

# **Number of international students Enrolled in Waseda University**

## **Center for International Education, Waseda University**

### **Notes:**

#### **1. Definitions of "international students" and "international students (with college student visa)"**

This document defines "international students" and "international students (with college student visa)" as follows.

"International students" are defined as the students who are enrolled in Waseda University as of the survey date (including those under leave of absence and those studying abroad) and have foreign (non-Japanese) nationalities (However, students with the status of residence of permanent resident, special permanent resident, long-term resident, spouse or child of Japanese national, or spouse or child of permanent resident are excluded.).

"International students (with college student visa)" are defined as the students who are registered at Waseda University as of the survey date (not including those under leave of absence and those studying abroad) and have the status of residence of college student. The status of residence of these students are confirmed as valid as of the survey date by the Center for International Education.

All figures in this document are based on the number of "international students". The number of "international students (with college student visa)" is used only for "Number of International Students (with College Student Visa) at Waseda University, Summary 1 and 2". Past statistics until the second (fall) semester in 2009 used only the numbers of "international students (with college student visa)".

#### **2. Definitions of "privately-financed", "government-financed", and "exchange program"**

This document defines "privately-financed", "government-financed", and "exchange program" as follows.

"Government-financed" students are defined as the international students who are accepted by Waseda University under the MEXT Scholarship.

"Exchange program" students are defined as the international students who are accepted as exchange students under university-wide agreements or departmental agreements between Waseda University and overseas partner institutions.

"Private-financed" students are defined as the international students except government-financed students and exchange program students. Students under the double-degree program, those dispatched by foreign governments, those invited by Waseda University, and sponsored students are included in private financed students.

Number of International Students

As of Nov 1, 2024

Summary 1

Categories	Total	Under- graduates	Graduates	Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for International Education
Privately-financed	5185	1942	2913	9	318	3
Government-financed	191		178		13	
Exchange program	740	300	213	155	72	
Total	6116	2242	3304	164	403	3

Summary 2

Categories	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Privately-financed	1938	4	1964	806	3	103	27	10	9	318	3
Government-financed			82	54		31	11			13	
Exchange program		300				209	4		155	72	
Total	1938	304	2046	860	3	343	42	10	164	403	3

Number of International Students (with College Student Visa)

Summary 1

Categories	Total	Under- graduates	Graduates	Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for International Education
Privately-financed	4577	1624	2632	9	309	3
Government-financed	191		178		13	
Exchange program	720	297	197	155	71	
Total	5488	1921	3007	164	393	3

Summary 2

Categories	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Privately-financed	1621	3	1842	669	3	86	22	10	9	309	3
Government-financed			82	54		31	11			13	
Exchange program		297				193	4		155	71	
Total	1621	300	1924	723	3	310	37	10	164	393	3

## Number of International Students by Undergraduate School ①

As of Nov 1, 2024

Undergraduate school	Total	Privately financed	Government financed	Exchange
Political Science and Economics	530	430		100
Law	42	42		
Education	48	47		1
Commerce	159	71		88
Social Sciences	184	146		38
Human Sciences	37	35		2
Sport Sciences	14	11		3
International Liberal Studies	754	754		
Culture, Media and Society	127	110		17
Humanities and Social Sciences	61	57		4
Human Sciences (Online Degree Program)	9	9		
Fundamental Science and Engineering	139	98		41
Creative Science and Engineering	84	83		1
Advanced Science and Engineering	54	49		5
Center for Japanese Language	403	318	13	72
International Liberal Studies (1 year PRG)	164	9		155
Center for International Education	3	3		
	2812	2272	13	527

## Number of International Students by Graduate School ①

Graduate school	Total	Privately financed	Government financed	Exchange
Political Science	79	62	6	11
Economics	189	154	6	29
Law	110	98	4	8
Letters, Arts and Sciences	146	129	13	4
Commerce	131	113	2	16
Education	68	66	2	
Human Sciences	95	88	3	4
Social Sciences	138	124	8	6
Asia-Pacific Studies	365	282	61	22
Japanese Applied Linguistics	76	66	9	1
Information, Production and Systems	531	524	7	
Waseda Law School	29	5		24
Accountancy	27	27		
Sport Sciences	165	158	3	4
Fundamental Science and Engineering	264	244	7	13
Creative Science and Engineering	262	233	14	15
Advanced Science and Engineering	173	167	4	2
Environment and Energy Engineering	55	55		
International Culture and Communication Studies	164	147	12	5
Business and Finance	237	171	17	49
	3304	2913	178	213

## Number of International Students by Undergraduate School ②

As of Nov 1, 2024

Undergraduates	Undergraduates		Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter-national Education
	Regular	Non- degree			
Political Science and Economics	430	100			
Law	40	2			
Education	47	1			
Commerce	71	88			
Social Sciences	146	38			
Human Sciences	35	2			
Sport Sciences	11	3			
International Liberal Studies	754				
Culture, Media and Society	110	17			
Humanities and Social Sciences	57	4			
Human Sciences (Online Degree Program)	9				
Fundamental Science and Engineering	96	43			
Creative Science and Engineering	83	1			
Advanced Science and Engineering	49	5			
Center for Japanese Language				403	
International Liberal Studies(1 year PRG)			164		
Center for International Education					3
	1938	304	164	403	3

## Number of International Students by Graduate School ②

Graduates	Graduates					
	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree
Political Science	49	16		13	1	
Economics	118	35		30	6	
Law	47	35		23	5	
Letters, Arts and Sciences	62	52		21	11	
Commerce	70	41		20		
Education	38	12		17	1	
Human Sciences	59	31		5		
Social Sciences	89	39		8	2	
Asia-Pacific Studies	230	102		25	8	
Japanese Applied Linguistics	56	9		9	2	
Information, Production and Systems	398	129		3	1	
Waseda Law School	5			24		
Accountancy	23			4		
Sport Sciences	93	58		14		
Fundamental Science and Engineering	157	90		17		
Creative Science and Engineering	145	81		36		
Advanced Science and Engineering	76	73	3	7	4	10
Environment and Energy Engineering	49	6				
International Culture and Communication Studies	105	51		7	1	
Business and Finance	177			60		
	2046	860	3	343	42	10

Undergraduates	66 countries/regions
Graduates	104 countries/regions
Sils One-year Students	30 countries/regions
Center for Japanese Language	41 countries/regions
Center for International Education	1 countries/regions
Whole	113 countries/regions

Number of International Students by Nationality ①

1. Asia				
Country	Total	Privately-financed	Government-financed	Exchange program
Bangladesh	11	10	1	
Brunei	2		2	
Cambodia	9	3	6	
China	3322	3237	15	70
Hong Kong	54	44	1	9
India	48	39	2	7
Indonesia	117	106	8	3
Kazakhstan	5	3	1	1
Kyrgyzstan	3	2	1	
Laos	3		3	
Macau	8	7		1
Malaysia	33	25	6	2
Mongolia	20	14	5	1
Myanmar	42	34	8	
Nepal	10	10		
Pakistan	3	1	2	
Philippines	53	42	6	5
Republic of Korea	695	638	5	52
Singapore	85	78	1	6
Sri Lanka	8	7	1	
Taiwan	348	313		35
Thailand	96	74	17	5
Timor-Leste	1	1		
Turkmenistan	1		1	
Uzbekistan	12	10	2	
Viet Nam	71	53	13	5
Total by area: 5060 students ( 82.73% )				

2. Middle East

Country	Total	Privately-financed	Government-financed	Exchange program
Iran	6	3	3	
Israel	6	2	2	2
Jordan	1		1	
Kuwait	1		1	
Lebanon	1		1	
Oman	5	5		
Saudi Arabia	4	3		1
Syria	3	2	1	
Turkey	14	10	2	2
United Arab Emirates	4	4		

Total by area: 45 students ( 0.74% )

### 3. Europe

Country	Total	Privately-financed	Government-financed	Exchange program
Albania	1		1	
Armenia	1	1		
Austria	7	3		4
Azerbaijan	2	1	1	
Belarus	1	1		
Belgium	25	8	1	16
Bulgaria	4	2	1	1
Cyprus	2	2		
Czech Republic	8	5		3
Denmark	11		1	10
Finland	12	4		8
France	73	20	4	49
Georgia	2		2	
Germany	92	27	3	62
Greece	1		1	
Hungary	6	3		3
Iceland	2	2		
Ireland	7	1		6
Italy	43	9	5	29
Kosovo	1	1		
Latvia	1			1
Lithuania	6		5	1
Luxembourg	3	1		2
Moldova	1	1		
Netherlands	25	4		21
Norway	10	2	2	6
Poland	13	6	2	5
Portugal	6	4		2
Romania	5			5
Russia	14	8	4	2
Serbia	3	1	1	1
Slovakia	2	1		1
Spain	26	6	2	18
Sweden	18	1	2	15
Switzerland	17	7	1	9
Ukraine	8	7		1
United Kingdom	69	21	2	46

Total by area: 528 students ( 8.63% )

### 4. North America

Country	Total	Privately-financed	Government-financed	Exchange program
Canada	51	25		26
United States	297	148	7	142

Total by area: 348 students ( 5.69% )

## 5. Central and South America

Country	Total	Privately-financed	Government-financed	Exchange program
Argentina	4	3	1	
Barbados	2		1	1
Brazil	14	9	4	1
Chile	5	3		2
Colombia	6	3		3
El Salvador	1	1		
Guatemala	1	1		
Honduras	1		1	
Jamaica	1			1
Mexico	15	8	5	2
Panama	1	1		
Peru	4	2	1	1

Total by area: 55 students ( 0.90% )

## 6. Africa

Country	Total	Privately-financed	Government-financed	Exchange program
Algeria	1	1		
Angola	1	1		
Benin	2	1	1	
Botswana	1		1	
Cameroon	2	1		1
Egypt	6	5	1	
Ethiopia	2	2		
Kenya	4	4		
Lesotho	1		1	
Malawi	1	1		
Maldives	1	1		
Morocco	2	2		
Mozambique	1	1		
Nigeria	1		1	
Rwanda	1	1		
Sierra Leone	1		1	
South Africa	4	3	1	
Sudan	1		1	
Tunisia	1			1
Zimbabwe	1	1		

Total by area: 35 students ( 0.57% )

## 7. Oceania

Country	Total	Privately-financed	Government-financed	Exchange program
American Samoa	1	1		
Australia	34	9	3	22
Fiji	1	1		
New Zealand	6	3	1	2
Papua New Guinea	1			1
Tonga	2	2		

Total by area: 45 students ( 0.74% )

Total 6116 students



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### Number of International Students by Nationality ②

## 1. Asia

Country	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Bangladesh	5		4	2							
Brunei			1	1							
Cambodia			4	1		2	1			1	
China	847	21	1515	614	2	130	27	4	5	154	3
Hong Kong	19	4	14	2		3	1		2	9	
India	22	1	12	7		5				1	
Indonesia	60		28	18		2	2		2	5	
Kazakhstan	2	1		1						1	
Kyrgyzstan	1			1				1			
Laos						2				1	
Macau	3	1	1	1						2	
Malaysia	14	1	8	7		1			1	1	
Mongolia	11		3	1		4	1				
Myanmar	20		7	13		2					
Nepal	3		4	3							
Pakistan	1		2								
Philippines	28	2	13	3		2	1		2	2	
Republic of Korea	520	41	67	35	1	8	2		1	20	
Singapore	56	3	17	3		1			4	1	
Sri Lanka	5		3								
Taiwan	103	18	101	23		19	1		2	81	
Thailand	43	2	23	18		2			2	6	
Timor-Leste				1							
Turkmenistan			1								
Uzbekistan	8		2			1				1	
Viet Nam	19	2	21	20		5	2		2		

Total by area: 5060 students ( 82.73% )

## 2. Middle East

Country	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Iran			4	1				1			
Israel	1					4				1	
Jordan				1							
Kuwait			1								
Lebanon						1					
Oman			5								
Saudi Arabia		1	1	2							
Syria				2		1					
Turkey	2	2	5	5							
United Arab Emirates	2			2							

Total by area: 45 students ( 0.74% )

### 3. Europe

Country	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Albania			1								
Armenia				1							
Austria	1	3	2			1					
Azerbaijan				2							
Belarus				1							
Belgium		1	5	3		13			2	1	
Bulgaria	1		2						1		
Cyprus	1		1								
Czech Republic	2	1	1	2		2					
Denmark		4	1			3			3		
Finland	1	3	1	1		2				4	
France	6	20	9	4		17	1		6	10	
Georgia						1				1	
Germany	6	25	16	2		27		1	4	11	
Greece			1								
Hungary	1		1	1		1			1	1	
Iceland			2								
Ireland		5	1						1		
Italy	1	10	5	6		11	1			9	
Kosovo							1				
Latvia		1									
Lithuania		1	4	1							
Luxembourg		1	1			1					
Moldova			1								
Netherlands		13	2	1		5			3	1	
Norway		2	1	1		2				4	
Poland		1	6			4			1	1	
Portugal	1		2			1			1	1	
Romania		4							1		
Russia	3		4	2		4				1	
Serbia			2							1	
Slovakia	1	1									
Spain	1	10	3	3		1			3	5	
Sweden	1	7				7			1	2	
Switzerland	1	2	4	2		8					
Ukraine	3	1	2	2							
United Kingdom	8	23	3	1		1	1		9	23	

Total by area: 528 students ( 8.63% )

### 4. North America

Country	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Canada	11	14	9	3		2			10	2	
United States	76	29	50	7		24			89	22	

Total by area: 348 students ( 5.69% )

## 5. Central and South America

Country	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Argentina	2		2								
Barbados						2					
Brazil	3	1	7	3							
Chile	1	2	1	1							
Colombia	1	3	1	1							
El Salvador										1	
Guatemala			1								
Honduras			1								
Jamaica										1	
Mexico	2	1	6	3					1	2	
Panama				1							
Peru			3			1					

Total by area: 55 students ( 0.90% )

## 6. Africa

Country	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
Algeria						1					
Angola						1					
Benin	1		1								
Botswana				1							
Cameroon		1						1			
Egypt	1			4						1	
Ethiopia				1				1			
Kenya			2	1				1			
Lesotho			1								
Malawi			1								
Maldives	1										
Morocco			1							1	
Mozambique			1								
Nigeria						1					
Rwanda			1								
Sierra Leone			1								
South Africa			2	1		1					
Sudan				1							
Tunisia						1					
Zimbabwe				1							

Total by area: 35 students ( 0.57% )

## 7. Oceania

Country	Undergraduates		Graduates						Sils One-year Students	Center for Japanese Language	Center for Inter- national Education
	Regular	Non- degree	Master Regular	Doctor Regular	Doctor Full Term Regular	Master Non- degree	Doctor Non- degree	Doctor Full Term Non- degree			
American Samoa	1										
Australia	3	14	1	4		1			2	9	
Fiji	1										
New Zealand			2	1		1			1	1	
Papua New Guinea									1		
Tonga				2							

Total by area:	45 students ( 0.74% )
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Total	6116 students
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## Top 20 Countries and Regions

	Students	Percentage	Name of Country / region
1	3322	54.32%	China
2	695	11.36%	Republic of Korea
3	348	5.69%	Taiwan
4	297	4.86%	United States
5	117	1.91%	Indonesia
6	96	1.57%	Thailand
7	92	1.50%	Germany
8	85	1.39%	Singapore
9	73	1.19%	France
10	71	1.16%	Viet Nam
11	69	1.13%	United Kingdom
12	54	0.88%	Hong Kong
13	53	0.87%	Philippines
14	51	0.83%	Canada
15	48	0.78%	India
16	43	0.70%	Italy
17	42	0.69%	Myanmar
18	34	0.56%	Australia
19	33	0.54%	Malaysia
20	26	0.43%	Spain

## Ranking on School Basis

	Students	Percentage	School name
1	918	15.01%	School of International Liberal Studies
2	531	8.68%	Graduate School of Information, Production and Systems
3	530	8.67%	School of Political Science and Economics
4	403	6.59%	Center for Japanese Language
5	365	5.97%	Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies
6	264	4.32%	Graduate School of Fundamental Science and Engineering
7	262	4.28%	Graduate School of Creative Science and Engineering
8	237	3.88%	Graduate School of Business and Finance
9	189	3.09%	Graduate School of Economics
10	184	3.01%	School of Social Sciences
11	173	2.83%	Graduate School of Advanced Science and Engineering
12	165	2.70%	Graduate School of Sport Sciences
13	164	2.68%	Graduate School of International Culture and Communication Studies
14	159	2.60%	School of Commerce
15	146	2.39%	Graduate School of Letters, Arts and Sciences
16	139	2.27%	School of Fundamental Science and Engineering
17	138	2.26%	Graduate School of Social Sciences
18	131	2.14%	Graduate School of Commerce
19	127	2.08%	School of Culture, Media and Society
20	110	1.80%	Graduate School of Law
21	95	1.55%	Graduate School of Human Sciences
22	84	1.37%	School of Creative Science and Engineering
23	79	1.29%	Graduate School of Political Science
24	76	1.24%	Graduate School of Japanese Applied Linguistics
25	68	1.11%	Graduate School of Education
26	61	1.00%	School of Humanities and Social Sciences
27	55	0.90%	Graduate School of Environment and Energy Engineering
28	54	0.88%	School of Advanced Science and Engineering
29	48	0.78%	School of Education
30	42	0.69%	School of Law
31	37	0.60%	School of Human Sciences
32	29	0.47%	Graduate School of Waseda Law School
33	27	0.44%	Graduate School of Accountancy
34	14	0.23%	School of Sport Sciences
35	9	0.15%	School of Human Sciences (Online Degree Program)
36	3	0.05%	Center for International Education

## Top 20 Countries and Regions

	Students	Percentage	Name of Country / region
1	3033	55.27%	China
2	520	9.48%	Republic of Korea
3	316	5.76%	Taiwan
4	273	4.97%	United States
5	111	2.02%	Indonesia
6	91	1.66%	Germany
7	87	1.59%	Thailand
8	72	1.31%	Singapore
9	69	1.26%	United Kingdom
10	67	1.22%	France
11	66	1.20%	Viet Nam
12	51	0.93%	Philippines
13	49	0.89%	Hong Kong
14	48	0.87%	Canada
15	41	0.75%	Italy
16	39	0.71%	Myanmar
17	35	0.64%	India
18	33	0.60%	Australia
19	31	0.56%	Malaysia
20	25	0.46%	Spain

## Ranking on School Basis

	Students	Percentage	School name
1	793	14.45%	School of International Liberal Studies
2	519	9.46%	Graduate School of Information, Production and Systems
3	451	8.22%	School of Political Science and Economics
4	393	7.16%	Center for Japanese Language
5	333	6.07%	Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies
6	241	4.39%	Graduate School of Creative Science and Engineering
	241	4.39%	Graduate School of Fundamental Science and Engineering
8	181	3.30%	Graduate School of Business and Finance
9	172	3.13%	Graduate School of Economics
10	169	3.08%	School of Social Sciences
11	162	2.95%	Graduate School of Advanced Science and Engineering
12	157	2.86%	Graduate School of International Culture and Communication Studies
13	152	2.77%	Graduate School of Sport Sciences
14	147	2.68%	School of Commerce
15	132	2.41%	Graduate School of Letters, Arts and Sciences
16	126	2.30%	Graduate School of Social Sciences
17	123	2.24%	School of Fundamental Science and Engineering
18	111	2.02%	Graduate School of Commerce
	111	2.02%	School of Culture, Media and Society
20	98	1.79%	Graduate School of Law
21	84	1.53%	Graduate School of Human Sciences
22	73	1.33%	School of Creative Science and Engineering
23	70	1.28%	Graduate School of Political Science
24	69	1.26%	Graduate School of Japanese Applied Linguistics
25	61	1.11%	Graduate School of Education
26	56	1.02%	School of Humanities and Social Sciences
27	50	0.91%	Graduate School of Environment and Energy Engineering
28	45	0.82%	School of Advanced Science and Engineering
29	40	0.73%	School of Education
30	34	0.62%	School of Human Sciences
	34	0.62%	School of Law
32	25	0.46%	Graduate School of Waseda Law School
33	23	0.42%	Graduate School of Accountancy
34	9	0.16%	School of Sport Sciences
35	3	0.05%	Center for International Education