



Application Guide for Sendai Language School Japanese Course



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Sendai Language School Japanese Course

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1. Eligibility requirements:

Completion of 12 years of formal school education in your country (equivalent to high school graduate based on Japanese educational system). In addition, the applicants should be able to certify that there is a person who bears the school and living expenses during his/her stay in Japan.

Admission	April College preparatory 24 months	July College preparatory 21 months	October College preparatory 18 months	January College preparatory 15 months (General 24 months)
Capacity	120	120	120	120
Application deadline	Mid November of the previous year	Mid-March	Mid-May	Mid-September
Immigration deadline	Mid December of the previous year	Mid-April	Mid-June	Mid-October
COE result	End of February	End of May	End of August	End of November

2. Application schedule and admission capacity

*The calendar may vary due to circumstances.

3. Tuition fee

First payment A (10% sales tax included)

Schedule	Application fee	Admission fee	Tuition fee	Facility fee	Textbook fee	Accident insurance	Total
First year fee (before admission	22,000	66,000	660,000	22,000	33,000	12,000	815,000

*Additionally, health check (2,000yen) and activity fee (5,000 yen) are required.

*Six months dormitory fee is also required in advance.

(Please see the other page for information about the dormitory fee)

Second payment

*The failure to pay tuition and fees will result pending visa extension

Currency: YEN April course (6 months) Second year (first half) 330,000 11,000 16,500 6,000 363,500 July course (6 months) В October course (6 months) (approximately 10th month) 165,000 5,500 8,250 3,000 181,750 January course (3 months) Second year (latter half) April course (6 months) 330,000 11,000 16,500 6,000 363,500 С 165,000 5,500 8,250 3,000 181,750 July course (3 months) (approximately 16th month)

*Additionally, activity fee (3,000 yen/six months, 1,500 yen/three months) are required.

*Please contact us for information about January 24 months general course.

*The total fees for each courses (A+B+C+additional fees)

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April	1,555,000	July	1,371,750	October	1,188,500	Janu ary	1,005,250

*Additionally, please prepare dormitory fees.

*Please contact us for information about January 24 months general course.

[Note]

- (1) Please be sure to make all tuition payments by the deadline. Installment payment are not acceptable.
- (2) The fees (including entrance fee, tuition fee, facility fee, textbook fee) and application fee cannot be basically refund for any reason once you pay. In case you have to give up your enrollment due to visa rejection by the Japanese Embassy, we will refund the fees other than application fee and entrance fee.

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4. Application procedure

(1) In case that you are not in Japan

Your guarantor or representative can submit your application documents on behalf of you.

(2) In case that you are in Japan

Please come to school with your guarantor. When you present, please bring your passport and application fee.

(3) Submitting by post

Please be sure to include your contact information, including telephone number. Meanwhile please be sure to pay application fee by any means, such as registered mail, bank transfer, bank check, etc.

5. List of necessary documents

You need to obtain student visa in case you would like to study at Sendai Language School for long term. To get student visa, you will need to submit necessary documents to Sendai Immigration Bureau, but all these process will be undertaken via Sendai Language School for whom are accepted by SLS after admission interview. The necessary documents are as follows:

	No.	Documents	TL	Note
Application form	1.	Application form (SLS 1-1, 1-2)		Identical photo required (4x3cm)
	2.	Purpose of study (SLS 2-1)	ο	Please write as much details as possible, by applicant.
	3.	Resume (SLS 3-1)		Please write all the educational information, starting from Elementary school.
	4.	Pledge (SLS4-1)		Signature or official registered stamp by applicant and financial guarantor.
	5.	Letter of Financial Support (SLS 5-1)	ο	Please be sure to be filled by the financial guarantor, not applicant. Signature or official registered stamp is necessary.
	6.	6 identical photos, photo size: 4 x 3 cm.		Not older than 6 months.
Арр	7.	Original graduation certificate from the school last graduated	0	Original certificate will be returned later (after immigration scanning finish)
	8.	Official certificate of Japanese proficiency (ex) JLPT N5 or higher, J-TEST Level F, NAT-TEST Level 5, etc	o	Applicants from China, Bangladesh, Vietnam, and Nepal are required. This application condition may vary depending of applicants' nationality. Please contact us for further information.
Applicant	9.	Family registration certificate	0	Documents which proof relation between applicant and guarantor.
	10.	Authentication certificate of the school last graduated		This may apply for the applicants from China and Vietnam
	11.	Graduation diploma (High School, Vocational school, University)		Diploma from the Ministry of Education. This may apply for the applicants from China and Vietnam.
	12.	Copy of passport		
	13.	Work certificate	0	
Financial guarantor	14.	Income certificate and/or tax payment certificate	ο	The certificate should include income information for the last three years.
	15.	Bank balance certificate	0	
	16.	Bank deposit certificate (Zontan)		This applies only for Chinese applicants
	17.	Copy of bank book		About three year transaction records. In case you have no bank book please write an explanation letter.
	18.	Copy of household register		This applies only for Chinese applicants
Oth	ner	Application fee: 22,000yen		Shall be paid when applying

9. Remarks

(1). The application documents that are submitted to Sendai Immigration Bureau will not be returned under any circumstance except the original graduation certificate.

(2). [The Certificate of Eligibility] will be delivered to applicant or his/her guarantor as soon as the payment of tuition fee, admission fee, etc., is confirmed. <u>We ask for your understanding that whatever the reason is, the tuition fee will not be refunded.</u> Yet, in case the Visa is not granted by Japanese Embassy or Consulate, we may refund the tuition fee while deducting the application fee and admission fee.

(3). Student Visa is supposed to be renewed in 12 months. And the total hours of school lessons are 800. A compensating lesson will be executed if applicant's entry into Japan is delayed for more than one month. However, since the tuition fee is not charged monthly, there will be no discount per month delayed.

(4). Concerning the renewal of Student Visa, the attendance rate and academic performance, in particular, weigh significantly. It would be less promising with respect to the screen of renewal application at Immigration bureau, where one might be granted with a shorted period of stay which could compromise his/her further education plan if one fails to achieve a 90% attendance rate and grade C in average.

(5). <u>Please keep in mind that whatever the reason is, tuition fee would not be refunded</u> even if one manages to transfer into another educational agency before the subscribed school term ends.

10. About the expense payer.

(1). Generally, an expense payer should be one's parents or next of kin. Furthermore, an expense payer is required to be in regular employment and capable of affording applicant's oversea expense.

(2). One may assign a foreigner as his/her expense payer who must have permanent residency in Japan and be estimated as appropriate by us.

*Expense payer is supposed to play the role of guardian during the entire stay of the applicant in Japan, and be obligatory to offer round-the-clock instruction and assistance.

In addition, we do not introduce expense payer as well as guarantor to the applicant.

11. About the dwelling

We have installed dormitory regimes which means applicant will have to live in the dormitory for at least 6 months. Please ease your mind when you set your feet in this country for the first time since the dormitories are under the umbrella of us, we can deal all sorts of problems that you might face. Please read the next page for further information.

12. About part-time job

Foreign students are allowed to embark a part-time job for 28 hours a week maximum. We would also not bar students from doing legitimate part-time job as long as he/she acquires the [Permission to Engage in an Activity Other Than That Permitted by the Status of Residence Previously Granted] at Immigration Bureau. One might be penalized (say fine, imprisonment, and deportation) if he/she engages in the part-time job without the aforesaid permission or exceeds the fixed ration of hours. In principle, students are banned to do part-time job in the initial 90 days after arrival. We expect you to devote most of your attention to the study, you should not pursue a part-time job until getting along with Japanese lifestyles and being perfectly sure it won't hinder your academic progression.

From the application of Certificate of Eligibility to the entry into Japan

(1). Go through the inspection of eligibility by Sendai Immigration Bureau, when granted, the [Certificate of Eligibility- Student] would be delivered to us. And we will contact the applicant or related party.

(2). We will then issue a bill to you on which the necessary expense is manifested. The applicant or the related party are required to remit the sum of expense as soon as possible. *<u>Whatever reason it is, we cannot send you</u> a written finding until the remittance has been confirmed.

(3). The applicant should pay a visit to the nearest Japanese Embassy or Consulate to apply for the visa with his/her passport and Certificate of Eligibility after the latter is received. As to the procedures of Visa application, please check it out on the HP of each Japanese Embassy.

(4). Plan your trip to Japan as soon as you are granted a Visa, and make sure to catch up with the commence day of school. Please inform our staff with your trip plan to Japan.

(5). We would like to clarify the dormitory issues in advance. Please inform us about your preference to the capacity of your room (Single or double bed room). Yet, the housing fee may vary due to the capacity.

[About the housing fee]

Key money	22,000 Yen	
Housing fee / month	20,000 Yen	
Utilities / month	10,000 Yen	
6 months in total	202,000 Yen	

[Housing fee] (for 6 months, double bed room)

*The housing fee <u>for 6 months is supposed to be paid in lump sum prior to your arrival at Japan.</u> You should rent an apartment in the 7th month but consult us if you wish to keep living in the dormitory, and we will present you with the information about the upcoming housing fee and utilities.

* There are refrigerator and gas stove installed in the dormitory, but no washing machines.

- * Please apply for the internet if you wish to use it.
- * Quilt and tableware would be distributed to the residents.
- * Being lease dormitory, we cannot assure you that all the rooms have the same status and facilities.
- * As for the utilities, you might be charged extra for exceeding the quota.

* Please move out at the end of the 6th month after the commence day of school. <u>The moving-out-schedule</u> will basically not be postponed due to the delay of your entry into Japan and move-in.

[About the airport pickup]

We provide you with the service of pickup at Sendai Airport or Narita Airport. (Extra fee)

*Pickup at Narita airport: Around 20,000 Yen (excluding tax, including the traveling expenses to Sendai)