

Visa Status Confirmation Form

Name in English (as it appears on your passport)	Surname	Given name/ Middle name	
Nationality		Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	

Please check the applicable boxes and answer relevant questions.

<p><input type="checkbox"/> I will apply for a Student visa.</p> <p>◆ Would you like Tokyo Medical and Dental University (TMDU) to act as proxy to apply for your “Certificate of Eligibility (COE)” at the Japanese Immigration Bureau?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES → Please submit the completed “Proxy Request and Authorization Form for Certificate of Eligibility” via email to the Foreign Student Support Unit when you apply for the graduate research student.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> NO → Please ask someone who resides in Japan to apply for your visa application at the Japanese Immigration Bureau on behalf of you. Upon your request, TMDU will issue the “Application for Organization – Part 1-2” with the university’s seal.</p>
<p><input type="checkbox"/> I currently hold a Student visa.</p> <p>Expiration date: _____</p> <p>(month) (day) (year)</p>
<p><input type="checkbox"/> I currently hold/ am planning to apply for a mid-to long term visa other than a Student visa.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dependent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Long-term Resident</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Others (Please specify): _____</p> <p>◆ Are you planning to change your visa status to “Student”?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> YES → Please submit the “Application for Change of Status of Residence” on your own to the Japanese Immigration Bureau. Upon your request, TMDU will issue the “Application for Organization – Part 1-2” with the university’s seal.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> NO → According to the Japanese immigration policy, you are not considered a College Student. Kindly note that you cannot receive same benefits or apply for scholarships available for international students.</p>

***IMPORTANT - If you currently hold a short-term visa -**

You must apply for a Student visa. You are not allowed to study at the university with Short-term visas such as a Temporary Visitor. You must change your visa status to “Student” immediately. In general, you must return to your home country and apply for the Certificate of Eligibility (COE).

In case you enter Japan with short-term visas, the Japanese Immigration Bureau does not accept the application for change of status of residence to “Student”. Please enter Japan with a valid Student visa.

<Email submission> Foreign Student Support Unit (fssu@ml.tmd.ac.jp)

<Deadline> Same as the graduate research student program to which you are applying.