Date: October 2024

Important (Engineering Programs and Informatics and Data Science Program)

Language Test (TOEFL®) Score Requirements for Application for Master's Course

Entrance Examinations to Be Administered from April 2026 Onward

In some programs in the Division of Advanced Science and Engineering of the Graduate School of Advanced Science and Engineering, Hiroshima University, language test score requirements for application for the Master's Course entrance examinations to be administered from April 2026 onward will be changed as follows.

General selection for April admission (A Term) (administered in August)	Program; Electrical, Systems, and Control Engineering Program; Mechanical Engineering Program; Transportation and Environmental Systems Program; Architecture Program; Civil and Environmental Engineering Program; Informatics and Data Science Program; Smart Innovation Program (applied chemistry); Smart Innovation Program (electrical, systems, and control engineering)
General selection for April admission (C Term) (administered in December)	Applied Chemistry Program; Smart Innovation Program (applied chemistry)
General selection for April admission (B Term) (administered in January)	Chemical Engineering Program; Electrical, Systems, and Control Engineering Program; Mechanical Engineering Program; Transportation and Environmental Systems Program; Civil and Environmental Engineering Program; Informatics and Data Science Program; Smart Innovation Program (electrical, systems, and control engineering)
Special selection for international students (for students living in Japan) (administered in January)	Transportation and Environmental Systems Program; Architecture Program

^{*} The programs listed here are those where changes in application requirements are scheduled as of October 2024. For details, please refer to the Application Guidebook for the entrance examination you will take.

2. Description of the changes

We will change the language test (TOEFL®) score requirements for application for general selection and special selection for international students (for students living in Japan) from April 2026 onward as follows.

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450 or higher in TOEIC® (TOEIC® Public Test L&R, TOEIC®-IP L&R (excluding Online Test)), 457 or higher in TOEFL®-ITP, 44 or higher in TOEFL®-iBT, 4.0 or higher in IELTS Academic, or 140 or higher in Cambridge English Qualifications, AND the ability to submit a certificate of the score of a test taken up to two years before the date of the entrance examination

[FY2026 onward]

450 or higher in TOEIC® (TOEIC® Public Test L&R, TOEIC®-IP L&R (excluding Online Test)), 453 or higher in TOEFL®-ITP, 46 or higher in TOEFL®-iBT, 4.0 or higher in IELTS Academic, or 140 or higher in Cambridge English Qualifications, AND the ability to submit a certificate of the score of a test taken up to two years before the date of the entrance examination