

Appendix: School of Social Sciences

1. APPLICATION FORM

Access the following URL and submit your application during the designated period;

https://admissions-office.net/ja/applicant/university_recruitments/11126

2. ADMISSION POLICY

<https://www.waseda.jp/fsss/sss/en/about/policy/>

3. DEGREE PROGRAM

◆ B.A. in Social Sciences

4. ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

You must meet both A and B of the following requirements.

A	Academic Transcript Submit the most recent academic transcript issued by your high school. *The transcripts must show your high school percentile for all subjects you have taken during Grade 10 and Grade 11 with official seal. *The transcripts must show Grade Rank Percentage during Grade 10 and Grade 11 and your Average Grades(総平均) must be ranked within the top 40% and your English(英文) must be ranked within the top 30% in Grade Rank Percentage.
B	English Proficiency Test Score Submit one of the following English proficiency test results; * Please refer to the Application Guide for the specific validity period of the scores.* 1. TOEFL iBT*: 79 points or higher ONLY scores sent directly from the organization will be considered valid. Arrange to have your score directly sent from ETS. (Waseda University Code:9342) - TOEFL ITP, TOEFL iBT Home Edition, TOEFL iBT Paper Edition and “MyBest Scores” are not acceptable. 2. IELTS (Academic): 6.5 or higher ONLY scores sent directly from the organization will be considered valid. Arrange to have your score sent electronically directly from the testing organization using the following information. Institution: Waseda University Department: Admissions Center Address: 1-6-1, Nishi-waseda, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo, 169-8050 Japan, Admissions Center, Waseda University Delivery Method: Electronic Score Delivery - IELTS (General training), IELTS indicator, and IELTS Online are not accepted - IELTS One Skill Retake is not accepted 3. GEPT (全民英検): Advanced Level (複試) or higher Submit the original score card

5. ESSAYS (Statement of Purpose)

Submit a Statement of Purpose following the instructions below. This statement is of particular importance in the document screening process.

Write your statement of purpose of approximately 1000 words that answers the following two questions:

- (1) Identify social issue(s) which you desire to address, mentioning your own achievements or experiences which have shaped your motivation.
- (2) During your time at TAISI, what do you hope to learn and how do you think the TAISI program will help you resolve the social issue(s) you identified in question 1.

Format Requirements:

- 1) Must be written in English.
- 2) A4 or letter-sized PDF document
- 3) Use [designated format](#) to complete your essay.

*Your essay, personal statement, research plan, etc. are a chance to explain yourself to the school and should be completed by yourself. Using generative AI to create these documents and presenting them as your own work may be considered as cheating and could affect the evaluation of your application.

6. SCHOOL FEES

(in Japanese yen)

	2026	2027		2028		2029		2030
	Fall*	Spring	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring
Admission Fee (Registration Fee)	200,000							
Tuition Fee	525,500	525,500	625,500	625,500	625,500	625,500	625,500	625,500
Student's Library Fee	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400
Academic Association Registration Fee	1,000							
Academic Association Annual Fee	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
Student Health Promotion Mutual Aid Association Membership Fee	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
Alumni Association Membership Fee								40,000
Total	728,900	527,900	627,900	627,900	627,900	627,900	627,900	667,900

* Must be paid upon entry during the designated first enrollment period.

Notes of fees and payment:

- The amount of fees indicated above is subject to change.
- Waseda University uses an automatic account transfer system for payment of school expenses. School expenses for the fall semester are transferred on October 1. School expenses for the spring semester are transferred on May 1 in the second and subsequent years. If financial institutions are closed on May 1 or October 1, the account transfer will be processed on the following business day.
- Some specific courses may require additional fees for field work. Examples are as follows:
 - Sport, Field Practice Fee 1,500–40,000 yen ... For Health and Physical Education courses
 - Teacher Training Course Auditing Fee 1,000 yen/credit ... For teaching licenses
 - Librarian Training Course Auditing Fee 7,000 yen ... For librarian certification (including certification for school librarians)
- The school expenses and other fees required for the second and subsequent years include tuition and Waseda University Student Health Promotion Mutual Aid Association Fees (student health insurance fee). In addition, 40,000 yen for the alumni association membership fee is required in the fourth year.
- If you are currently enrolled in, graduated from, completed, or withdrew from an undergraduate, graduate, or specialized program of Waseda University, you are not required to pay the admission fee (registration fee). For more information, refer to the handbook on enrollment procedures sent to successful applicants.