



Meiji Gakuin University
Department of Global and Transcultural Studies,
Faculty of International Studies

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2023 AO (Type A) Application Form

Refer to pages 4-12 of the guidelines and write the information requested in the space provided.

- Write in block capital Roman letters, except where you are asked to write in your native language. Do not write in cursive script.
- Write your name below as it appears on your passport.
- Write all dates in this format: yyyy/mm/dd.
 (for example, 2004/09/01 for September 1, 2004)

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here.**

Refer to page 6
of the guidelines

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| Check (✓) the box for the application period you have chosen. | <input type="checkbox"/> April admission <input type="checkbox"/> September admission, 1st application period <input type="checkbox"/> September admission, 2nd application period | | |
| Surname (family name) in the alphabet | | | |
| Personal name(s) in the alphabet | | | |
| Full name in your native language (Japanese, Chinese, Korean, etc.) | | | |
| Birth date | Year: | Month: | Day: |
| Sex (✓) | <input type="checkbox"/> Male | | <input type="checkbox"/> Female |
| Nationality (include all) | | | |
| Current address (in English) | Postal code (zip code): _____ | | |
| Mailing address (in English) <small>• For successful applicants, the letter of acceptance and the guide to enrollment procedures will be mailed to this address. • Write "as above" if this is the same as your current address.</small> | Postal code (zip code): _____ | | |
| Telephone number | Country code () - | | |
| Email address | | | |
| If you plan to apply for any other universities, please list their names with faculty/department. | | | |

(1) Online Interview

- Applicants who pass Stage One will proceed to Stage Two, the online interview.
- Check (✓) your preferred interview time from the choices below. Check as many boxes as possible and at least two.
- We will conduct an interview of about 30 minutes within one of the time frames you choose.

● April admission

● September admission, 1st application period

| Date | Time (Japan Time) | |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Oct. 22, 2022 (Sat.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 10:00~13:00 | <input type="checkbox"/> 13:00~16:00 |
| Oct. 23, 2022 (Sun.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 10:00~13:00 | <input type="checkbox"/> 13:00~16:00 |

● September admission, 2nd application period

| Date | Time (Japan Time) | |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Apr. 15, 2023 (Sat.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 10:00~13:00 | <input type="checkbox"/> 13:00~16:00 |
| Apr. 16, 2023 (Sun.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 10:00~13:00 | <input type="checkbox"/> 13:00~16:00 |

| Important Notes (Check the box on the right.) | |
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| In order to conduct the examinations properly and fairly, Meiji Gakuin University may record the interview using the recording function of Zoom. The recorded video and audio will not be used for any purpose other than for the purpose of administering the interview and determining pass/fail. It is prohibited for applicants to record the content of the interview. Applicants must show they agree to the above by checking (✓) the box on the right. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

(2) Requirements for Application

- Check (✓) the boxes and complete the required information.

| Requirements for Application No.1 (see page4 of the guidelines) | |
|---|--------------------------|
| You meet requirement No.1-(1) < Graduated from upper secondary schools or secondary education schools in Japan > | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| You meet requirement No.1-(2) < Completed the twelfth year of formal school education in a foreign country > | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| You meet requirement No.1-(3) < Attained an educational ability equal or superior to high-school graduates > — If so, which one(s) from A to J? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| When you met or expect to meet the above requirement | |
|---|--------------------------|
| You have met the requirement within the last year. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| You have met the requirement one year or more ago. — If so, when? Year: _____ Month: _____ Date: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| You expect to meet the requirement. — If so, when? Year: _____ Month: _____ Date: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |

(3) Educational Background

- List all schools or other educational institutions you have attended.
- Start with primary education (elementary school) and end with the last school or institution you have attended.
- Use only English letters for non-English names.

| No. | Name of school | Location (town or city) | Location (country) | Starting date | Ending or graduation date |
|-----|----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
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- Provide your GPA or class rank for your last year of high school or most recently completed course of academic instruction. If none, please write "N/A".

| GPA | Scale (e.g. 1-4, 1-10, etc.) | Class rank | Class size |
|-----|------------------------------|------------|------------|
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- If you have been out of school for over a year at the time of application, please provide general information about what you have been doing in the meantime in this table, and discuss these activities in your Personal Statement.

| No. | Activity | Location (town or city) | Location (country) | Starting date | Ending date |
|-----|----------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------|-------------|
| 1 | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |

(4) Language Ability

- List all the languages that you know, beginning with English, and assess your ability at speaking, listening, reading and writing on a scale of 1–5 (1=very limited ability, 2=poor, 3=fair, 4=good, 5=fluent).
- Write the total of the four numbers in the column on the right.

| Name of language | Speaking | Listening | Reading | Writing | TOTAL |
|------------------|----------|-----------|---------|---------|-------|
| 1) English | | | | | |
| 2) | | | | | |
| 3) | | | | | |
| 4) | | | | | |

● English Ability

| Familiarity with English | Check (✓) |
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| English is your primary language. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| English is the main language that you now use. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

For Applicants whose primary language **is** English

- Write the results of university entrance qualification examination or standardized tests administered for an education system in which the first language is English in table 5 (“Examination Results”) on page 6.
- Completion of the results of the following English-language examinations is optional. If you write the results, you have to submit the certificate (see page 9 of the guidelines).

For Applicants whose primary language **is not** English

- You have to submit the certificate from one of the following English-language examinations (see pages 5 and 9 of the guidelines).
- Write the results in the table below and check (✓) the box.

| Name of Examination | Date | Score | ✓ |
|--|------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| TOEFL iBT® TOEFL iBT® Home Edition | | Test Date Score | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| IELTS (Academic Module) | | Overall Band Score | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| TOEIC® (L&R + S&W) (The score is obtained by adding 2.5 times the S&W score to the L&R score. The L&R and S&W test dates may be different.) | L&R | L&R | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | S&W | S&W (2.5times score) | |

● Japanese Ability

- Do you know any Japanese? Please indicate how you learned the language by checking (✓) the boxes on the right for all statements that are correct.

| How to learning Japanese | Check (✓) |
|---|--|
| You learned Japanese from your family. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| You lived in Japan. — If so, how many years? _____ years. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| You were educated in schools where Japanese was the language of instruction. — If so, how many years? _____ years. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

- If you have studied Japanese as a foreign language, when, where, and for how long have you studied it?

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- If you have ever taken an examination in Japanese language proficiency, give details below.
- If you write the results, you have to submit the certificate (see page 11 of the guidelines).

| Name of examination | Place | Date | Score |
|---------------------|-------|------|-------|
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● Other language Ability

- If you have ever taken an examination of ability in a foreign language other than Japanese or English, please give details below.
- If you write the results, you have to submit the certificate (see page 11 of the guidelines).

| Name of examination | Place | Date | Score |
|---------------------|-------|------|-------|
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(5) Examination Results

For Applicants whose primary language **is** English

- You have to submit the results of university entrance qualification examination or standardized tests administered for an education system in which the first language is English.
- Write the results in the table below and check (✓) the box.

For Applicants whose primary language **is not** English

- Completion of the following examination results is optional. If you write the score/grade, you have to submit the certificate (see page 10 of the guidelines).

| Name of examination | Date | Score(s) / Grade(s) | ✓ |
|------------------------|------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| SAT I Reasoning Test * | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| SAT II Subject Tests * | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ACT * | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Advanced level GCE * | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| IB Full Diploma * | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Baccalauréat | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Abitur | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other () | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Items marked with *: University entrance qualification examination or standardized test administered for an education system in which the first language is English

(6) Awards, Prizes, Activities

- List awards or prizes, school or club activities, varsity sports and other kinds of extracurricular activities. If you list any of them, please provide photocopies of any certificates (see page 11 of the guidelines).

| Date | Kind of activity | Short explanation |
|------|------------------|-------------------|
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(7) Paid or Unpaid (volunteer) Jobs

- List up to three paid or unpaid (volunteer) jobs that you have done while you were in school, and explain briefly about what you did. If you list any jobs, please provide photocopies of any documents issued in connection with the stated activity (see page 12 of the guidelines).

| Example (1) | | |
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| Type of job | Starting date | End date |
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| Explanation | | |
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| Example (2) | | |
|-------------|---------------|----------|
| | | |
| Type of job | Starting date | End date |
| | | |
| Explanation | | |
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| Example (3) | | |
|-------------|---------------|----------|
| | | |
| Type of job | Starting date | End date |
| | | |
| Explanation | | |
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(8) Sign and Date

Sign and date the following statement.

I certify that all information in this application is true and correct.

I wrote the personal statement myself.

I understand that my application will not be considered complete until all required materials have been received by Meiji Gakuin University.

Date: _____ Applicant's signature: _____

Application Check Sheet, AO (Type A)

Name _____

Please check (✓) or fill in the bolded box.

| No. | Application Documents | Required or Optional | Ref (Guidelines Page No.) | ✓ | Information to the University |
|-----|---|----------------------|---------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Application Form with Two Photographs | Required | 6 | | |
| 2 | Certificate Showing High School Graduation or Expected Graduation | Required | 7 | | |
| 3 | Academic Record (Transcript) | Required | 8 | | |
| 4 | English Test Results or Other Proof of English Ability • Please write the name of the qualification or test in the right column. | Required | 9 | | |
| 5 | Educational Certification • Applicants who meet requirements for application by holding qualification for foreign university admission have to submit the document. • If you submit the document, please write the name of your qualification in the right column. • If you ask for your certificate to be sent directly to the University, please indicate the date of procedure in the right column. | Required for some | 10 | | |
| 6 | Personal Statement | Required | 10 | | |
| 7 | Two Letters of Recommendation & Evaluation Form | Required | 11 | | |
| 8 | Test Results for Languages other than English • If you submit such documents, please write the name(s) of the examination(s) in the right column. | Optional | 11 | | |
| 9 | Documentation of Awards, Prizes, Activities | Optional | 11 | | |
| 10 | Documentation of Paid or Unpaid (volunteer) jobs | Optional | 12 | | |
| 11 | Passport copy | Required | 12 | | |
| 12 | Receipt for the Application Fee | Required | 12 | | |
| 13 | Application Check Sheet (this form) | Required | 12 | | |

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| NOTICE | ✓ |
| The application documents must be submitted in order from the first to the last and held together by a paperclip. | |
| On the same day you mail your application, you have to email the necessary information to the Admissions Center (see page 15 of the guidelines). | |