

Doctoral Program in Human Biology
University of Tsukuba
Entrance Examination in August 2021 for Graduate School Admission 2022
Information and Hints for Examinees
(At the University's Examination Venues)

University of Tsukuba Graduate School Entrance Examinations (August Selection Process) will continue as announced in the material below dated July 5, 2021, with measures taken to control infection.

However, there is a possibility of a change to online examinations for some master's or doctoral programs. Please check the Graduate Admissions website from time to time.

- ◆ Record your body temperature and other required information, daily for 14 days including the examination day in accordance with “Points to Note Regarding Undertaking Examinations for Prevention of Spread of New Coronavirus COVID-19 Infections” and the “Health Observation Record Table” that have been published on the website, and be sure to bring the table with you to the examination venue.
- ◆ Persons who have had a fever or other symptoms, during the 14 days of health observation will not be permitted to sit the examination at the examination venue as described in the Points to Note Regarding Undertaking Examinations for Prevention of Spread of New Coronavirus COVID-19 Infections. Such persons can apply for the “Supplementary Examination (Online)”, so if this is your situation consult with the office responsible for receiving applications.
- ◆ Regarding the measures to prevent the spread of New Coronavirus COVID-19 Infections, on the examination day, strictly comply with the details stated in the Points to Note Regarding Undertaking Examinations for Prevention of Spread of New Coronavirus COVID-19 Infections.

* “Points to Note Regarding Undertaking Examinations for Prevention of Spread of New Coronavirus COVID-19 Infections” and the “Health Observation Record Table”

* “Supplementary Examination (Online) for Examinees Unable to be Present Due to the New Coronavirus COVID-19”

On the examination day, please follow directions boards to the venue. All applicants should be present at the examination room by 9:30 on each examination date.

* Relevant buildings will be closed until the day of examination. Examinees are not permitted to see the examination rooms, etc. beforehand.

1. Examination Venue

Program	Venue	Transportation
【Graduate School of Comprehensive Human Sciences】		- Tsukuba Express (Get off at Tsukuba Station)

Degree Programs in Comprehensive Human Sciences (Doctoral Program in Human Biology)	Building 4B at University of Tsukuba	Get off at Oikoshi Gakusei Shukusha mae (or Oikoshi Residence)	From Platform 6 of the nearby Tsukuba Center Bus Terminal, take a Kanto Railway bus bound for Tsukuba Daigaku Chuo or a University of Tsukuba Loop-Line Clockwise/Counterclockwise bus. (About a 15-minute ride) - JR Joban Line (Get off at Tsuchiura Station) From Platform 3 of the Tsuchiura Station Nishiguchi Bus Terminal, take a Kanto Railway bus bound for Tsukuba Daigaku Chuo. (About a 40-minute ride) - JR Joban Line (Get off at Arakawaoki Station)* From Platform 4 of the Arakawaoki Station Nishiguchi Bus Terminal, take a Kanto Railway bus bound for Tsukuba Daigaku Chuo. (About a 40-minute ride) - JR Joban Line (Get off at Hitachino-Ushiku Station)* From Platform 1 of the Hitachino-Ushiku Station Higashiguchi Bus Terminal, take a Kanto Railway bus bound for Tsukuba Daigaku Chuo. (About a 50-minute ride) [Access Guide] https://www.tsukuba.ac.jp/access/tsukuba-access/ https://www.tsukuba.ac.jp/access/tsukuba-campus/index.html
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Note 1: Pay attention to bus schedules when transferring at Arakawaoki Station or Hitachino-Ushiku Station on JR Joban Line. Because there are only a few buses leaving the nearby bus terminals bound for Tsukuba Daigaku Chuo.

Note 2: Please note that there are limited car parking spaces for examinees. If you intend to use a car park, refer to “HBP Examination Venue Map.

2. Precautions

- (1) Make sure you keep your Reference Card with you throughout the examinations.
- (2) Take your seat in the examination room 15 minutes prior to the start of each subject examination. Turn off any alarms on your mobile phone, smartphone, etc., switch it off, and put it in your bag before entering the room.
Do the same with wearable devices including smart watches and smart glasses, etc.
- (3) Examination rooms do not have clocks. Bring your own watch or clock. Use of a mobile phone, smartphone, etc. as a clock is not permitted.
- (4) Examinees who arrived late will be permitted to take the examination only when such lateness is within 30 minutes of the start of the examination. If such lateness was caused by an unavoidable reason such as a transportation accident, report to the corresponding head office of the examination venue (See 6. Contact Numbers of Head Offices of Examination Venues) and ask for instruction.
- (5) Pay attention to the weather and allow enough time to get to the venue in time.
- (6) Place your Reference Card on the side of the desktop where your examinee number is indicated throughout the writing examinations.
If you have lost your Reference Card, report to the corresponding head office of the examination venue. (See 6. Contact Number of Head Offices of Examination Venue)
- (7) Make sure you follow the schedule and take all specified examinations. If an examinee failed to take any of the specified examinations, such examinee will be regarded as absent and therefore ineligible for selection.
- (8) As for examinations assigned as a result of preliminary selection, examinees are not permitted to take subjects other than those initially selected.
- (9) Take care when filling out your examinee’s number and the names of the Graduate School, Degree programs and Program you apply for in the specified spaces on the answer sheet.
(An answer sheet with the number or the names not filled out or unreadable will not be marked.)
- (10) For writing examinations, examinees are not permitted to use tools other than writing tools (pencils or mechanical pencils and erasers) and those specified by the corresponding Graduate School. Writing tools will not be loaned to examinees.
- (11) If an examinee commits a dishonest or obstructive act, an immediate exit from the room will be ordered and further taking of examination will not be permitted. In addition, the results of examinations of the examinee took before the act will be invalidated.
- (12) Examinees are not permitted to exit the room within 30 minutes after the start of examination.
- (13) If you have a question about the examination questions, raise your hand to ask it and follow instructions by the

supervisor.

- (14) If you need to exit the room before the end of the examination, raise your hand and say you need to leave the room and follow instructions given by the supervisor.
- (15) When the end of examination is announced, put down your writing tools immediately and follow instructions given by the supervisor.
- (16) When collecting answer sheets, question sheets, and scribbling sheets, follow instructions given by the supervisor.
- (17) Examinees of oral examinations are to follow the guidance shown by the staff member of the examination.
- (18) Follow any other instructions given by the supervisor.

3. General Considerations

- (1) Pay attention to notices relevant to entrance examinations on the Doctoral Program in Human Biology website.
- (2) Make sure to confirm the examination venue in advance. Examinees are not permitted to enter the rooms until examination day.
- (3) Please bring your own lunch, and eat it at your desk.
- (4) The university does not provide an accommodation placement service for entrance examinees.

The university has no connection with soliciting activities in the vicinity of the examination venues or the nearest railway stations offering services that purport to telegram the result of entrance examinations to examinees. Although some solicitors for such services may pretend to be members of the university, be cautious because they are not and the university assumes no responsibility for such activities.

4. Announcement of Accepted Applicants

10 a.m., September 8, (Wednesday), 2021

The examinee numbers of the successful applicants will be posted on the website (<https://entry.ap-graduate.tsukuba.ac.jp/>). Acceptance letters will be sent out to successful applicants on the same day by registered mail.

5. Others

The examination schedules follow the “Examination Schedule and the Subjects” listed in the Application Guidebook.

6. Contact Number of Head Office of Examination Venue

- (1) Head Office of Examination Venue

【Graduate School of Comprehensive Human Sciences】

Examination Date	Program	TEL
August 19 (Thu.) August 20 (Fri.)	Degree Programs in Comprehensive Human Sciences (Doctoral Program in Human Biology)	029-853-5600 After a guidance, please press 91176

- (2) Division of Admission, Department of Educational Promotion TEL : 029-853-2231