

International Student Orientation and Registration Program for Spring 2026

2026/2/24

*University wide events are highlighted in Green.

*For internal students (undergraduate → master's program, master's → doctoral program), attendance at the orientation is not mandatory. However, please complete the International Student Registration by the deadline.

Application is required.
 • Japanese Language Placement Test: Friday, March 27.
 • Application deadline: **Noon on Sunday, March 22 (Japan Standard Time)**
 Follow the instructions in an email regarding Japanese Language courses sent by the Educational Affairs Division or your graduate school office.

■ Activities *Activities not marked "(Online)" will be conducted face-to-face ○Mandatory for all ★Mandatory if applicable ○Optional for those who are interested ×Do not attend -Not applicable

Date	Activities	Time	Non-degree-seeking			Degree-seeking		Remarks	
			Undergraduate exchange students	Postgraduate exchange students	Research students	Undergraduate students	Postgraduate students		
Mar. 22 Sun	Application Deadline for Japanese Language Placement Test	Noon (JST)	★	★	★	×	★	Mandatory for those who wish to take Japanese Language Education Program courses. For application procedures, please follow the instructions in an email regarding Japanese Language courses sent by the Educational Affairs Division or your graduate school office. If you've missed the application deadline, you cannot take the placement test and cannot take Japanese Language Education Program courses. [FAQ]	
Mar. 25 Wed	Residence Hall Move-in Day	10:00 - 17:00	★	★	★	★	★	Kodaira Residence Hall residents only	
Mar. 26 Thur	Residence Hall Guidance for New Residents	p.m. (TBA)	★	★	★	★	★	Kodaira Residence Hall residents only	
Mar. 27 Fri	Japanese Language Placement Test	10:00 - 12:30	★	★	★	×	★	Mandatory for those who wish to take Japanese Language Education Program courses. For application procedures, please follow the instructions in an email regarding Japanese Language courses sent by the Educational Affairs Division or your graduate school office. If you've missed the application deadline, you cannot take the placement test and cannot take Japanese Language Education Program courses. [FAQ]	
Mar. 28 Sat Mar. 29 Sun	Activities Fair	TBA	It is organised by students. Feel free to join if you are interested.						URL will be added later.
Mar. 30 Mon	International Student Orientation and Registration Program Overview	11:30 - 12:15	○	○	○	×	○	Students who cannot attend due to unavoidable circumstances must check the materials to be posted on the website below. https://international.hit-u.ac.jp/pros/orientation/	
	Information Session for the Personal Accident Insurance and Liability Insurance	12:15 - 12:45	○	○	○	○	○	It is mandatory for all exchange students to take out Personal Accident Insurance and Liability Insurance.	
	Course Registration Procedure Explanation	14:15 - 15:45	○	○	○	×	×	This session is conducted in English, but questions in Japanese are accepted. Students who cannot attend due to unavoidable circumstances must check the materials to be posted on the website below. https://international.hit-u.ac.jp/pros/orientation/	
	HGP Information Session	15:45 - 16:15	○	○	○	○	○	This session is conducted in English, but questions in Japanese are accepted. Students who cannot attend due to unavoidable circumstances must check the materials to be posted on the website below. https://international.hit-u.ac.jp/courses/hgp/orientation-materials/	
Mar. 31 Tue	[Exchange students] Medical Check-up	M 9:00 - 10:00 F 10:15 - 11:30	○	○	×	×	×		
	Orientation for Japanese Language Educational Program	13:30 - 15:30	★	★	★	×	★	Mandatory for those who plan to take Japanese Language Education Program courses. They must take the Japanese Language Placement Test on March 27 in advance.	
	Information Session for Career Exploration Programs for Exchange Students	15:40 - 16:00	○	○	○	○	○	Introduction of HIP (Hitotsubashi Internship Program) and HOP (Hidden Opportunity Pursuit)	
	Pre-registration for "Explore Japan" (HGP Course)	16:15 - 17:00	★	×	×	×	×	Mandatory for those who wish to take "Explore Japan". It is also necessary to attend HGP Information Session on March 30 in advance. This session is conducted in English, but questions in Japanese are accepted.	
Apr. 1 Wed	Information Session for Maintaining Student Visa Status / Student Life Orientation	10:30 - 11:30	○	○	○	○	○		
	Introduction of Language Community / Recruiting Volunteers for Study Abroad Fair for HU students	11:30 - 11:55	○	○	○	○	○	Language Community	
	Introduction of Local International Exchange Community	11:55 - 12:15	○	○	○	○	○		
	Academic Advising Session (Q&A Session about course selection)	13:30 - 14:30	★	★	×	×	×	Undergraduate exchange students and MEXT Japanese Studies students who are planning to take a seminar offered by faculties must participate in this session. Questions about HGP and Japanese language courses are also acceptable.	
Apr. 2 Thur	[Degree-seeking Postgraduate students] Medical Check-up	M 9:00 - 10:15 F 10:30 - 11:30	×	×	×	×	○		
	[Research students] Medical Check-up	F 13:00 - 14:15 M 14:30 - 15:30	×	×	○	×	×		
Apr. 3 Fri	[Degree-seeking Undergraduate students] Medical Check-up	M 9:00 - 13:50 F 14:00 - 15:30	×	×	×	○	×	Refer to the admission procedure guide for the reception hours for each class.	
Apr. 3 Fri	[Undergraduate] 1st online lottery	Apr. 3 (9 a.m.)	○	×	×	○	×	https://cels.hit-u.ac.jp/campusweb/	
Apr. 4 Sat	Spring-Summer semester, Spring quarter, Summer quarter, Summer intensive	Apr. 4 (5 p.m.)	○	★	★	○	★	https://cels.hit-u.ac.jp/campusweb/	
Apr. 6 Mon	[Undergraduate & Postgraduate] 2nd online lottery	Apr. 6 (5 p.m.)	○	★	★	○	★	https://cels.hit-u.ac.jp/campusweb/	
Apr. 7 Tue	Spring-Summer semester, Spring quarter, Summer quarter, Summer intensive	Apr. 7 (1 p.m.)	○	○	○	○	○	https://cels.hit-u.ac.jp/campusweb/	
Apr. 8 Wed	[Undergraduate & Postgraduate] Course registration period		○	○	○	○	○	https://cels.hit-u.ac.jp/campusweb/	
Apr. 15 Wed	Spring-Summer semester, Spring quarter, Summer quarter, Summer intensive		○	○	○	○	○	https://cels.hit-u.ac.jp/campusweb/	
Apr. 9 Thur	[Undergraduate & Postgraduate] Spring-Summer semester classes start		○	○	○	○	○		
Apr. 22 Wed	[Undergraduate & Postgraduate] Course withdrawal period		○	○	○	○	○	https://cels.hit-u.ac.jp/campusweb/	
Apr. 28 Tue	Spring-Summer semester, Spring quarter, Summer quarter, Summer intensive		○	○	○	○	○		
Apr. 1 Wed Apr. 30 Thur	International Student Registration		○	○	○	○	○	Online registration form	

■ Material

Link	Activities	Delivery	Non-degree-seeking			Degree-seeking		Remarks
			Undergraduate exchange students	Postgraduate exchange students	Research students	Undergraduate students	Postgraduate students	
Click here	Introduction of University (Welcome to Hitotsubashi University)	On-demand delivery	○	○	○	○	○	
	Kodaira Residence Hall Guidance for New Residents	Offered individually	★	★	★	★	★	For Kodaira Residence Hall residents who have missed "Kodaira Residence Hall Guidance for New Residents" on March 26.
	MEXT Scholarship Information for MEXT Scholars	E-mail	-	-	★	★	★	
Click here	Scholarship Information (All sorts of foundations, honors scholarships)	Website	-	-	○	○	○	
	JASSO Scholarship Information for exchange students	E-mail	★	★	-	-	-	
Click here	Manual for WEB Lotteries	Website	○	○	○	-	○	
Click here	CELS Online Course Registration Operation Overview	Website	○	○	○	-	○	
Click here	Course Withdrawal System	Website	○	○	○	-	○	
Click here	IT Environment User Guide	Website	○	○	○	○	○	
Click here	International Students' Library Guide	Website	○	○	○	○	○	