

Events Calendar for New Degree Students AUTUMN 2025

(SPSF)

Please note that our portal sites "Loyola" and "My Sophia" will be available for new students from September 21st, 2025.

Date & Time	Event	Venue
Early September	"Learning How to Learn" An online pre-enrollment course for new students to prepare for university learning. *Access information to the course will be posted on "Information for new students entering in September 2025."	Online
Late September	Submission Students must submit assignments for the pre-enrollment course, "Learning How to Learn." Details TBA in the course. For inquiries, please contact the Center for Liberal Education & Learning.	Online
Sep 1 (Mon) - Sep 15 (Mon) 23:59	Chinese, French, Spanish, German, Italian and Korean Placement Test *Students who wish to take any of the six languages above and <u>who have studied or used them before</u> must take the test. *German, Italian and Korean courses are taught in Japanese. *Further details will be posted on "Information for New Students Entering in September 2025". *Regardless of the deadline, please take the test as soon as possible.	Online
To be uploaded early September	Japanese Language Program Guidance and Brochure Students who wish to take Japanese Language courses should check "Japanese Language Program" Guidance video and Brochure. Further details will be posted on "Information for new students entering in September 2025".	Online
Sep 21 (Sun) 10:00 - 10:40	Entrance Ceremony	6-101 (Bldg. No. 6, 1F) or Online (YouTube Live)
Sep 21 (Sun) 10:00 - 28 (Sun) 23:59	Course Registration <u>Make sure to check the "Academic Guidance" video before course registration.</u> The video will be posted on "Information for new students entering in September 2025".	
Sep 21 (Sun) 10:00 - 25 (Thu) 23:59	Lottery Entry	
Sep 21 (Sun) After the entrance ceremony	General Guidance Part 1 by the SPSF Program Coordinator	6-304 (Bldg.6, 3F)
Sep 22 (Mon) 9:30 - 12:15	Japanese Placement Test Non-Native speakers (Regular and Intensive) Native speakers *Bring your ID card, a pencil and eraser. *Students who wish to register Japanese language courses with previous Japanese study experience must take the test. *Students will be assigned to an adequate level and course according to the result of the test. *Students with no Japanese learning experience and wish to register for "JPN111 JAPANESE 1" are not required to take the test. Instead, please submit "Application for Course JPN111 (JAPANESE 1) " by My Sophia Questionnaire to the Center for Language Education and Research. The procedure of application and deadline will be written in "Japanese Language Program" Brochure posted on "Information for new students entering in September 2025".	Bldg No.6 *No need to sign up in advance for the test. Just show up at the venue.
Sep 24 (Wed) 9:30 - 16:00	General Guidance Part 2 by the SPSF Program Coordinator 11:00: Department Guidance ---Lunch break with Helpers----- PM: Department Guidance	6-402 (Bldg. 6, 4F)
Sep 25 (Thu) afternoon	Japanese Placement Test Result available on My Sophia "Language / LLC"	
Sep 25 (Thu) afternoon - Oct 2 (Thu) 15:00 Weekdays only	Individual Advising for Japanese Courses (for students with questions) Students who have any questions about Japanese language courses should contact a Japanese language coordinator. E-mail address of coordinators will be written in "Japanese Language Program" Brochure posted on "Information for new students entering in September 2025".	by e-mail
Sep 25 (Thu) 13:00-14:00 ENG 14:00-15:00 JPN	Resident Status Guidance (For international students who hold college student visa) *Details will be posted on My Sophia > Academics > Center for Academic Affairs > Announcements.	Online (Zoom)
Sep 26 (Fri) 16:00 - 16:45	Career Guidance in English -Overview of job hunting and working in Japan Students looking to work in Japan in the future are strongly recommended to attend. Live Q&A planned. *Details will be posted on My Sophia. On-demand recording will be available at a later date, but the live Q&A will not be recorded.	In-person & Online

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Sep 26 (Fri) 13:00 - 13:20	Medical Checkup (Female) Graduate students Please go to the reception desk (Central Library 9F) during the hours. The medical checkup will take one hour to one and a half hours.	Central Library 9F [IMPORTANT] The schedule for medical checkups is organized based on your faculty and program. If you are unable to attend at your designated time, please visit the reception desk during the time slot assigned to your gender. If you have a physical disability or a gender identity that makes it difficult to attend the checkup at the designated time or location, please contact the Health and Wellbeing Center Health Services in advance. Tel: 03-3238-3394 E-mail: health_cs-co@sophia.ac.jp
Sep 26 (Fri) 13:20 - 13:50	Medical Checkup (Female) Faculty of Liberal Arts Please go to the reception desk (Central Library 9F) during the hours. The medical checkup will take one hour to one and a half hours.	
Sep 26 (Fri) 13:50 - 14:10	Medical Checkup (Female) Faculty of Science and Technology ,SPSF Please go to the reception desk (Central Library 9F) during the hours. The medical checkup will take one hour to one and a half hours.	
Sep 26 (Fri) 14:40 - 15:00	Medical Checkup (Male) Graduate students Please go to the reception desk (Central Library 9F) during the hours. The medical checkup will take one hour to one and a half hours.	
Sep 26 (Fri) 15:00 - 15:10	Medical Checkup (Male) Faculty of Science and Technology ,SPSF Please go to the reception desk (Central Library 9F) during the hours. The medical checkup will take one hour to one and a half hours.	
Sep 26 (Fri) 15:10 - 15:30	Medical Checkup (Male) Faculty of Liberal Arts Please go to the reception desk (Central Library 9F) during the hours. The medical checkup will take one hour to one and a half hours.	
Sep 26 (Fri) 17:00 - 18:30	All SPSF Gathering	12-102 (Bldg.12, 1F)
Sep 26 (Fri) 18:00 - 28 (Sun) 23:59	Lottery Course Registration (first-come-first-served basis)	
Sep 27 (Sat)	First day of classes Classroom changes and cancelled class information will be posted on My Sophia.	
Sep 29 (Mon) 13:00	Results of Course Registration Available Online	
Sep 30 (Tue) 10:00 - Oct 3 (Fri) 23:59	Course Adjustment Period <u>*Please confirm that you have registered courses correctly.</u>	
Oct 1 (Wed) - Oct 21 (Tue)	e-Programs for Student Life A) Safety and Security Awareness B) Harassment Prevention Training C) Student Life Animated Videos (SOPHIA STORIES) D) The Universal Manners Test *Details will be posted on My Sophia from September 21st.	Online (e-Learning)
Oct 5 (Sun) 13:00 -	Final Confirmation of Course Registration	

In addition to this calendar, please check "Bulletin of Information" and other documents.
 Also note that important notices will be posted on My Sophia
 *Schedule and venue are subject to change.