

Entrance Examination Fee Exemption for Applicants for Admission Affected by Natural Disasters

The University of Tokyo has taken the decision to waive the payment of entrance examination fees by applicants affected by natural disasters such as earthquakes, typhoons, floods, etc., to lighten the economic burden and to secure the opportunity of admission for applicants.

Overview of extraordinary measures

1. Entrance examinations subject to fee exemption

- (1) Undergraduate admissions through general screening test (first stage examination), special screening test designed for graduates of foreign high schools, admission process for PEAK program courses, admission of university graduates, transfer admission
- (2) Admissions to graduate schools
- (3) Entrance examination and examination for transfer admission to the second stage program of the Secondary School attached to the Faculty of Education

2. Eligible applicants

Applicants of examinations described in 1 who fall in one of the categories below are eligible to receive exemption.

- (1) Person paying the school expenses of the applicant was affected by a disaster in areas that became subject to the Disaster Relief Act (Act No. 118, 1947) and to whom any one of the following items apply:
 - a. In the case the house owned by the person paying the school expenses of the applicant was fully destroyed, partially destroyed, partially damaged or swept away
 - b. In the case the person paying the school expenses of the applicant has died or is missing
- (2) Applicants whose residences are located in areas designated as areas where residents' return is prohibited for an extended period, areas where residence is restricted and zones in preparation for the suspension of evacuation orders following the accident at the Fukushima No.1 Nuclear Power Plant

3. Application process

Please submit the following three documents:

- (1) Application for Entrance Examination Fee Exemption Form
- (2) Any one of the following proof documents:
 - Applicants in category 2-(1)-a: Risai Shomeisho (Certificate for Afflicted Dwellings) issued by public institutions (copy is acceptable)
 - Applicants in category 2-(1)-b: death certificate or disappearance certificate issued by public institutions (copy is acceptable)
 - Applicants in category 2-(2): Hisai Shomeisho (Disaster Victim Certificate) issued by public institutions (copy is acceptable)

4. Exemption method, notice of determination etc.

Where applications have been received and are judged to be eligible for exemption, entrance examination fees due to be paid will be waived.

5. Schedule

Application period: Please see the attachment.

6. Others

Please note that in cases where any of the required application documents (application for the exemption of entrance examination fee and proof documents) are missing or have flaws in the contents, the application will not be accepted.