

Foreign Student Special Admissions Program

Graduate School of Life Studies

Master's Program in Food and Nutrition

Number of Students Admitted

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>NUMBER OF STUDENTS</u>
Master's in Food and Nutrition	6 (grand total for all categories of admission)

Schedule

- Successful candidates in the 1st round of foreign-student admissions can begin the program in either September 2017 or April 2018.
- Successful candidates in the 2nd round of foreign-student admissions can begin the program in either April 2018 or September 2018.
- The standard term of study is two years, but this can be extended to three in certain cases. (Those preferring the three-year option must receive prior approval from the School.)

Application Requirements

Notes: 1) Those intending to submit applications for the Master's Program in Food and Nutrition must consult beforehand with their preferred advisor-instructor. Inquire to the Sugiyama Admissions Office (toll-free 0120-244-887) to confirm the details no later than one week before the start of the application period.

2) Those applying under the Foreign Student Special Admissions Program must have their applications evaluated to determine whether they meet all of the requirements for application. Be sure to submit the necessary documents to the Sugiyama Admissions Office by the specified deadline.

- An applicant must be a female without Japanese citizenship who is qualified to obtain a "foreign student" visa in accordance with the provisions of the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act of Japan, and who is one of the following:

1. a university graduate (or expected to graduate prior to the admission of the graduate school).
2. the holder of a Bachelor's degree
3. one who has completed a minimum of 16 years of formal education in a foreign country
4. one who has been selected by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology in accordance with Article 155, Paragraph 1, Item 6 of the Enforcement Regulations for the School Education Law (Ministry of Education Ordinance 11, 1947)
5. one who is 22 years of age, and determined by the Graduate School Committee to have academic ability equivalent to that of a Japanese university graduate (determination thereof based on the Committee's individual evaluation of the applicant's qualifications)
6. one who has been determined via means other than those in (5) by the Graduate School Committee to have academic ability equivalent to that of a Japanese university graduate

Selection Process

Selection will be based on the combined results of a written test and an interview, as well as an evaluation of the content of the necessary forms submitted by the applicant.

<u>CHOICES OF SUBJECT</u>		<u>POINT ALLOTMENT</u>
written test*	(select <u>2</u> when applying) Food Safety Science, Functional Food Science, Biochemistry, Fundamentals of Nutrition, Clinical Nutrition, Public Hygiene, Nutrition Education	200 pts
interview	(-----)	100 pts
TOTAL		300 pts

*** Applicants should consult in advance with their preferred advisor-instructor regarding the choices of test subjects.**

★ NB: Japanese is the sole language used in the selection process.

Graduate School of Life Studies

Master's Program in Human Environment

Number of Students Admitted

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>NUMBER OF STUDENTS</u>
Master's in Human Environment	6 (grand total for all categories of admission)

Schedule

- Successful candidates in the 1st round of foreign-student admissions can begin the program either in September 2017 or April 2018.
- Successful candidates in the 2nd round of foreign-student admissions can begin the program either in April 2018 or September 2018.

Application Requirements

Notes: 1) Those intending to submit applications for the Master's Program in Human Environment must consult beforehand with their preferred advisor-instructor. Inquire to the Sugiyama Admissions Office (toll free 0120-244-887) to confirm the details no later than one week before the start of the application period.

2) Those applying under the Foreign Student Special Admissions Program must have their applications evaluated to determine whether they meet all of the qualifications for application. Be sure to submit the necessary documents to the Sugiyama Admissions Office by the specified deadline.

- An applicant must be a female without Japanese citizenship who is qualified to obtain a "foreign student" visa in accordance with the provisions of the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act of Japan, and who is one of the following:
 1. a university graduate (or expected to graduate prior to the admission of the graduate school).
 2. the holder of a Bachelor's degree
 3. one who has completed a minimum of 16 years of formal education in a foreign country

4. one who has been selected by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology in accordance with Article 155, Paragraph 1, Item 6 of the Enforcement Regulations for the School Education Law (Ministry of Education Ordinance 11, 1947)
5. one who is 22 years of age, and determined by the Graduate School Committee to have academic ability equivalent to that of a Japanese university graduate (determination thereof based on the Committee's individual evaluation of the applicant's qualifications)
6. one who has been determined via means other than those in (5) by the Graduate School Committee to have academic ability equivalent to that of a Japanese university graduate

Selection Process

Selection will be based on the combined results of a written test and an interview, as well as an evaluation of the content of the necessary forms submitted by the applicant.

<u>CHOICES OF SUBJECT</u>		<u>POINT ALLOTMENT</u>
written test*	(select 2 when applying) Structure of Textiles and Clothing, Textile Materials, Processing and Finishing in Textile Dyeing, Textile Design, Architectural Planning, Architectural Environmental Engineering, Housing Design, Regional Planning, Structural Mechanics, Interior Planning, Product Planning, Environmental Psychology	200 pts
interview	(-----)	100 pts
TOTAL		300 pts

***Applicants should consult in advance with their preferred advisor-instructor regarding the choices of test subjects.**

★ NB: Japanese is the sole language used in the selection process.

Graduate School of Life Studies Doctoral Program in Life Studies

Number of Students Admitted

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>NUMBER OF STUDENTS</u>
Doctorate in Life Studies	3 (grand total for all categories of admission)

Schedule

- Successful candidates in the 1st round of admissions can begin the program in either September 2017 or April 2018.
- Successful candidates in the 2nd round of admissions can begin the program in either April 2018 or September 2018.

Application Requirements

Notes: 1) Those intending to submit applications for the Doctoral Program in Life Studies must consult beforehand with their preferred advisor-instructor. Inquire to the Sugiyama Admissions Office (toll-free 0120-244-887) to confirm the details no later than one week before the start of the application period.

2) Those applying under the Foreign Student Special Admissions Program must have their applications evaluated to determine whether they meet all of the requirements for application. Be sure to submit the necessary documents to the Sugiyama Admissions Office by the specified deadline.

- An applicant must be a female without Japanese citizenship who is qualified to obtain a “foreign student” visa in accordance with provisions of the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act of Japan, and who is one of the following:
 1. a holder of a Master’s degree, or scheduled to complete a Master’s program before entering the Graduate School of Life Sciences
 2. a holder of a foreign equivalent of a Japanese Master’s degree
 3. one who has been determined by the Graduate School Committee to have academic ability equivalent to that of a Japanese Master’s degree holder

Selection Process

Selection will be based on the combined results of a written test and an interview, as well as an evaluation of the content of the necessary forms submitted by the applicant.

<u>CHOICES OF SUBJECT</u>		<u>POINT ALLOTMENT</u>
written test*	(select <u>1</u> when applying) Nutrition and Health Science, Environmental Materials Systems, Biochemistry, Nutritional Science, Living Environment Science, Clinical Nutrition, Environmental Balance Systems	200 pts
interview	(-----)	100 pts
TOTAL		300 pts

*** Applicants should consult in advance with their preferred advisor-instructor regarding the choices of test subjects.**

Notes:

- 1) An applicant must inform the Graduate School of her research-topic field in advance, at the time she makes application to the School. The field may not be changed once the choice is made.
- 2) The interview will focus on the contents of the applicant’s research papers and Master’s thesis, as well as questions related to her choice of research topic for her Doctoral program.
- 3) In the case of those applying under the Foreign Student Special Admissions Program, evaluation of Japanese language proficiency may be conducted upon admission to the School.