category	School	Graduate School of Engineering / Science and Technology
	Tuition and fees at admission (Enrollment semester)	Admission Fee		200,000	Tuition and fees at admission (Enrollment semester)
	Tuition	398,000		Tuition	406,000
	Total	598,000		Total	606,000
Tuition and fees (Following semester)	Tuition	406,000	Tuition and fees (Following semester)	Tuition	406,000
	Total	406,000		Total	406,000
Total		1,004,000	Total		1,012,000

Please make tuition payment in the spring and fall semesters each year.

Tuition fees for the second and subsequent years may be revised in consideration of circumstances and social conditions.

- Note**
- 1) Admitted students to the master's program: Admission fees for the graduates of Tokai University (including Kyushu Tokai University and Hokkaido Tokai University) will be waived.
 - 2) Admitted students to the doctoral program: Admission fee for the graduates of Tokai University (including Kyushu Tokai University and Hokkaido Tokai University) will be waived.
 - 3) In addition to the fees listed above, the following fees are required and shall be paid upon enrollment.

【2026 Fall Semester】

1. Student Health Insurance Union Fee

Please make the following payments in a single installment, including the enrollment fee.

- A. Doctoral Program ---- 9,200 yen
- B. Master's Program ---- 6,200 yen

*Graduates of Tokai University (including Kyushu Tokai University and Hokkaido Tokai University) are exempted from the enrollment fee (200 yen).

2. Alumni Association Fee ---- 3,000 yen for half year

*Graduates of Tokai University (including Kyushu Tokai University and Hokkaido Tokai University) are exempted from this fee.

【2027 Spring Semester】

1. Personal Accident Insurance for Student Pursuing Education and Research

Please make the following payments in a single installment.

- A. Graduate School of Medicine (Course of Advanced Medical Science) ---- 5,370 yen (for standard duration of study)

- B. Doctoral Program other than A ---- 3,620 yen (for standard duration of study)

- C. Graduate school of Engineering (Course of Biomedical Engineering), Graduate School of Medicine (Course of Medical Science), Graduate School of Medicine (Course of Nursing)----2,790 yen (for duration of study)

- D. Master's program other than C ---- 2,430 yen (for duration of study)

2. Alumni Association Fee

Please make the following payments in a single installment.

- A. Graduate School of Medicine (Course of Advanced Medical Science) ---- 24,000 yen (for standard duration of study)

- B. Doctoral Program other than A ---- 18,000 yen (for standard duration of study)

- C. Master's Program ---- 12,000 yen (for duration of study)

- 4) In addition to the fees shown above, the "practical training fee" may be charged if students need to take part in a special practical training program.

*Tokai University offer scholarships and loans to support graduate students in their studies. For more information, contact the relevant department after your enrollment.

10 Privacy Policy

Personal information obtained by the university will be treated in the following manner.

- A series of operations from application to enrollment, including admission selection and issuance of student ID cards, as well as correspondence, notifications, and statistical aggregations (including use for the purpose of educational improvement and academic research at the university).
- Operations related to enrollment (course registration, list creation, academic records, etc.), student registrations (processing of academic records, issuance of certificates, issuance of degrees), and student life (scholarship student selection, medical checkups, registration applications, use of facilities, etc.), as well as notifications and statistical aggregation (including use for the purpose of educational improvement and academic research at the university).
- The publication of aggregated statistical results is limited to information that has been anonymized in a manner that does not identify individuals.

Should the above-mentioned series of operations be outsourced, the university will confirm in advance that the outsourced operations are being conducted in a sound manner, and will properly manage and supervise the outsourced operations by concluding a confidentiality agreement that stipulates the confidentiality of the outsourced operations. (This includes the use of external personal information for statistical analysis, or the outsourcing of personal information obtained by the university to an external party for statistical aggregation.)

11 Security Export Control

Tokai University has established the Tokai University Security Export Control Regulations in accordance with the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act, and conducts strict examinations for acceptance of students, etc. Please note that international applicants who fall under any of the conditions set out in these regulations may not be able to enroll in their desired course or program.

■ [IMPORTANT] Procedures for “Deemed Export” for Safety Trade Control

On May 1, 2022, the definition of “deemed export” was redefined and related laws and regulations were amended to strengthen the prevention of the outflow of sensitive technology related to security. In accordance therewith, Tokai University confirms whether the successful applicant is subject to the laws and regulations said above. Detailed information will be provided individually upon the announcement of acceptance.