



2020 MEXT Scholarship for College of Technology Students in Japan

The Government of Japan opens opportunities for South Sudanese to study at **COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY STUDENTS** in Japan through its Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology (MEXT) Scholarship Programme in 2020-2024.

Eligibility Requirements:

- South Sudanese national Cf. Other nationals shall submit applications at Japanese diplomatic missions in their home countries.
- Applicants must be born on or after 2nd April 1995 (24 years of age or younger).
- Applicant must satisfy the below
 - (1) those who have completed 11 years of schooling in countries other than Japan
(About (1), applicants need to meet the these qualifications by March 2020)
 - (3) Other than the above (1) condition, those who are eligible for transfer admission to a third year course at a college of technology at the time of application.
- Physically and mentally sound
- Willing to learn Japanese language and culture and to enhance Japan-South Sudan relationship

Arrival in Japan

- The selected applicants must be able to arrive in Japan between 1st and 7th of April 2020.

Terms of Scholarship

- In general, the scholarship period will last for FOUR YEARS from April 2020 to March 2024, including ONE YEAR preparatory education in Japanese language and other subjects. If a grantee graduates from a college of technology, is admitted for enrollment in an advanced course at a college of technology or in a university as a third-year transfer student and has outstanding academic achievement that meets certain criteria, she/he may have the period of her/his scholarship extended upon successful examination by MEXT.
- Monthly allowance of JPY 117,000/month will be provided.
- Fees for the entrance examination, matriculation, and tuition at colleges of technology, a preparatory educational institution, and a cost for transportation to Japan and from Japan to the home country will be paid by the Government of Japan.
- Scholarship recipients must take an oath on a set of regulations prior to their dispatch.

Documents to be submitted **Submit the original copy and two photocopies as per the Guidelines*

- [Application Form](#)¹:
- [Medical Examination Form](#)²
- Academic Transcripts for all school years of last school attended: A transcript issued either by the school attended or by the applicant's national government ((the name of all courses attended and the earned grade for each course should be shown)
- Graduation certificate of last school attended: If the applicant has not yet graduated, she/he submits an attested document certifying that the applicant will surely graduate from the school.
- [Recommendation letter](#)³ from the principal or teacher or last school attended.
- Certificate of enrollment: only for those currently enrolled in university.
- Certificate of language proficiency: Only in case the applicant has documents attesting to competency in language: submit 2 copies.
- Three mug-shot photos, 4.5 cm x 3.5 cm

Forms 1-3 and the Guidelines are available in print at the Embassy, are to be strictly followed.

Forms 1-3, the Guidelines, and '[Majors and Related Key Terms for Field of Study](#)' are also available online at https://www.studyjapan.go.jp/jp/smap_stopj-applications_technology.html

You can find more information at: https://www.studyjapan.go.jp/jp/smap_stopj-applicationsruts.html

Hard copy submissions are to be made at the Embassy's reception by noon on 20th June 2019 (Thu).

Those who pass the initial screening will be called in for the examination of the English and the Japanese language, mathematics, chemistry (only for those who apply to materials engineering course), physics (those who apply to other courses) and an oral interview by the selection committee.

Inquiries will be handled by Ms. Mary Natiki at the Embassy of Japan in South Sudan, reachable at mary.natiki@ju.mofa.go.jp; +211 922 671 513.

Note 1: This Scholarship opportunity is DIFFERENT from scholarship for RESEARCH STUDENTS.

Note 2: A grantee who graduate from Collage of Technology will be awarded a diploma (not a University Degree) and an academic title of 'Associate.'