

Guidelines for Japan Association Student Service Organization (JASSO)

Scholarship for Incoming Students

1. What is JASSO Scholarship?

JASSO offers a limited amount of scholarships (80,000JPY per person) for the incoming exchange students requiring financial support and fulfill the specific prerequisites for nomination to participate in the student exchange program offered in Japan.

2. Who Qualifies for the JASSO Scholarship?

Candidates who have been officially nominated by CCC partner institutions must fulfill the following requirements stated in sections 1 to 6. Those students who will be awarded scholarships will be determined and notified through the students' home university at the end of July.

1. Students from CCC partner institutions who have been nominated as CCC Summer Program participants.
2. The student must have good character and have performed well academically in their home institution. The students' grades of **2019 Fall and 2020 Winter** must be equal to or exceed **2.30** according to the JASSO GPA formula listed below for evaluating academic performance. Academic transcripts for the previous semester will be sufficient if transcripts for the whole academic year are unavailable. Moreover, in the rare case that student's grades cannot be calculated according to the JASSO GPA Evaluation Chart, and then a letter of recommendation which states that the nominee performs well academically to the standards we require for a scholarship nomination will be substituted. This letter must be written by a member of academic or administrative staff from the home institution.

ⁱ JASSO GPA Formula requires the GPA of the previous academic year only, not cumulative GPA.

The student will be notified whether or not he or she has been awarded the scholarship after screening of the forms by JASSO.

JASSO GPA Evaluation Chart

Home Institution Grading System	Evaluation Scale				
Pattern 1		A	B	C	F
Pattern 2		100~80 points	79~70 points	69~60 points	59~ points
Pattern 3	100~90 points	89~80 points	79~70 points	69~60 points	59~ points
Pattern 4	S	A	B	C	F
Pattern 5	A	B	C	D	F
Grade Points (GP)	3	3	2	1	0

JASSO GPA Formula :

JASSO GPA Score* =

$$\frac{(\text{No. of Credits for GP3}) \times 3 + (\text{No. of Credits for GP 2}) \times 2 + (\text{No. of Credits for GP 1}) \times 1 + (\text{No. of Credits for GP 0}) \times 0}{\text{Total Amount of Credits for Registered Classes}}$$

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*Please round off to two decimal places.

3. The student must be from a country that maintains diplomatic ties with Japan (Taiwan and Palestine included). Japanese nationals (including those holding dual nationalities) are ineligible for the scholarship.
4. The student who needs financial assistance for studying in Japan.
5. The student who will continue their studies and/or who will receive a degree at their home university after completion of the exchange program.
6. If the student is awarded another scholarship for his/her studies in Japan, the amount of money received from that scholarship should not exceed 80,000JPY. However, this limitation will not be applied to the transportation fee, scholarship loan which must be paid back after graduation, and student loan.
※If a student receives a scholarship from another organization, that organization may not permit the student to receive scholarships from different parties at the same time. As such, the student is required to contact the organization awarding the scholarship individually to confirm their guidelines.