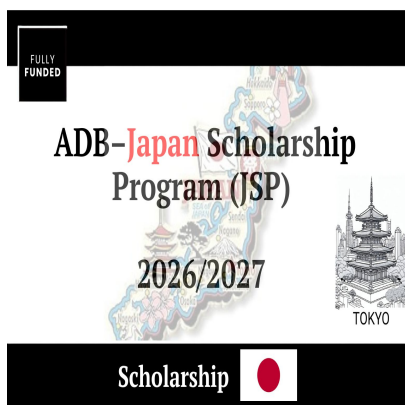




ADB-Japan Scholarship Program (JSP) 2026/2027 Application Call

Description

The [ADB-Japan Scholarship Program \(JSP\) 2026/2027](#) is a fully funded graduate scholarship initiative supported by the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the Government of Japan. The program is hosted through selected universities across Japan and other participating countries in the Asia-Pacific region. The current application cycle provides opportunities for eligible students from ADB developing member countries to pursue master's degree programs in development-related fields. It is designed for professionals and graduates who want to enhance their skills, gain advanced knowledge, and contribute to economic and social development in their home countries.

Scholarship Overview

- **Host Country:** Japan and other participating countries in the Asia-Pacific region
- **Study Level / Opportunity Type:** Master's Degree Scholarship
- **Funding Classification:** Fully Funded Scholarship
- **Application Deadline:** Varies by participating university (Applicants must check the deadline of their selected institution)
- **Current Status:** Open for applications (Application timelines vary depending on the participating university)
- **Eligible Applicants:** Students from eligible ADB developing member countries
- **Funded By:** Asian Development Bank (ADB) and Government of Japan

Scholarship Benefits

The **ADB-Japan Scholarship Program (JSP) 2026/2027** provides comprehensive financial support to selected scholars. The benefits include:

- **Tuition Fees:** Full coverage of tuition fees for the approved master's degree program.

- **Monthly Stipend / Living Allowance:** A monthly subsistence allowance is provided to support living expenses, including accommodation costs.
- **Travel or Airfare:** Round-trip airfare between the scholar's home country and the host institution is covered.
- **Health Insurance:** Medical insurance coverage is provided during the scholarship period.
- **Accommodation:** Housing support is included through the monthly allowance provided to scholars.
- **Books, Research & Other Allowances:** Additional support may include allowances for books, instructional materials, research/thesis preparation, and other approved academic expenses.

Note: Benefits may vary depending on the participating university and the specific study program under the ADB's Japan Scholarship Program.

Eligibility Criteria

- **Nationality:** Open to citizens of eligible ADB developing member countries.
- **Education:** Must hold a bachelor's degree or equivalent qualification.
- **Age Limit:** Generally 35 years or younger.
- **Work Experience:** Minimum 2 years of full-time professional experience required.
- **Language:** English proficiency required as per university requirements.
- **Admission:** Must secure admission to an approved ADB's JSP master's program.
- **Application Route:** Apply through participating universities; candidates are nominated to ADB for final selection.

Available Fields / Programmes

The ADB's Japan Scholarship Program (JSP) supports master's degree programmes in development-related fields, including:

- Economics
- Business Administration and Management
- Finance and Accounting
- Science and Technology
- Engineering
- Computer Science and Information Technology
- Environmental Studies
- Agriculture and Natural Resources
- Public Policy and Administration
- Development Studies
- International Cooperation
- Law and related fields

Note: Available programmes depend on the participating universities approved under the ADB's JSP scheme. Applicants should check the official university programme list before applying.

How to Apply

1. Choose a participating [ADB's JSP university](#) and eligible master's programme.
2. Apply for admission and submit scholarship documents to the university.

3. The university nominates qualified candidates to ADB.

4. ADB reviews nominations and selects final scholars.

Application Route: Apply through a **participating university** (not directly to ADB).

Required Documents

Applicants may need to submit the following documents through the selected ADB's participating university:

- **Completed scholarship application form**
- **Academic transcripts and records**
- **Degree certificate / proof of graduation**
- **Curriculum Vitae (CV) or résumé**
- **Proof of professional work experience**
- **Letters of recommendation / references**
- **English language proficiency certificate** (if required by the university)
- **Study plan, statement of purpose, or research proposal** (depending on the programme)
- **Passport or national identification document**

Note: Required documents may vary depending on the participating university and selected master's programme. Applicants should check the specific university requirements before applying.

Important Dates

- **Opening Date:** Varies by participating university

- **Application Deadline:** Different deadlines apply for each university and programme
- **Nomination Deadline:** Set by the host university
- **Interview Period:** Depends on the university selection process
- **Final Results:** Announced after ADB review and approval

Note: Check the selected university's official timeline for exact dates.

Is this scholarship fully funded or tuition-only?

The **ADB's Japan Scholarship Program (JSP) 2026/2027** is **fully funded**. It covers tuition fees, a monthly living allowance, round-trip airfare, medical insurance, and other approved academic expenses for eligible master's degree students.

Is this scholarship fully funded or tuition-only?

Yes. The **ADB's Japan Scholarship Program (JSP) 2026/2027** is **fully funded**, covering tuition fees, a monthly living allowance, round-trip airfare, medical insurance, and other approved study-related expenses.

Which nationalities and study levels are eligible?

The scholarship is open to **citizens of eligible ADB developing member countries** applying for **master's degree programs** at participating ADB's JSP universities.

Is university admission required before the scholarship application?

Yes. Applicants must apply for admission to an **ADB's JSP participating university** before they can be considered for the scholarship. The university reviews applications and nominates eligible candidates to ADB.

What is the exact deadline and timezone?

There is **no single application deadline or timezone** for the ADB's Japan Scholarship Program (JSP). Deadlines vary by **participating university and master's program**, so applicants should check the official deadline and timezone of their chosen institution.

Is there an application fee?

The **ADB's Japan Scholarship Program (JSP)** does **not charge a separate scholarship application fee**. However, **participating universities may have their own application fees**, depending on their admission policies. Applicants should check the requirements of their chosen university.

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