

Notice on the Handling of Graduate School Entrance Examination Application Requirements Following the TOEFL iBT Score Scale Change

Following the change in the TOEFL iBT score scale effective January 21, 2026, the TOEFL iBT score requirement among the external English proficiency tests used for application will be handled as stated below.

**Applicants whose scores do not meet the minimum required score will not be eligible to apply.*

1. Applicable Entrance Examinations / Application Guidelines

1. Application Guidelines for Five-Year Doctoral Course (April 2027 / Third-Year Transfer Admission)
2. Application Guidelines for Five-Year Doctoral Course (April 2028 / First-Year Admission)
3. Application Guidelines for Five-Year Doctoral Course <First-Year Admission in October 2027>
4. Application Guidelines for Five-Year Doctoral Course (October 2027 / Third-Year Transfer Admission)

Note: (1) is scheduled to be published in October 2026, and (2)–(4) are scheduled to be published in March 2027.

The same handling will apply to subsequent examinations as well.

2. Minimum Required TOEFL iBT Scores

- Old score scale (tests taken on or before January 20, 2026): 62 or higher
- New score scale (tests taken on or after January 21, 2026): 3.5 or higher

Note: There are no changes to the application requirements for IELTS or TOEIC Listening & Reading Test scores.