

# For foreign nationals who want to study at high schools

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## - High School Tuition Support Fund -

If you meet the requirements,  
**your tuition fees are effectively free**



### Eligibility

Foreign nationals who are enrolled at high schools or equivalent schools and have an address in Japan.

However, schools for foreign nationals must meet the prescribed conditions to be covered under this system. Check your school's eligibility at the URL below.



[https://www.mext.go.jp/a\\_menu/shotou/mushouka/1307345.htm](https://www.mext.go.jp/a_menu/shotou/mushouka/1307345.htm)

**People who fall under any of the following categories are ineligible.**

- Students whose legal guardian(s) have an annual income of approximately ¥9.1 million or more
- People who have already graduated from high schools or an equivalent schools
- Students who have been enrolled at high schools or an equivalent schools for 36 months or longer

**【Public high schools】  
You effectively pay  
no tuition.**

**【Private high schools】  
You effectively pay no  
or reduced tuition.  
\* Depends on your legal guardian's  
income.**

**\*The schools receive the tuition support money (public high schools: ¥118,000 per year; private high schools: ¥118,800-¥396,000 per year) from the government on behalf of the students and appropriate it to tuition fees. Students and their legal guardians do not receive the money directly.**

**You will receive the necessary application documents from the schools upon admission. Please fill out the application and return it to the schools.**

