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Schl Political Science and Economics [Japanese-based Program]	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit. 20 credits per half-year term is a rough limit.		Yes. TOEFL iBT 80 or above is preferable.	A few specific graduate courses are allowed. In order to take these courses, an official support letter from your home institution is required.	Yes *2	Yes.	
Schl Political Science and Economics [English-based Program]	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit. 20 credits per half-year term is a rough limit.	Yes. N1 level of Japanese language is preferable.		A few specific graduate courses are allowed. In order to take these courses, an official support letter from your home institution is required.	Yes *2	Yes.	
Schl Law	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Yes *2	Yes.	
Schl Humanities and Social Sciences/Culture, Media and Society	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Yes *2	Yes	
Schl Education	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	44 credits for the primary education major and the Science Course, 40 credits for other than the above.				Yes No maximum is set. *2	Yes No maximum is set.	
Schl Commerce [Japanese-based Program]	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	24 credits		Yes. Language Certificate is not required. The recommended level is TOEFL score of 620 or more or a TOEFL(iBT) score of 61 or more.		Yes No maximum is set. *2	Yes No maximum is set.	
Schl Commerce [English-based Program]	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	24 credits	Yes, students in an English-based program can take courses from a Japanese-based program. Language Certificate is not required. The recommended level is either a score of 260 or more for EJU or first grade of JCAT.			Yes No maximum is set. *2	Yes	
Schl Social Sciences [Japanese-based Program]	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.		Yes Certificate of English language proficiency is not required.		Yes. Private consultation may be necessary depending on circumstances.		
Contemporary Japanese Studies Program(CJSP) / Transnational and Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Innovation program (TAISI) [English-based Program]	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.	Yes (J-CAT level 6 or higher)			Yes. Private consultation may be necessary depending on circumstances.		

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Schl Human Sciences/Sport Sciences	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Yes. Private consultation may be necessary depending on circumstances.			
Schl Fundamental Science and Engineering [Japanese-based Program]	10 hours or more per week (excluding intensive courses) is required. *Those who wish to enroll in quarter courses have to do 10 hours of courses per week during each quarter.	A maximum of 20 credits in one semester.		No	No. <FYI> Courses offered by the School of Science and Engineering that may be taken are as follows: 1) Group A Courses (only if there are vacancies during the 3rd registration period) 2) Group C Courses offered by the host department that are open to exchange students	Only GEC courses and CJL courses are permissible. *2	No		
Schl Creative Science and Engineering [Japanese-based Program]									
Schl Advanced Science and Engineering [Japanese-based Program]									
Schl Fundamental Science and Engineering [English-based Program]	10 hours or more per week (excluding intensive courses) is required. *Those who wish to enroll in quarter courses have to do 10 hours of courses per week during each quarter.	A maximum of 20 credits in one semester.	No		No. <FYI> Courses offered by the School of Science and Engineering that may be taken are as follows: 1) Group A Courses that are open to exchange students 2) Group C Courses offered by the host department that are open to exchange students	Only GEC courses and CJL courses are permissible. *2	No		
Schl Creative Science and Engineering [English-based Program]									
Schl Advanced Science and Engineering [English-based Program]									
Schl International Liberal Studies (SILS)	SILS lecture courses: 8 CJL courses: 6 *1	SILS lecture courses: 14 CJL courses: 7	Yes/Documents regarding Japanese proficiency is not required, but students must be aware that the courses from Japanese-based programs require the same level of Japanese proficiency that Japanese university students have.			Yes	Basically No However, SILS students can take the courses offered by other undergraduate schools only when they are designated as University-wide Open courses.		

【SILS】*1: Number of required credits for Japanese courses differs depending on the result of the J-CAT test.
 Students at J-CAT level 1~5...Required to take 6 credits of Japanese courses.
 Students at J-CAT level 6...Required to take 3 credits of Japanese courses (another 3 credits are exempted).
 Students at J-CAT level 7 or above... Not required to take Japanese courses.

For more information on courses available for registration, the number of credits and curriculum, please visit:
<https://waseda.box.com/s/d05bh2wa1izbahgsd2izmuzqz457kx>
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G.S. Political Science	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.	Yes Japanese language proficiency is not required. After arriving in Japan, approval from the supervisor is necessary.	Yes English language proficiency is not required. After arriving in Japan, approval of the supervisor is necessary.		Yes *2	Yes
G.S. Economics	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.	Yes Certificate of Japanese language proficiency is not required. After arriving in Japan, approval from the supervisor is necessary.	Yes Certificate of English language proficiency is not required. After arriving in Japan, approval of the supervisor is necessary.		No	No
G.S. Law	Minimum of 2 credits for Graduate School of Law courses. However, 10 hours or more per week is recommended.	Up to 32 credits in total per year				Only CJL courses are permissible. *2	No
G.S. Letters, Arts and Sciences	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Only CJL courses are permissible. *2	No
G.S. Commerce	Minimum of two credits for Graduate School of Commerce courses. However, the total of 10 hours or more per week is recommended.	20 credits/semester (40 credits/year)	Yes Certificate of Japanese language proficiency is not required. However, after arriving in Japan, approval from the supervisor is necessary.	Yes Certificate of English language proficiency is not required. However, after arriving to Japan, approval of the supervisor is necessary.		No	No. However, students can register courses offered by WBS within 10 credits/ year.
G.S. Business and Finance [WASEDA Business School]	Minimum of two credits for Graduate School of Business and Finance courses. However, totalling 10 hours or more per week is recommended.	40 credits per year (excluding CJL courses)	Yes Certificate of Japanese language proficiency is not required. However, approval from the supervisor is necessary.	Yes Certificate of English language proficiency is not required. However, approval of the supervisor is necessary.		Only CJL courses are permissible. *2	No
G.S. Fundamental Science and Engineering	No minimum is required if registered for research guidance (compulsory).	20 credits per semester	No	No	No	Only CJL courses are permissible. *2	No
G.S. Creative Science and Engineering	No minimum is required if registered for research guidance (compulsory).	20 credits per semester	No	No	No	Only CJL courses are permissible. *2	No
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G.S. Education	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	Up to 36 credits per year. Up to 8 credits in the case of taking courses outside of one's affiliated major «Only for "Specialization in Advanced Teacher Training major"» Up to 39 credits per year for graduate school courses (in principle, only elective courses are permissible except for the educational practice thesis course).				Yes 4 credits			
G.S. Social Sciences	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.		Yes No need to submit a certificate of English language proficiency.		Yes Private consultation may be necessary depending on circumstances.			
G.S. Human Sciences/Sport Sciences	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Yes Private consultation may be necessary depending on circumstances.			
G.S. Asia-Pacific Studies (GSAPS)	Required to register for one class as well as a Project Research Seminar(which they shall receive grades, but credits won't be given).	14 credits per semester	Yes Certificate of Japanese language proficiency is not required.	Yes Certificate of English language proficiency is not required.		Yes *2	Yes		
G.S. Japanese Applied Linguistics (GSJAL)	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Yes *2	Up to 4 credits during period of study		
G.S. Information, Production and Systems (IPS)	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Yes. No particular rule about the upper limit on registered credits. *2	Yes Private consultation may be necessary depending on circumstances.		
G.S. Accountancy	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	24 credits				Yes Up to 4 credits per year.			
G.S. Environment and Energy Engineering	10 hours or more per week is recommended.	No particular limit.				Yes *2	Up to 4 credits for 2 courses in total from other graduate schools.		
G.S. International Culture and Communication Studies (GSICCS)	If research guidance is not taken, a minimum of one International Culture and Communication Studies course must be taken.	In principle, up to 14 credits for courses. (excluding CJL courses)	In principle, courses at GSICCS are provided in English. However, there might be a case where both Japanese and English are used in some parts of research guidance and seminars.				Only CJL courses are permissible. *2	Up to 4 credits for 2 courses in total from other graduate schools.	

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Center for Japanese Language (CJL)	13 credits	CJL courses: 14. University-wide Open Courses and Courses offered at other undergraduate schools : 4 credits(2 courses)				<p>Yes 4 credits (2 courses) Restrictions apply for taking courses offered by other schools. Refer to "Important Notes for JLP Students" for details. https://www.waseda.jp/inst/cjl/en/applicants/launch/policy/#anc_16</p>		