# Academic Year 2023 Admission

# Center for Japanese Language, Waseda University Japanese Language Courses Application Guidelines

\*These admission guidelines are only for non-degree students who will enroll in an undergraduate or graduate school at Waseda University in2023 and would like to take Japanese language courses. Others are not eligible to apply.

If you will continue your studies in an undergraduate or graduate school at Waseda University in 2024and would like to take Japanese language courses, you will need to reapply for admission in AY2024in accordance with the Application Guidelines for Academic Year2024.

\*<u>If it is determined that you intend to take Japanese language courses solely to fulfill visa status</u> requirements (10 hours or more of classes per week), you will not be admitted.

- In principle, it is preferable for students to meet visa status requirements (10 hours of more of classes per week) by enrolling in courses offered in their affiliated undergraduate or graduate schools.
- If you are meeting the "10 hours of more of classes per week" requirements by taking Japanese language courses, your statement should be clearly related to your field of study at your affiliated school.

• Please make your statement to take Japanese language courses at an appropriate level.

 $\ll {\bf Reference} \,\, {\bf Materials} \, \gg \,\,$ 

[Curriculum] http://www.waseda.jp/inst/cjl/en/about/education/curriculum/

[Syllabus]

http://www.waseda.jp/inst/cjl/en/students/registration/download/

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#### 1. Schedule *XJapan Standard Time*

Step	Schedule	Spring 2023Admission	Fall 2023 Admission
1	Screening Fee Transfer Period	February 21 (Tue) ~March 8(Wed.), 2023	August 8 (Tue.) ~23 (Wed.), 2023
2	Submission of Application Documents	*1	*1
3	Screening Result Notification	March 17 (Fri.), 2023 <b>*2</b>	September 1 (Fri.), 2023 <b>*2</b>

\*1. Successful applicants in Spring Semester Admission do not need to apply again for Fall Semester. However, you must continue to be enrolled as a student at your affiliated school in Fall Semester in order to register for Japanese courses.

\*2. If you wish to continue the courses for 2024 Admission, applicants are required to reapply to Japanese courses.

#### 2. Method of Application

You must complete both (1) and (2) for your application to be accepted. For (2), please submit application documents through the designated application form on this web page: <u>https://www.waseda.jp/inst/cjl/en/applicants/launch/admission/</u>.

(1)	(2)
<b>Pay the Screening Fee</b> * Refer to "3. Screening Fee"	"Statement of Purpose for Taking Japanese Language Courses" (100-300 words)
Please DO NOT pay the Screening Fee if you are eligible to be exempted from payment.	
To waive the Screening Fee, contact <u>the office of school you plan to</u> <u>enroll in</u> for the prescribed form.	Submission of one of the followings regarding Screening Fee: "Certificate of Payment", "Result of Payment" or "Application Form for Screening Fee Waiver"

#### 3. Screening Fee: 25,000 yen

#### (1) Period of Transfer

Please pay the screening fee during the designated period below. The payment should be made at a convenience store or by credit card. No cash or check payments will be accepted.

Admission	Period of Transfer	
Spring 2023	February 21 (Tue.) ~March 8 (Wed.) , 2023 *23:00 (Japanese Standard Time)	
Fall 2023	August 8 (Tue.) ~August 23 (Wed.) , 2023 *23:00 (Japanese Standard Time)	

\*If you are paying at a convenience store, web application must be completed before 23:00 (Japanese Standard Time) on the final day of the payment period.

(2) Payment at a Convenience Store in Japan

Refer to P.5 for payment method details.

#### **GUIDELINES**

- 1. To make a payment at a convenience store, you must complete the designated application procedure in advance by accessing the "screening fee convenience store payment site" (https://e-shiharai.net/) [Japanese only] online.
- 2. After making the payment, submit the "Certificate of Payment of the Screening Fee".
- 3. The payment can be made 24 hours a day, seven days a week, including Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays. However, please note that application via the website will end at 23:00, and payment at a convenience store will be accepted until 23:30 on the last day of the payment period.
- 4. Even if someone other than the applicant makes the payment, <u>the applicant's information must be</u> <u>entered.</u>
- 5. Please select the options as indicated below.

・お支払い選択:「大学・短大」

・学校選択 (School Selection): Please search with「ワセダ」 in Katakana and Choose 「早稲田大学」

カテゴリ選択(Category Selection)

- ・第一選択(First Selection):「日本語教育研究センター」
- ・第二選択(Second Selection):「(学内科目等履修生用)日本語教育プログラム」
- **第三選択**(Third Selection):「2023年春学期」or「2023年秋学期」
- 第四選択(Fourth Selection):「学内科目等履修生選考 25,000円」
- 基本情報入力 (Enter basic information) : Even if the payment is paid by a third party, please enter the applicant's name, gender, date of birth, and occupation.

#### (3) Payment by Credit Card

Refer to P.6 for payment method details.

#### **GUIDELINES**

- 1. To make a payment by credit card, please access the online screening fee payment website (https://e-shiharai.net/ecard/) and complete the required procedure.
- 2. After completing the transaction, save/print the "Result" page and submit it.
- 3. The payment can be made 24 hours a day, seven days a week , including Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.
- 4. A credit card other than the applicant's can be used for the payment. In this case, however, <u>the</u> <u>applicant's basic information must also be included.</u>
- 5. Please select the options as indicated below.

Choose 「Examination Fee Application」

- School Selection : Waseda University ( Undergraduate Schools )
- First Selection : [Center for Japanese Language]
- Second Selection : 「 (For Non-Degree Students) Japanese Language Program」
- Third Selection : [Spring 2023 Admission ] or [Fall 2023 Admission]
- Fourth Selection : 「 (For Non-Degree Students) Japanese Language Program JPY25,000」
- 基本情報入力 (Enter basic information) : Even if the payment is paid by a third party, please enter the applicant's name, gender, date of birth, and occupation.

#### (4) Exemption of Screening Fee

Please note that applicants who have been exempted from the payment of the Screening Fee for the <u>school</u> <u>you plan to enroll in</u>, are also exempted from the payment of the Screening Fee for the Center for Japanese Language. If the above situation applies to you, please have the "Application Form for Screening Fee Waiver" approved or stamped by the office of the <u>school you plan to enroll in</u> beforehand and submit it to us as an application document. If you passed the admissions process in the previous year and are reapplying for admission this year, you are also exempted from paying the Screening Fee.

#### 4. Details of Application Documents

1. "Statement of Purpose for Taking Japanese Language Courses" must be written <u>in Japanese or</u> <u>in English.</u> Please submit all documents through the designated application form. 2. Between admission and enrollment, you may be requested to hand in the original application documents. Please keep all the documents on hand.

You will be deemed to have committed a dishonest act if you falsify, fabricate, or plagiarize any document, material, or information submitted in your application. In such case, any decision regarding your application may later be invalidated, and the submitted application documents and screening fee will not be returned.

#### 5. Screening

Screening will be processed on the basis of the "Statement of Purpose for Taking Japanese Language Courses". There will be no writing examination or interview.

If it is determined that you intend to take Japanese language courses solely to fulfill visa status requirements (10 hours or more of classes per week), you will not be admitted; please refer to P.1 for details.

#### 6. Notification of Screening Results

Screening results will be announced by posting the application numbers of successful applicants on our website (http://www.waseda.jp/inst/cjl/en/).

\*Telephone or e-mail inquiries will not be answered.

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Admission	Notification of Screening Results
Spring 2023	March 17 (Fri.), 2023
Fall 2023	September 1 (Fri.), 2023

#### 7. Enrollment Procedures and Course Registration

No enrollment procedures are needed for the Center for Japanese Language.

To register for Japanese language courses, please refer to the "Japanese Course Registration for International Students" which the Center for Japanese Language office will send to successful applicants via e-mail.

The "Japanese Course Registration Guidebook" will also be posted on the webpage below after March (for Spring Semester) and September (for Fall Semester).

https://www.waseda.jp/inst/cjl/en/students/registration/

#### ■Handling of Personal Information

Waseda University utilizes applicant information (addresses, names, dates of birth etc.) collected at the time of application in order to carry out operations such as the entrance examination, announcement of the screening results, and enrollment procedures. We will take necessary and proper measures to protect such information from leaks, disclosure, or unauthorized use. All or part of the above operations may be outsourced to an agency. In such case, the agency will be contractually required to maintain necessary and proper measures to improve our entrance examinations. The information will be statistically processed to prevent any individuals from being identified.

## How to Pay the Screening Fee at the Convenience Store



### How to Pay the Screening Fee by Credit Card



For questions or problems not mentioned here, please contact :

E-Service Support Center Tel : +81-3-5952-9052 (24 hours everyday)