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FACT SHEET

Information for student exchange (2019-2020)

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General Information		
Location	Chiba University's four campuses, Nishi-Chiba, Inohana, Matsudo and Kashiwanoha are all located in Chiba Prefecture. The main campus at Nishi-Chiba can be reached by train in one hour from Tokyo, and is about 45 minutes by car from Narita International Airport.	
Number of students	14,169 students	
Number of faculties & graduate schools	10 faculties and 13 graduate schools	
Introducing video	http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/e/about/video/index.html	
Academic calendar	http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/international/isd/english/access/calendar.html	
	Term 1 (First half of Spring semester)	From early April to early June
	Term 2 (Second half of Spring semester)	From the middle June to early August
	Term 4 (First half of Fall semester)	From October 1st to late November
	Term 5 (Second half of Fall semester)	From December to early February

Student Exchange Program

How to apply	There are two ways to apply for Chiba University student exchange; "J-PAC" and "Faculty direct acceptance". If students would like to apply for J-PAC, please follow the J-PAC outline. If your students wish to study their majors such as engineering or horticulture rather than studying Japanese culture or society, please contact the office of a desired faculty.
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J-PAC (Japan Program at Chiba)

Program	J-PAC has two undergraduate programs.	
	International Liberal Arts Program	This program is for students with any specialty who are interested in Japanese culture and society and have started Japanese language learning.
	Japanese Studies Program	This program is designed for international students who specialize in Japanese Studies at their universities, and who wish to study about Japan in the Japanese language.
Study period	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full academic year: October to August next year 2. Fall semester only: October to February next year 3. Spring semester only: April to August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ※ Due to the Tokyo Olympic Games, Spring semester may ends in July 2020. 	
Outlines & required documents	http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/global/sai/01_J-PAC_Outline_2019-2020.pdf	
Language requirements	Either 1 or 2 is required. Refer to the J-PAC Outline. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sufficient level of English (CEFR B2 or higher) + Japanese language learning experience at least for 50 hours 2. Sufficient level of Japanese (JLPT N2 or higher) 	
Deadline	http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/global/sai/00-1_J-PAC_Deadline_2019-2020.pdf	
	Nomination	For the program beginning in October: March 1st For the program beginning in April: September 1st
	Application	For the program beginning in October: March 15th For the program beginning in April: September 15th
Nomination Sheet	http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/global/sai/00-2_J-PAC_NominationSheet_2019-2020.xlsx	
Application Forms	http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/global/sai/02_J-PAC_ApplicationForms_2019-2020.docx	
Course	General Education	Course Descriptions http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/global/sai/03_J-PAC_CourseDescriptions_2019-2020.pdf
	Japanese Language Course by CIE	Center for International Education (CIE) offers an array of Japanese language courses in order to cater for all types of international students. https://jlcr.chiba-u.jp/
	Specialized Courses	A wide range of courses, such as courses which deepen understanding of Japanese culture and society or courses which interest students in advanced science, are offered at Chiba University. J-PAC students may enroll in any specialized courses with the teacher's permission.
Minimum courses & credits per semester	J-PAC students must attend at least 6 classes per week and acquire at least 10 credits in each semester.	
Faculties that are not open to J-PAC students	School of Medicine, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences and School of Nursing are not open to J-PAC students.	
Airport pick-up	No	

Faculty direct acceptance	
Requirements & deadlines	Requirements and deadlines vary from faculties and graduate schools. Please contact the desired faculty or graduate school directly.
Contact	http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/e/education/undergraduate/index.html http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/e/education/graduate/index.html
Course information	
Website for course syllabus	Exchange students may enroll in the following regular courses with the teacher's permission. http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/e/course-program/index.html
Japanese Language Course by CIE	Center for International Education (CIE) offers an array of Japanese language courses in order to cater for all types of international students. https://jicr.chiba-u.jp/
Costs and Insurance	
Accommodation	Off-campus housing will be provided for exchange students from partner universities in most cases. http://www.chiba-u.ac.jp/international/isd/english/life/housing.html
Dormitory fee (International House, Off-campus dormitory)	Monthly rent: ¥19,000 One-time payment : ¥15,000 (The amount is subject to change.)
Living costs	It costs around ¥80,000 per month for meals, electricity, phone bills and dormitory. Students will also need to pay for textbooks, leisure and other activities. It may be different depending on individual's lifestyle.
Insurance	1. National Health Insurance (about ¥20,000/year) 2. Accident Insurance policies (about ¥1,500/year) are compulsory. The amount is subject to change.
Others	
Useful website for exchange students	http://cie.chiba-u.ac.jp/index-e.html http://www.chiba-u.jp/international/isd/english/index.html