

**Spring 2027 Call for Applications and Selection Guidelines for University-Wide Exchange Program Nominees
(Australia, South Africa, South Korea, and Brazil)**

Dated April 15, 2026

- About the Student Exchange Program:
 “The Student Exchange Program” refers to studying at a partner university under inter-university or departmental agreements, under which tuition fees are mutually waived (although in a few cases tuition fees may be required). Applicants for exchange programs will first be screened and selected as outbound nominees within Nagoya University, after which they will apply to the host partner universities. The final decision on acceptance is made by the host university, not by Nagoya University.
 Students wishing to apply for exchange programs at universities with university-wide agreements **must be sure to receive an individual consultation at the Study Abroad Office before submitting an application.** For exchange programs at universities with departmental agreements, please contact your affiliated faculty or graduate school.

Type of Exchange Programs	Overview
Undergraduate/Graduate Courses (English)	<p>Student take courses offered for local students at the host university in English. It is preferable that the courses be in the student’s field of specialization at Nagoya University, but courses in related fields are also acceptable.</p> <p>① To acquire specialized (major-related) knowledge, students focus on a specific faculty or field and take courses in that area.</p> <p>② To gain broad knowledge, students take courses from a variety of fields related to their major, based on their own interests.</p>
Local Language Study + Undergraduate/Graduate Courses (Local language or English)	<p>In the first semester, students will take an intensive local-language course while also enrolling in specialized courses offered to local students and taught in the local language or English. In the second semester, as a general rule, students will take specialized courses offered to local students and taught in the local language or English.</p> <p>① First semester: Local language study + undergraduate/graduate-level courses (local language/English); Second semester: undergraduate/graduate-level courses</p> <p>② First and second semesters: undergraduate/graduate-level courses (local language/English)</p>

- Length of study: From February/March 2027 to November/December 2027 (one full academic year), or from February/March 2027 to June/July 2027 (one semester). [For South Africa, departure is scheduled for late January]
 Please refer to each partner university’s website for details of the academic calendar.
- Number of exchange students: This varies depending on past student exchange arrangements with each university, but is generally about one to three students per university.
- Host countries: For information on host countries and universities, as well as academic performance and language requirements for application, please refer to the “List for Destinations” on the Study Abroad Office website.
 Please note that the content of this list is subject to change and updates.
- Costs Exempted or Provided for Exchange Students:
 - Tuition fees at the host university are waived. However, at a few universities, students may be required to pay fees other than tuition (for details, please contact the Study Abroad Office).
 During the study-abroad period, students are required to continue paying tuition to Nagoya University.
 - Based on the selection results, students with outstanding academic performance may be eligible to receive scholarships from the Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) Scholarship, as well as the Nagoya University Study-Abroad Award (which provides partial support for travel expenses).
- Eligibility:
 - Applicants must be students enrolled in an undergraduate faculty or graduate school at Nagoya University from the time of application through the end of the study-abroad period, and must be expected to graduate or complete their program at Nagoya University after returning from study abroad.
 (Note: Fourth-year undergraduate students graduating in March 2027 are not eligible to apply. Students who have not completed at least one semester and have not yet received grades are not eligible to apply.)
 - Applicants must have strong academic performance, excellent character, and a firm commitment to studying abroad.
 - Applicants must meet the academic and language proficiency requirements specified by the host university.
 (For language proficiency, applicants must hold valid test scores within the designated validity period of each examination.)
 - Applicants must have completed an individual consultation with a faculty member in charge at the Study Abroad Office.
 (Applications from students who have not completed this consultation will not be allowed to apply.)
 - Applicants must not be Japanese government-funded international students at Nagoya University.
 - Attendance at all designated orientations is mandatory. No rescheduling will be permitted.

- How to apply and deadline:
 Application period: From Wednesday, April 15, 2026, to Monday, June 8, 2026, by 12:00 noon (strictly enforced).
 Applicants must complete online registration and upload all required documents via the application form at the following URL:
<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/rWe3pgBc7q>

■ Selection schedule:

- Application Deadline: Monday, June 8, 2026, by 12:00 noon (strictly enforced)
- Announcement of First-Round (Document Screening) Results: Friday, June 12, 2026, at 12:00 noon
Posted at the entrance of the Study Abroad Office
- Second-Round Interviews: Tuesday, June 23 - Thursday, June 25, 2026
Details will be announced at the time of the first-round results.
Interviews will be conducted in person. Remote interviews (e.g., via Zoom) will not be offered.
- Announcement of Second-Round (Interview) Results: Monday, June 29, 2026, at 12:00 noon
Posted at the entrance of the Study Abroad Office
- First Orientation Session: Wednesday, July 8, 2026, 16:30-19:00
International Building, Room 201
Overview of next steps, application procedures, and housing arrangements
- Pre-Departure Preparation Course: Wednesday, October 7, 2026, 16:30-18:00
All-University Education Building (Main Building), Room S30
Exchange Program Report Session
- Second Orientation Session: Wednesday, October 21, 2026, 16:30-18:00
International Building, Room 201
Airline tickets and overseas travel insurance
- Final Orientation Session: Wednesday, January 20, 2027, 16:30-19:00
All-University Education Building (Main Building), Room S30
Safety and crisis management and cross-cultural adaptation

■ Contact Information

- (1) Inquiries Regarding Student Exchange Programs in General (Individual consultations, host universities, and study-abroad program types)
Global Engagement Center - Study Abroad Office
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- (2) Inquiries Regarding Exchange Program Scholarships and Administrative Matters
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