

## (ANNEX TO THE APPLICATION GUIDELINES)

### JAPANESE GOVERNMENT (MEXT) SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2025 (THAILAND)

#### — UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS —

Additional to the Application Guidelines, the details of the selection and some special requirements are set by the Embassy of Japan in Thailand as following. **Please read carefully before submitting the application.**

#### 1. QUALIFICATION

(1) Applicants must have Thai nationality.

(2) Applicants must satisfy any one of the following conditions.

① Applicants who have attained a **cumulative GPA of at least 3.50** on a 4.00 GPA scale at an upper secondary school.

② Applicants who have attained a **cumulative GPA of 3.30-3.49** and have passed Level N1 or N2 of the Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT), or have achieved 200 points or more (excluding ‘Writing’) in Japanese as a Foreign Language subject of the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU). The date of issue of the certificates of language proficiency should be no earlier than two years from the date of application.

#### 2. APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCEDURES IN THAILAND

The Embassy of Japan in Thailand will conduct the First Screening of applicants by means of screening the submitted application documents, written examination and interview. The decision on successful candidates made by the Embassy of Japan is final and the reasons will not be disclosed. Any queries on the final decision will not be entertained.

##### (1) APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

No.	Documents	Amount	Remarks
1	Admission Form	1 original	Submit both parts.
2	<a href="#">Application Form</a>	1 original	
3	Photographs 4.5×3.5 cm., upper body, full-faced, no hat, and taken within six months of submission	3 originals	Write your name and nationality on the back and paste to document No.1 and 2.
4	Academic transcript(s) for all school years of school/university attended	1 original	
5	Certificate of school enrollment	1 original	Must also indicate that applicant will be expected to graduate by March 2025.
6	Certificate of university enrollment	1 original	Only for those who are currently in a university.
7	Certificate of prospective graduation of university attended	1 original	Only for those who are currently in final year of university, expected to graduate by March 2025.

8	Certificate(s) of graduation of school/university attended	1 original	Only for those who graduated. <b>A copy is attested or issued by an authorized official of the school/university, a photocopy is not acceptable.</b>
9	Certificate of English or Japanese language proficiency <u>with score</u>	1 copy	If applicable. (JLPT, TOEFL, IELTS etc.) Not earlier than two years from the date of application

**IMPORTANT NOTES:**

1. **These documents must be written in English or Japanese**, or translation in either of these languages should be attached.
2. Please submit the above list of application documents even though this list is different from the list written in the application guidelines. The Embassy of Japan does **not request to submit Recommendation Letter and Medical Certificate at the time of application**. Applicants will be requested to submit after have passed the first screening.
3. Your application may be rejected if the above application is incomplete, or if some documents are missing.
4. The submitted **documents will not be returned**.
5. Applicants must **circle one** of the examination venues (Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Khon Kaen, Songkhla) **on the Admission Form**.
6. Applicants must submit the above documents **by post** to the Embassy of Japan in Thailand or Consulate-General of Japan in Chiang Mai **by Friday, 24 May 2024**. Hand or messenger delivered documents will not be accepted.
  - 1) For those who are willing to take the written examination in Bangkok, Khon Kaen and Songkhla, please send to this following address:  
  
 MEXT Scholarship Section  
 Japan Information Service  
 Embassy of Japan  
 177 Witthayu Road,  
 Lumpini, Pathum Wan,  
 Bangkok 10330
  - 2) For those who are willing to take the written examination in Chiang Mai, please send to this following address:  
  
 MEXT Scholarship Section  
 Consulate-General of Japan in Chiang Mai  
 Unit 104-107 Airport Business Park,  
 90 Mahidol Road,  
 T. Haiya, A. Muang,  
 Chiang Mai 50100
7. The Embassy of Japan will screen the submitted application documents and announce shortlisted applicants who are eligible for written examination together with the examination venues on the website of the Embassy of Japan in Thailand **on Friday, 14 June 2024**.

## (2) WRITTEN EXAMINATION

Date: Sunday, 23 June 2024

Place: 1) Bangkok  
2) Chiang Mai  
3) Khon Kaen  
4) Songkhla

**Subjects for the written examination and time schedule** (divided by field of study and course):

Time	U1	U2	
	Social Sciences and Humanities A and B	Natural Sciences A	Natural Sciences B and C
08:30 – 10:10	Japanese (A)	Japanese (B)	Japanese (B)
10:25 – 11:25	English (A)	English (B)	English (B)
11:25 – 12:30	BREAK		
12:30 – 13:30	Mathematics (A)	Mathematics (B)	Mathematics (B)
13:45 – 14:45	-	Physics	Biology
15:00 – 16:00	-	Chemistry	Chemistry

(3) **RESULT OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION** will be announced on the website of the Embassy of Japan in Thailand on Tuesday, 16 July 2024.

Only successful candidates will be called for an interview.

## (4) INTERVIEW

The interview will be given in English and/or in Japanese for those who have knowledge of Japanese language.

Date: Wednesday, 24 July 2024 - Thursday, 25 July 2024

Place: Japan Information Service, Embassy of Japan

(5) **RESULT OF INTERVIEW** will be announced on the website of the Embassy of Japan in Thailand on Wednesday, 31 July 2024.

## 3. RECOMMENDATION TO MEXT

The Embassy of Japan in Thailand will recommend **candidates who have passed the First Screening** to MEXT. MEXT will then conduct the Second Screening of the recommended candidates and decide the scholarship grantees.

Therefore, those who pass the First Screening will not necessarily be selected as the MEXT Scholarship grantees.

### MEETING FOR SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

Date: Tuesday, 6 August 2024 (online)

Time: 9:00 – 10:30 hrs.

#### 4. INQUIRIES

- 1) For applicants who are willing to take the written examination in Bangkok, Khon Kaen and Songkhla:

Japan Information Service

Embassy of Japan

Tel: 02-207-8504, 02-696-3004

E-mail: [japanese-scholarship@bg.mofa.go.jp](mailto:japanese-scholarship@bg.mofa.go.jp)

Office Hours: 09.00 - 12.00 / 13.30 - 16.30 (Monday - Friday)

URL: [https://www.th.emb-japan.go.jp/itprtop\\_th/index.html](https://www.th.emb-japan.go.jp/itprtop_th/index.html)

- 2) For applicants who are willing to take the written examination in Chiang Mai:

Consulate-General of Japan in Chiang Mai

Tel: 052-012-500 ext. 190

E-mail: [culture@tm.mofa.go.jp](mailto:culture@tm.mofa.go.jp)

Office Hours: 08.30 - 12.00 / 13.00 - 16.30 (Monday - Friday)

URL: [https://www.chiangmai.th.emb-japan.go.jp/itprtop\\_th/index.html](https://www.chiangmai.th.emb-japan.go.jp/itprtop_th/index.html)