

[Updated on January 12, 2021]

The government declared a state of emergency in Tokyo, Saitama, Chiba, and Kanagawa on January 7. Entrance examinations must be implemented with full-fledged infection-control measures and universities must secure opportunities to take entrance examinations.

University of Tsukuba Graduate School Entrance Examinations (February) will continue as announced in the material below dated December 23, 2020, with measures taken to control infection.

However, there is a possibility of a change to online examinations for some master's or doctoral programs. Please check the Graduate Admissions website from time to time.

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December 23, 2020

University of Tsukuba

**(Important) Method of Implementation of Graduate School Entrance Examinations
(February) for Academic Year 2021**

Considering the novel coronavirus COVID-19 situation, the Graduate School entrance examinations scheduled for January 29 to February 3 will be held at the university's examination venues.

(However, online entrance examinations will be held for examinees for some master's or doctoral programs (*1) and for those permitted to take supplementary examinations (*2).)

For entrance to the university's examination venues, please comply with the [points to note regarding undertaking examinations for prevention of spread of new coronavirus COVID-19 infections](#). In addition please record your daily temperature, etc., for 14 days including the day of the examination, on the [Health Observation Record Table \(For Graduate School Entrance Examinations\)](#), and bring it with you to the examination venue.

If the government declares a state of emergency by the date of the examination, regardless of the above decision there is a possibility of a change to online examinations instead of examinations at the university's examination venues. The schedules for the entrance examinations after the change will be published in the Graduate Admissions website as soon as possible after they are decided.

Note that in cases in which (1) an examinee has displayed symptoms such as fever or coughing during the 14-day health observation period and has not recovered by the date of the examination, (2) an examinee resident overseas is restricted from entering or leaving Japan, or (3) an examinee becomes infected with COVID-19 or is deemed to have come into close contact with an infected person, the examinee will not be permitted to sit the examination at the examination venue. A supplementary online examination will be held, so apply to the office responsible for receiving applications (the destination for submission of application documents). [Supplementary Examination Application Form](#)

(*1) Online entrance examinations will be held for all examinees for the following master's or doctoral programs.

- [Master's Program in International Public Policy](#)
- [Doctoral Program in International Public Policy](#)
- [Master's Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies](#)
- [Doctoral Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies](#)
- [Master's Program in Materials Innovation](#)
- [Doctoral Program in Materials Innovation](#)
- [Master's Program in Policy and Planning Sciences](#)
- [Doctoral Program in Policy and Planning Sciences](#)
- [Master's Program in Service Engineering](#)
- [Master's Program in Intelligent and Mechanical Interaction Systems](#)
- [Doctoral Program in Intelligent and Mechanical Interaction Systems](#)
- [Doctoral Program in Empowerment Informatics](#)
- [Master's Program in Environmental Sciences](#)
- [Doctoral Program in Environmental Studies](#)
- [Master's Program in Art](#)
- [Master's Program in Design](#)
- [Doctoral Program in Design](#)
- [Master's Program in Informatics](#)
- [Doctoral Program in Informatics](#)

(*2) Entrance examinations will be performed online for examinees permitted to take the supplementary examination (including those being processed).