

# Japanese Language Program (JLP) Application Form for Admission-Spring 2026

**Application Deadline: October 15, 2025**

Please complete this form in English.

**\*Handwritten forms (except signatures and items which are required to be handwritten) will NOT be accepted.**

Name (Roman Alphabet)	Last(Family)	First(Given)	Middle(Given)		
	*Please spell exactly the same as shown in your passport.				
Name (Katakana)	Last(Family)	First(Given)	Middle(Given)		
	*This Katakana name will be registered into the KCUFS student system and any further changes will not be accepted.				
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female				
Nationality			Age		
Date of Birth	Year	Month	Day		
Home University/College	Name of University/College		Name of Faculty, Department or School		
	Major		Minor		
Present Academic Status	Undergraduate	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Year	<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Year	<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Year	<input type="checkbox"/> 4th Year
	Graduate	<input type="checkbox"/> M1	<input type="checkbox"/> M2	<input type="checkbox"/> D1	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 <input type="checkbox"/> D3
Academic Status as of April 2026	Undergraduate	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Year	<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Year	<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Year	<input type="checkbox"/> 4th Year
	Graduate	<input type="checkbox"/> M1	<input type="checkbox"/> M2	<input type="checkbox"/> D1	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 <input type="checkbox"/> D3
Expected Year and Month of Graduation	Year		Month		
	* If you are expected to graduate from your home university before or during your stay at KCUFS, you are <b>not eligible</b> for this program.				
Proposed Period of Study	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 Semester <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Semesters *Fall Semester (September – February), Spring Semester (April – July/August) as <input type="checkbox"/> exchange student (tuition waived) <input type="checkbox"/> fee-paying student (tuition 267,900JPY/semester)				
First Language					
	*The applicant's English proficiency should be equivalent to the following scores: TOEFL iBT 60, IELTS 4.5 or CEFR B1				
Special Needs	Applicants are requested to provide information if they have special needs during their stay at KCUFS. This information will only be used to cater for such needs.				
	<input type="checkbox"/> I do not have special needs				
	<input type="checkbox"/> I have special needs		<input type="checkbox"/> Wheelchair/ <input type="checkbox"/> Dyslexia/ <input type="checkbox"/> Blind (Partly Sighted) <input type="checkbox"/> Deaf (Impaired Hearing)/ <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Difficulties/ <input type="checkbox"/> Other( )		

### Contact Information

Email Address	Main Email address	*Please write an email address you frequently check		
	Alternative Email Address			
Mailing Address	* KCUFS may use this address to send important documents. Please provide a permanent address where you can receive documents from KCUFS.			
	Address			
	Postal Code		Phone	
Person to Contact in Emergency (Financial supporter)	Name			
	Relationship		Occupation	
	Address			
	Postal Code		Phone	
	Email			
	Signature			
Passport Data	Passport Number		Issuing Authority	
	Date of Issue		Date of Expiration	

### Declaration

I hereby declare all information in the application form and documentation provided to be true. I am completely responsible for my educational and living expenses during my stay at KCUFS, and I agree to pay all fees to KCUFS by the due date. I will immediately notify KCUFS if there is any change in terms of any given information in this application form.

Applicant's Name			
Date		Signature	

### Applicant's Study Abroad Advisor or Academic Advisor at Home University

Name			
Position		Phone	
Email			
Date		Signature	

**Please send this application form **with all other required documents** by Email to the following address through your home university:**

Kobe City University of Foreign Studies  
International Office  
Email: JLP@office.kobe-cufs.ac.jp (Inquiries welcome)

**\*Your application must be received **no later than October 15, 2025** (in order to be eligible for the Spring semester, 2026).**

**\*Screening of the applicants will be take place after the application deadline. Notification will be sent by email to each applicant by the end of March, 2026.**

## Questionnaire on Applicant's Japanese Language Background

Experience of Japanese Language Study					
Total Study Period				Hours in Total	
years and		months		hours	
Name of Institution (Country/City)	Type of Study	Period		Hours per Week	Textbooks Used
		From YYYY	MM		
		To YYYY	MM		
	<input type="checkbox"/> University <input type="checkbox"/> Language School <input type="checkbox"/> Self-study				
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	Level	Total Score	Date Taken (YYYY/MM/DD)
Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) <small>*if you have taken</small>			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Passed *Please attach a copy of the certificate. <input type="checkbox"/> Not Passed		

Do you accept that in KCUFS's JLP there is no **lower elementary level course (corresponding approximately to the JLPT N5 level)** ? **(Therefore, we will not be able to accept applicants who are considered to be at this level.)**

☐ Yes                      ☐ No

Have you ever faced any difficulties during your Japanese classes in the past? If so, please write in detail.

Do you have any particular preferences that you would like us to give special consideration when running the class? If so, please explain in detail.

Do you have any worries or concerns about living and studying in Japan? If so, please explain in detail.

**Please answer the following questions:**

Why do you want to participate in this program? What are your interests in Japanese culture and language? What do you expect from this program?

**Please handwrite in Japanese.** You don't need to be afraid of making mistakes in Japanese.

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