

# Meiji University Graduate School of Global Business, Global Business Programme (MBA) Application Guideline, Autumn 2024

This guideline explains the admission and enrollment procedures. Bring this with you on the day of the exam.

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Personal information submitted in the application and enrollment procedures will be used to administer the entrance examination, announcement of offer, enrollment procedures, and related matters (\*). A portion of these tasks will be outsourced to a contractor designated by Meiji University. In the course of outsourcing, the submitted personal information may be provided to the same contractor. In addition, the information will be statistically processed so that individuals cannot be identified, and will be used in surveys for the purpose of admission selection and educational improvement at Meiji University. Please understand this in advance.

Due to the necessity of processing academic records at the time of admission and statistical processing after admission, Meiji University will keep the acquisition of gender information to the minimum necessary and handle it carefully within a limited scope.

\*Includes distribution of information regarding Meiji University Professional Graduate School.

#### 1. School Outline

School:	Graduate School of Global Business,	
	Global Business Programme (Professional Graduate School),	
	also called as Meiji Business School (MBS)	
Programme:	Professional Degree Programme	
Degree to be Awarded:	Master of Business Administration (Professional Degree)	
Number of Students Admitted:	85 students	
Timetable:	Weekdays, 7 periods, 9:00-22:00	
	Saturdays, 6 periods, 9:00-20:40	
Duration:	Two years from September 20, 2022 to September 19, 2024	
Conditions for Completion:	Acquiring 46 or more credits and passing a master's thesis	
-	exam	

\* If you intend to complete the programme by taking only courses in English, you are required to take courses hosted by Graduate School of Business Administration, Meiji University <u>during the daytime</u>.

#### 2. MBS Mission

The basic purpose of the Graduate School of Global Business is to cultivate general managers possessing specialised knowledge and skills, analytical capabilities, value-creation skills, a broad perspective, strong ethical principles, leadership qualities, and a global outlook. These individuals are entrusted with the comprehensive management of organisations as managers and senior executives, contributing to the dynamism of the economy and society. Moreover, the school is dedicated to assuming a leadership role in society. To fulfill the trust bestowed on us by society, we are committed to nurturing the following cadre of business professionals:

- Executives, Successors, and Support Personnel for Family Business Development

- Innovative human resources for start-up businesses, including new businesses and second-stage start-ups.

To better fulfil its educational objectives, faculty members conduct research covering corporate and organisational management, as well as family business and startup business. The school provides a collaborative space for students and faculty, a platform for students' autonomous learning in practical and theoretical aspects, an avenue for career change, and a space for business matching.

#### 3. Admission Policy

#### Qualities required of applicants

The Graduate School of Global Business aims to develop business professionals with specialist knowledge and skills, the ability to establish value, a broad perspective and a high sense of ethics, leadership and a global perspective. In the entrance exam, candidates are required to have sufficient motivation, potential and the ability to fulfil their professional potential, as well as a specific reason for applying and a concrete career plan. The presence or absence of special knowledge or skills related to the respective fields of study, as well as work experience, is not a prerequisite, but applicants are expected to have a strong awareness of business and management issues and a clear attitude towards setting independent learning achievement goals and learning processes, in order to develop human resources useful in management practice.

#### **Eligible applicants**

Applicants who have graduated or are expected to graduate from a university, or who are recognised by the school as having equivalent or higher academic ability are eligible. The school targets those who are responsible for the overall management of an organisation as a manager or senior executive of a company, or those who are in a profession requiring a high level of expertise (consultants, accountants, tax accountants, financial planners, etc.), those who are responsible for the management of family business development, successors and supporters, and those who are in new businesses, start-up businesses and innovations, including new and second-stage businesses. Work experience is not a prerequisite.

#### Points to note in the admission test

The entrance exam consists of a document screening and an interview. Prior to this, applicants are required to submit a statement of motivation, purpose of study and required expertise ('Application Form and Research Proposal'). In the interview, emphasis is placed on the expression of content, clarity of logic and other perspectives based on the aims of the school. The overall evaluation of the 'Application Form and Research Proposal' and the interview will be used to determine whether the applicants pass or fail.

# 4. Enrollment Capacity

85 students (Total of the three exams: 1st term, 2nd term and Autumn term)

# 5. Application Period and Entrance Exam Date

- Application documents from overseas must be sent by EMS, DHL, or another courier service with a tracking service and must arrive <u>on the designated deadline</u> as below.

	From 14 June 2024 to 24 June 2024		
	*Documents sent with a postmark on 24 June 2024 is eligible.		
Application Period	*Refer to "6. Application Eligibility" about Individual Eligibility		
	Screening process.		
Examination Date	21 July 2024		
Examination Date	*The interview invitation letter includes what time it will start.		
Selection Method	Document Screening and an Interview (10 to 15 minutes)		
Selection Method	*Scored by the total score of the document screening and the interview.		
Venue	Surugadai Campus, Meiji University		
Exam Result	23 July 2024, 15:00 (JST)		
Announcement Date			
	Successful applicant ID numbers will be posted on a bulletin board at		
Exam Result	Professional Graduate School Office, 10F Academy Common,		
Announcement Place	Surugadai Campus, Meiji University.		
Announcement Flace	*For the convenience of applicants, the same information will be posted		
	on our website.		
Deadline for Admission	Admission procedures must be completed by 7 August 2024.		
Procedures for			
Successful Applicants			

# 6. Application Eligibility

Applicants must meet (I) as below. <u>Provided</u>, however, that if applicants wish to take the interview in a non-native language, applicants must, in addition, meet (II) as below.

- I. Applicants must meet at least one of the following educational requirements from (1) to (10) or be expected to meet it by the day of enrollment.
  - (1) Those who have graduated from a university in Japan.
  - (2) Those who have received a bachelor's degree by the National Institution for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education.
  - (3) Those who have completed 16 years of formal education outside Japan.
  - (4) Those who have completed 16 years of correspondence programme in Japan offered by a foreign institution.
  - (5) Those who have, in Japan, completed a programme in an educational institution that is positioned in the overseas school education system as having the programme in a university in

the country (as long as those who completed the programme are recognized as they have completed 16 years of programme in the school education of the foreign country) and that is designated separately by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports and Technology (MEXT).

- (6) Those who have completed a programme of which period is three (3) years or more outside Japan in an overseas university or other overseas schools and have received a bachelor's degree or equivalent degree.
- (7) Those who have completed a specialized programme (limited to programmes of at least four (4) years and those fulfilling criteria prescribed by MEXT) in specialized training colleges designated by MEXT on or after a date stipulated by MEXT.
- (8) Those who designated by MEXT. (Ministry of Education Notification No.5 of 1953) \*1
- (9) Those who have been enrolled at a university for more than three (3) years (or have completed 15 years of school education overseas) and have been recognized by MBS as having earned a specified number of credits with an excellent academic record. \*2
- (10) Those who have been recognized by MBS as possessing academic credentials superior to those of university graduates through an individual eligibility screening process and have reached 22 years of age. \*3 \*4
- II. Applicants must meet a requirement about language proficiency.

Provided that applicants wish to take the interview in Japanese,

the applicants (excluding permanent residents) must have one of the following certified test scores on the day of application unless applicants whose native language is Japanese or who have obtained or are expected to obtain a degree from a higher education institution (university or higher) educating mainly in Japanese.

- The Japanese Language Proficiency Test (or JLPT) N1 or
- Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU) 250 or above (excluding 'Writing')

Provided that applicants wish to take the interview in English,

the applicants must have one of the following certified test scores on the day of application unless applicants whose native language is English or who have obtained or are expected to obtain a degree from a higher education institution (university or higher) educating mainly in English. Submitted score reports should have been issued within 2 years of each application deadline.

- TOEFL (iBT) 79 or above;
- TOEIC (L&R) 800 or above;
- TOEIC (S&W) 300 or above or
- IELTS (Academic Module) 6.0 or above
- \*1 Those who meet Application Eligibility (8) are those who have graduated from a university according to the old university ordinance or a university according to the ministerial organization ordinance or the establishment law.
- \*2 Students with the qualifications specified in Article 102, paragraph 2 of the School Education Law (skip entry) are not admitted.
- \*3 Application Eligibility (10) includes;
  - those who have graduated from a junior college, a college of technology, a specialized training college, a high school, a miscellaneous school, or another educational institution;
  - those who don't have a bachelor's degree; or
  - those who have graduated from Self-study education in China.
- \*4 All applicants who wish to apply under Application Eligibility (9) or (10) above should contact MBS Office via e-mail prior to application for an individual eligibility screening and should submit a set of the documents by the deadline below. Screening fee should be paid after an individual eligibility screening result is notified.
  - (1) Application Period for Individual Eligibility Screening

From 28 May 2024 to 3 June 2024

- Documents sent with a postmark on the last day of the period is eligible.
- Documents from overseas must arrive at MBS Office by the last day of the period.
- (2) Documents to be submitted
  - Application Form for Individual Eligibility Screening (Form 4)
  - Application documents required to submit by applicants excluding Form B
  - Other documents signifying the eligibility
- (3) Result Announcement Date
  - Around 13 June 2024

# 7. Application for Delegates from Business

- The enrollment capacity includes a few students delegated from business.
- The definition of an application for delegates from business is the following;
  - a. The applicant should belong to the business which delegates the applicant.
  - b. The business should be responsible for all amount of tuition and other fees when the applicant is admitted.
- Application Form 3 < Letter of Recommendation from the Business > must be submitted in addition to a set of application documents.
- The screening fee should be paid by the applicant.

# 8. Precaution about Application Procedure

- In case that an applicant doesn't meet eligibility or there are critical flaws, the application will not be acceptable.
- Once the application documents are submitted, they cannot be substituted for another version under any circumstances.
- Once the application documents are submitted, they are not returned under any circumstances.
- False statement on the application documents will enable MBS to cancel a result of the exam or admission.
- Application documents must be sent by post service. Application documents sent with a postmark on the last day of application period are eligible.
- After paying the screening fee, fill in your name and address on the prescribed "a. Cover Letter",

affix it to a K2 envelope (角2封筒) and send it by registered mail service (簡易書留).

- Applicants living overseas should have acquaintances or residents in Japan send application documents on applicants' behalf. If you cannot find a person to assists you, you may use EMS, DHL, or another courier service with a tracking service for sending application documents, which should be received no later than the last day of application period.
- MBS cannot answer whether it has accepted the application documents. Applicants should check the delivery status themselves.
- If a physically disabled applicant requires special consideration for the examination, please inquire of MBS Office by 3 June 2024.

# 9. Selection Type

- There are two selection types: Type A and Type B. Applicants should objectively decide which selection type is applied to you referring to the following criteria.

< Conditions >

- As of one (1) year before enrollment in MBS, an applicant
- is 24 years of age or older; and
- has two (2) years or more work experience (excluding part-time job experience).
- Applicants who meet the criteria must apply in 'Type A (Exam for Businesspersons)'. The other applicants must apply in 'Type B (Exam for the others)'.

- Application Form 2 describes the detail of 'Research Proposal' for each selection type.

- Both types require a document screening and interview.

	For All	a. Cover Letter	
		b. Application Form B	
	Applicants	c. Application Form 1	
Documents to		d. Application Form 2	
be Downloaded		e. Letter of Recommendation from the Business (Form 3)	
	For Relevant	f. Application Form for Individual Eligibility Screening	
	Applicants	(Form 4)	
		g. Statement of Financial Resources (Form 5)	
For All		h. <u>Two</u> Color ID Photos (4cm x 3cm) of the Applicant	
		i. Original of Official Academic Transcript(s)	
	Applicants	j. Original of Certificate(s) of (expected) Graduation and	
Documents to		Degree	
be Prepared by		k. Photocopy of Applicant's Passport	
Applicants		1. Photocopy of Applicant's Residence Card or Certificate of	
	For Relevant Applicants	Residence	
		m. Proof of Language Proficiency	
		n. Proof of Attendance	

## **10. Application Document List**

# **11. Precaution about Application Preparation**

- Applicants who wish to take the interview in Japanese must prepare the application documents following the Japanese version application guideline while applicants who wish to take the interview in English must prepare the application documents following the English version application guideline.
- "Documents to be Downloaded" should be downloaded from MBS website and should be typed using the Microsoft Excel files posted on it. Handwriting is not acceptable in order to avoid mistakes.
- Fill in all information necessary and print them out. Color printing is not required.

# 12. Instructions about Application Document Preparation

#### a. Cover Letter

- The letter can be downloaded from MBS website.
- Fill in the blanks and affix it to a K2 envelope (角2封筒) when submitting. Please refer to "8. Precaution about Application Procedure" on page 5.

#### **b.** Application Form BCD

- After paying the screening fee, cut off Form BCD into B, C and D and submit only Form B.

- Please refer to < 13. Screening Fee and Payment Procedure > on page 10 for further details.

#### c. Application Form 1

- Fill out the form not by handwriting but by typing.
- Your "Katakana  $(\pi \not \land \pi \not )$  name" is necessary in the box of "Furigana  $(\pi \not \land \pi \not )$ ".
- Attach your ID Photo to the form.
- Please make sure to provide your e-mail address by which you can be contacted by MBS immediately when it is needed to be referred to your application documents.
- Include the details of your educational background in chronological order, from high school (高級中学 in Chinese education system) to the latest level of qualification. Include the names of all institutions and years attended.
- Work history: If you have been employed, include the details of your jobs in chronological order.

(Work history should include any full-time jobs and military service, but not internships and parttime jobs.)

- English proficiency must include your score in TOEFL (iBT), TOEIC (L&R) or IELTS (Academic Module).
- If you have anything you want to mention in the exam, submit any evidences (copies) about them.

#### d. Application Form 2

- Prepare your 'Research Proposal' referring to the instruction on the form.
- Fill out the form and use it as a front cover of your 'Research Proposal'.
- Please select one research area related to the research theme of your master's thesis and tick the box.

#### e. Letter of Recommendation from the Business (Form 3) < Only by delegates from business >

- Prepare and submit this form referring to "7. Application for Delegates from Business".

- f. Application Form for Individual Eligibility Screening (Form 4) < Only by applicants in Application Eligibility (9) or (10) >
- Prepare and submit this form for an individual eligibility screening process referred by "6. II. \*4".
- g. Statement of Financial Resources (Form 5) < Only by applicants with non-Japanese nationality > (excluding special permanent residents)
- Only applicants with non-Japanese nationality must submit this form, except for special permanent residents. Fill out the form not by handwriting but by typing.
- The form should describe the details of persons who are responsible for the total amount of academic fees and other living expenses during studying in MBS.
- The total amount should cover all expenses for the year which include academic fees and other living expenses while studying in MBS.
- The academic fees are described on "17. Tuition and Fees".
- \* Japan Study Service Organization shows in 2021 that average expenses per month for international students who study in professional graduate schools is JPY165, 000.

#### h. Two Color ID Photos (4cm x 3cm) of the Applicant

- Attach your ID Photo to Application Form 1 and include another one without attaching.

- The ID Photo must be in color, 4cm by 3cm in size, glossy finish, upper body, frontal view, no hat, no background, and no frames.
- The photograph must have been taken within three months prior to the date of submission of the application forms.
- The following will not be accepted for facial recognition purposes: snapshots, blurred photos, or photographs with covered features using sunglasses, hats, etc.
- The photo will be used for the Student ID Card of admitted students. The photo may be used for student visa purposes.
- If you need a temporary visitor visa for exam, contact Professional Graduate School Office and submit <u>an additional color ID photo</u> as instructed below.

#### < Temporary Visitor Visa for Exam >

- Applicants with non-Japanese nationality or citizenship should obtain Permission of Exam issued by Meiji University after the application is completed in order to obtain 'Temporary Visitor' visa. If you need it, contact Professional Graduate School Office and submit an additional color ID photo.
- Nationals and citizens of the countries and regions stipulated in 'Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act' as ones with exemption of visa (e.g. Republic of Korea, Taiwan, Hong Kong etc.) are not required to obtain visas to enter Japan. Therefore, Permission of Exam will not be issued for applicants from those countries or regions.

- < Exemption of Visa (Short-Term Stay) (Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan) > https://www.mofa.go.jp/j\_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html
- The visa application procedure at the Japanese diplomatic mission abroad (embassy or consulate) using the 'examination permit' issued by the University does not guarantee that the visa will be granted.
- The visa application and entry procedures are the responsibility of the applicant.
- \* Permission of Exam doesn't necessarily enable applicants to obtain 'Temporary Visitor' visa.

## i. Original of Official Academic Transcript(s); and

#### j. Original of Certificate(s) of (expected) Graduation and Degree \*1

- I. Provided that applicants graduated or are expected to graduate from a university or graduate school in Japan,
  - Original certificate(s) issued and verified by all of your graduated or attending universities or graduate schools must be submitted. Any date of issue is acceptable.
  - If the date of graduation is on the original of official academic transcript(s), the original of certificates of (expected) graduation and degree don't need to be submitted.
  - If the name changed from the one on the certificate(s), a transcript or extract of the family register should be submitted.
  - If the universities or graduate schools certify any credits that were earned at other universities or graduate schools, the original of official academic transcript(s) from the universities or graduate schools must be submitted.
  - Applicants who have been expelled or withdrawn from schools must submit a certificate showing the fact.

# II. Provided that applicants graduated or are expected to graduate from a university or graduate school in China (excluding Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Macau)

- (1) Expected Graduates from universities or graduate schools
  - Original certificate(s) (either in English or in Japanese) issued and verified by all of attending universities or graduate schools must be submitted. Any date of issue is acceptable.
  - Follow (2) below as soon as an applicant graduate from a university or graduate school.
- (2) Graduates from universities or graduate schools
  - Follow the instructions below about all universities or graduate schools that an applicant graduated from.
  - Both certificates in English as below (a) and (b) sent by email directly to MBS by China Highereducation Information and Student Information (CHSI) or Japan Office of CHSI.

(a) Verification Report of China Higher Education Student's Academic Transcript

(b) Online Verification Report of Higher Education Qualification Certificate

#### [NOTES REGARDING (2)]

- Please apply to CHSI to issue each certificate in English. The documents in other language than English cannot be acceptable.

(CHSI in China) <u>https://www.chsi.com.cn/en/pvr/</u>

https://www.chsi.com.cn/en/help/howtoapply\_ep\_en.jsp

- (CHSI in Japan) http://www.chsi.jp/
- Please note that each certificate must be sent by email directly to MBS. <u>Certificates forwarded</u> to MBS by applicants are invalid.

(MBS Email address) guroken@mics.meiji.ac.jp

- The application for these documents needs designated fees by CHSI. (the details on the website)
- <u>We can accept the certificates before the beginning of the application period and the deadline</u> is the day before the interview.
- In case that the certificates don't arrive by the deadline, the applicant cannot take the interview.

- III. Provided that applicants graduated or are expected to graduate from a university or graduate school in other countries than Japan or China (including Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Macau)
  - Follow the instructions below about all universities or graduate schools that an applicant graduated from.
  - Original certificate(s) (either in English or in Japanese) issued and verified by all of your graduated or attending universities or graduate schools must be submitted. Any date of issue is acceptable.
  - Applicants may have the university or graduate school which they graduated from submit the certificates sent by email directly to MBS. <u>Certificates forwarded to MBS by applicants are invalid</u>. (MBS Email address) <u>guroken@mics.meiji.ac.jp</u>
  - If applicants are unable to submit the certificates in English or Japanese, applicants must submit;
    (a) Japanese or English translations notarized by an embassy or another appropriate government office or Certified True Copy of the originals
    - (b) the originals of the certificates
  - Applicants are advised to take necessary procedures as soon as possible because it may take a long time to obtain the originals from institutions outside of Japan.
- \*1 Applicants relevant to application eligibility (9) and (10) must submit the original of official certificate(s) of (expected) graduation or degree and the one of official academic transcript(s) issued by a junior college, a college of technology, a specialized training college, a high school, a miscellaneous school, or another educational institution. In case that the educational institutions are unable to issue the official academic transcript due to whatever reasons, submit the proof of the impossibility.

#### k. Photocopy of Applicant's Passport < Only by applicants with non-Japanese nationality >

- Applicants with non-Japanese nationality must submit this, except for students at Meiji University and special permanent residents.
- Copied page(s) must include the applicant's name, date of birth, passport number, identification photograph, and expiry date. (A copy of the visa page is not required.)
- 1. Photocopy of Applicant's Residence Card or Certificate of Residence < Only by applicants with non-Japanese nationality >
- Applicants with non-Japanese nationality must submit this, except for students at Meiji University and special residents outside of Japan.
- Please submit a photocopy of the valid residence card at the time of application (alien registration card or special permanent resident certificate is also acceptable) or certificate of residence.
- When submitting a photocopy of the residence card, please make sure to submit a photocopy of both the front and back of the card, even if there is no information on the back side.
- When submitting a certificate of residence, it should be issued within three months before application.
- m. Proof of Language Proficiency < Only by applicants relevant to "6. Application Eligibility" II >
- Applicants who wish to take the interview in non-native language must submit a proof indicated as below.

Provided that applicants want to take the interview in Japanese,

- Submit one of the following certified test score reports. The original is going to be returned to the applicant on the day of the exam.
- Applicants who have obtained or are expected to obtain a degree from a university or graduate school educating mainly in Japanese or special permanent residents of Japan don't need to submit this proof.

- (i) JLPT: The original of the Certificate of Proficiency (N1)
- (ii) EJU: The original of the Certificate of Score (250 or above excluding 'Writing')

Provided that applicants want to take the interview in English,

- Submit one of the following certified test score reports. The original is going to be returned to an applicant on the day of the exam.
- Applicants who have obtained or are expected to obtain a degree from a university or graduate school educating mainly in English don't need to submit this proof.
- Submitted score reports should have been issued within two (2) years of each application deadline. (i) TOEFL (iBT): Both the data of Official Score Report and a copy of Test Taker Score Report \*2
- (ii) TOEIC (L&R): The original and a copy of Official Score Certificate
- (iii) TOEIC (S&W): The original and a copy of Official Score Certificate
- (iv) IELTS (Academic Module): The original and a copy of Test Report Form

\*2 Notes for users of TOEFL (iBT)

- Please note that Official Score Report must be sent directly to MBS by ETS.
- A copy of Test Taker Score Report must be sent by mail with other application documents.
- MBS ID code is <u>"D188"</u>. Make sure to input this code for ETS to send the Official Score Report to MBS.
- The score of TOEFL iBT Home Edition, TOEFL ITP or TOEFL Paper-delivered Test is unavailable as the proof in our exam.

#### n. Proof of Attendance <Only by Non-Japanese applicants relevant to the below>

- Submit the proof of attendance issued by educational institutions of Japanese language in Japan where applicants are studying at the time of application to MBS.

# **13. Screening Fee and Payment Procedure**

- The screening fee is **JPY 35,000** (consumption tax will not be imposed).
- The period for payment is the same as the application period.

#### Payment Deadline 24 June 2024

- Note that payment from overseas must be full by the deadline. Payment before the application period can also be acceptable. Please refer to "(4) Paying from abroad via overseas remittance".
- Once the screening fee is paid, there will be no refund made.

#### (1) Paying through a bank in Japan (Except Japan Post Bank/Yu-cho Bank/ゆうちょ銀行)

- a. Fill out the prescribed payment form (Application Form BCD), and pay the fee via telegraphic transfer at a bank counter.
- b. Upon completion of payment, applicants should make sure that the financial institution placed a receipt stamp on Forms B and C. No receipt stamp means that the payment has not been completed.
- c. Keep the Form C and send Form B with your application materials.
- \*Only cash payment is accepted. Checks, securities, and payment through an ATM are not acceptable. \*No transfer commission fees are charged if the payment is made at the main office of the designated bank listed on the prescribed payment form.
- \*The stamp of the financial institution is considered to be the University's receipt and should be kept by the applicant safely since any other receipt will not be issued by Meiji University.

#### (2) Paying through convenience stores in Japan

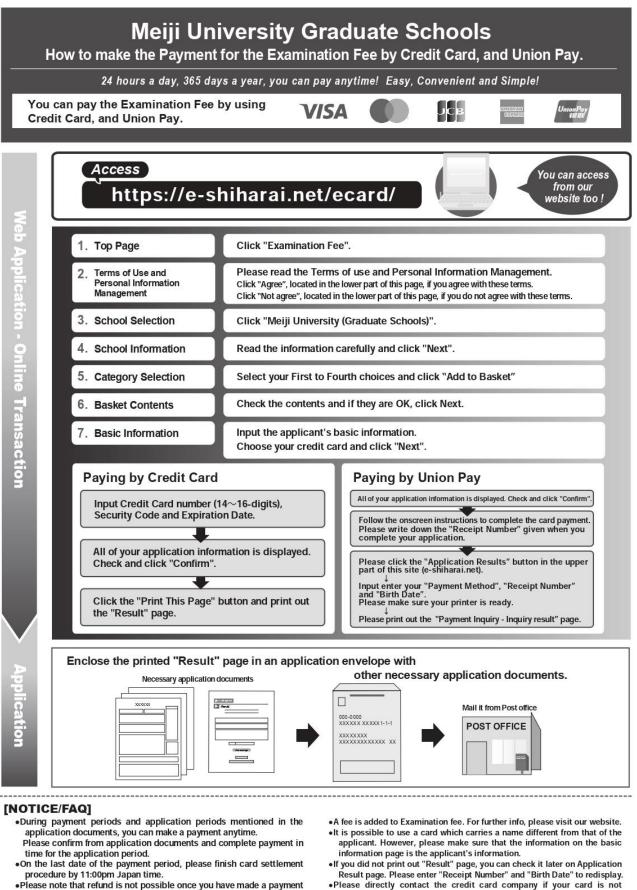
- a. Please cut out the 'Proof of Collection/ 収納証明書' from the 'Statement of Application Fee 入学検定料,選考料取扱明細書' issued after payment in person, and affix it to the designated field on Form B.
- b. A receipt issued by the convenience store is considered as the University's receipt. The receipt should be safely kept by the applicant since any other receipt will not be issued by Meiji University.
- c. Submit Form B with the 'Proof of Collection/収納証明書'. Don't submit forms C and D.
- \*See the "E-Payment Service" website (in Japanese only) at https://e-shiharai.net/.

\*Commission fees will be charged.

\*Payment is accepted only during a specified period.

#### (3) Paying by credit card/China Pay Service

- a. Follow the instruction on the next page to make the payment.
- b. Submit Form B with the printed 'Result' page. Don't submit forms C and D.



- Please note that refund is not possible once you have made a payment of Entrance examination fee.
  - For questions or problems not mentioned here, please contact :

accepted.

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

#### (4) Paying from abroad via overseas remittance

①Screening Fee: 35,000 Japanese Yen

②Commission Fee:

Commission fees of both your local bank and Meiji University's bank will be charged for the overseas remittance, and the payer is responsible for all such fees. Check the total amount of fees and pay at your local bank. The screening fee will not be refunded once it is paid.

In addition to the Screening Fee, you must also pay the following fees.

Bank charges for remittance services at your local bank

Bank charges (JPY 4,000) for remittance services at Meiji University's bank

3. Any additional fees (if any; please check with your bank.)

The screening fee must arrive in the University's bank account by the application deadline. It may take a long time for the payment to reach the recipient's bank account after making a remittance, and applicants are therefore strongly advised to make the remittance in advance with sufficient time allowance. Payment can be accepted before the application period starts.

If there is any shortfall in the fees arriving in the University's bank account, your application will be regarded as a withdrawal and no fees will be refunded. Also, you will be responsible for any issues occurring during the remittance that may cause failure of the payment, and the fees will not be refunded.

#### **Remittance Information**

- ✓ Type of Remittance: Telegraphic Transfer
- ✓ Currency: Japanese Yen
- ✓ Method of Payment: Advise and pay
- ✓ Yen exchange charge: Remitter's Account
- ✓ Remittance charge: Remitter's Account
- ✓ Purpose of Payment: Screening Fee

Paying Bank	SUMITOMO MITSUI BANKING CORPORATION
Branch	KANDA Branch
Bank Address	3-12 Kanda Ogawamachi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan
Payee's a/c No.	Ordinary Account 219-147151
Payee	Meiji University
Address	1-1 Kanda Surugadai, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan
Swift Code	SMBCJPJT

(\*1) Write "PAY IN FULL" in the message column for the receiving bank.

(\*2) Remitter's name must be written exactly the same as shown on the applicant's passport. If the remitter is different from the applicant, please write the applicant's name in the message column.

(\*3) Send the following information to the Professional Graduate School Office by email upon completion of remittance.

• Email: guroken@mics.meiji.ac.jp

#### • Subject: Overseas Remittance for 2023 Admission (YOUR NAME)

(1) Applicant Name

(3) Birthdate and year

(6) Name of Remitter

(2) Gender

- (7) Date of remittance
- (8) Contact phone number
- (4) Intended Program Name
- (5) If the remitter is not an applicant himself/herself, indicate the relationship

#### ③Required Documentation

Upon completion of remittance, submit the following documentation along with application materials.

- (a) Screening Fee Payment Form (Application Form BCD)
- Fill in the required information and submit along with application materials. Do not use this form for overseas remittance.
- (b) A copy of "Application for Remittance" issued by the bank
- When making overseas remittance at a bank, an "Application for Remittance" will be issued. Submit a copy of it to Meiji University.

# 14. Application ID Card and Note of the Day of Exam

- Once the application is officially accepted, applicants who have submitted all required documents will be issued an applicant ID card with an applicant ID number.
- Application ID cards will be sent about 10 days after the application deadline.
- In case an applicant doesn't receive the application ID card 14 days after the deadline, contact MBS Office.
- Bring the application ID card on the day of the exam.
- Exam instruction enclosed with the application ID card will show the time of the interview.
- In case that an applicant loses the application ID card, he/she can have it re-issued on the day of the exam. Come to the venue 10 minutes earlier than the time of interview.

#### Note: Suspension of Attendance Stipulated by School Health and Safety Act

School Health and Safety Act stipulates that on the day of the exam, if you are infected with and an infectious disease (COVID-19, influenza, measles, chicken pox, etc.) have not healed, as a general rule, you may be advised to refrain from taking the exam so that other applicants or supervisors will not to be infected. Please be careful about physical condition management on the day of the exam. However, this does not apply if the school doctor or other doctor determines that there is no risk of transmission due to the medical condition.

Even if you refrain from taking the exam for the above reasons, we will not take special measures such as additional exams and no refund of screening fees will be made.

#### **15. Exam Result Announcement**

- Date of Exam Result Announcement: 15:00 (JST), 23 July 2024 on the bulletin board in front of the Professional Graduate School Office.
- The notification of acceptance will be mailed **by express service** to all successful applicants. MBS will send it the applicant home address stated on the application documents.
- Applicant ID numbers of successful applicants will be posted on MBS bulletin board and the website below.
  - < The website of MBS (Graduate School of Global Business) > (Jp) <u>https://www.meiji.ac.jp/mbs/</u> (En) https://www.meiji.ac.jp/cip/english/graduate/global/

- Admission decisions are final. We do not accept any inquiries with regard to the results.

- It is the successful applicant's responsibility to inform MBS Office if the documents do not arrive by within 3 days after the permission notice. If the successful applicants don't receive the documents,
- contact MBS Office between 15:00 to 21:00 on 29 July 2024.

# **16. Admission Procedure**

- For further details regarding the admission procedure, please follow the Admission Procedure Guideline.
- Payment of admission fee, tuition fee, and any other relevant fees must be made by 7 August 2024.
- Applicants who are expected to graduate from universities at the time of application must submit original of Certificates of Graduation and Degree and Original of official Academic Transcripts.
- \*1 In case that successful applicants cannot submit original of Certificates of Graduation and Degree and original of Official Academic Transcripts by 7 August 2024, they need to submit a form to extend the deadline. Refer to the details on the document sent with the notification of acceptance.
- \*2 The other designated documents must be submitted. Please prepare following documents in advance.
- \*3 Acceptance to the university may be revoked if any falsified information is found in submitted documents.
- \*4 Additional Information about 'Guarantor'
  - Successful applicants are required to nominate guarantor for their enrollment at Meiji. Please note that the following is the order of priority for guarantors:
    - (i) Parents or relatives residing in Japan
    - (ii) Acquaintance residing in Japan
  - (iii) Parents or relatives residing outside Japan [If (i). or (ii). is not applicable]
  - Guarantors are required to submit a guarantor registration form and Residence Certificate during the admission process. If the guarantor does not reside in Japan, a certificate showing his/her name and mailing address, issued by an official institution, will be necessary.

# **17. Tuition and Fees**

Admission and Other fees for the incoming semester of 2024 (in Japanese Yen)

Subject	Academic Year	2024 (Autumn)	2025 (Spring +Autumn)	2026 (Autumn)
	Admission Fee	200,000	—	
Academic	Tuition Fee	650,000	1,300,000	650,000
Fees	Educational Development Fee	115,000	230,000	115,000
Miscellaneous Fees	Student Health Insurance	3,000	3,000	3,000
Total	(Annual Sum)	968,000	1,533,000	768,000

First Year Enrollment Charges	968,000
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\*1 Admission Fee to be paid by Meiji University Graduates is half the amount (JPY100, 000).

\*2 The Academic Fees are divided into two biannual installments (Spring Semester and Autumn Semester). First Year Enrollment Charges consist of the admission fee, half of the tuition fee, half of the educational development fee and miscellaneous fees.

Payment category	Description of payment	Payment Deadline
Autumn Semester	Admission Fee, 50% of the annual tuition fee	Period of admission
2024	and educational development fee plus Misc. Fee	procedure
Spring Semester 2025	50% of the annual tuition fee and educational development fee plus Misc. Fee	30 April 2025
Autumn Semester 2025	50% of the annual tuition fee and educational development fee	20 October 2025
Spring Semester 2026	50% of the annual tuition fee and educational development fee plus Misc. Fee	30 April 2026

- \*3 After enrollment, an additional charge for certain subjects will be levied. (Subjects related to the teaching profession, social education supervisor, curator, librarian, library teacher, etc.)
- \*4 If you cancel your enrollment after completing the necessary procedure by the designated deadline, all fees excluding the Admission Fee will be refunded.
- \*5 A Consumption Tax will not be imposed on the Academic Fees.
- \*6 Academic Fees are subject to change. For the exact amount of Academic Fees, please refer to the statement sent with the payment form every April.

#### 18. Scholarship

Refer to the university's website below:

(Jp) https://www.meiji.ac.jp/campus/shougaku/index.html

(En) <u>https://www.meiji.ac.jp/cip/english/prospective/financial.html</u>

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