

AY 2021 application guidelines for the "Amano Institute of Technology scholarship"

This scholarship was established with the funds donated by the Amano Institute of Technology. Respecting the purpose of the donation, scholarships will be provided with the aim of encouraging research among graduate students aspiring to become researchers.

We will be accepting applications for the "Amano Institute of Technology scholarship" in accordance with the above, and students wishing to apply for this scholarship should follow the guidelines below.

Details

1. Application period: January 6 (Wed.)-January 29 (Fri.), 2021
2. Eligibility to apply: Those who meet the following conditions
 - (1) Those who are planning to enroll in a doctoral degree program in the 2021 academic year or are currently enrolled in a doctoral degree program at the Graduate School of Science and Technology, excluding doctoral students who are already in the workforce; however, your period of enrollment must not exceed the standard period of enrollment for the degree program in which you are enrolled, including the year of admission.
 - (2) Must have an intention to continue receiving the scholarship for 3 years (※)
 - (3) Must be of excellent character and have outstanding academic grades.
 - (4) Must be recognized as having the qualities to become an outstanding researcher in the future.
※Students receiving payments in the 2020 academic year must submit an application.
3. Eligibility to receive scholarship and combination with other scholarships:
Combination with AY 2021 internal scholarships or the Keio Engineering Foundation scholarship is not permitted.
Furthermore, if you are receiving a scholarship elsewhere or if you have been selected as a Research Fellow of the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS), Research Associate (Non-tenured)/Research Assistant, or RA for the Program for Leading Graduate Schools, this may be taken into consideration during the screening process.
4. Number of recipients: Maximum of 18 students
5. Scholarship amount: 1,000,000 yen
Payments will be made twice per year, with half of the yearly amount being paid each time.
6. Scholarship duration: 1 year from April 2021
Continuous reapplication is mandatory; students can receive the scholarship for up to 3 years.

7. Documents to submit:

- (1) Scholarship Application (prescribed format)
- (2) Scholarship Personal Statement and Research Plan (prescribed format, one A4 sheet)
- (3) Academic Accomplishments (prescribed format)
- (4) Recommendatory Letter (prescribed format)

※All documents can be downloaded from the Faculty of Science and Technology website. Combine (1) and (2) together into a single Word file and submit via the Google form below; submit (3) and (4) through your supervisor.

8. Announcement of results: Late March 2021 (planned)

9. Where to submit: Google form <https://forms.gle/anSDfDjEayEZk7H28>

10. Other In addition to writing a thank-you letter and research reports at the end of the academic year and after your scholarship period has ended, students who have been selected to receive the scholarship may have to orally present their achievements with scholarship students at other universities.