

2026 Spring Enrollees
Graduation Requirements Guidance

College of Sustainability and Tourism (ST)
2023 Curriculum / English-basis

Student Office



There will be a Q&A section at the end of the guidance session.



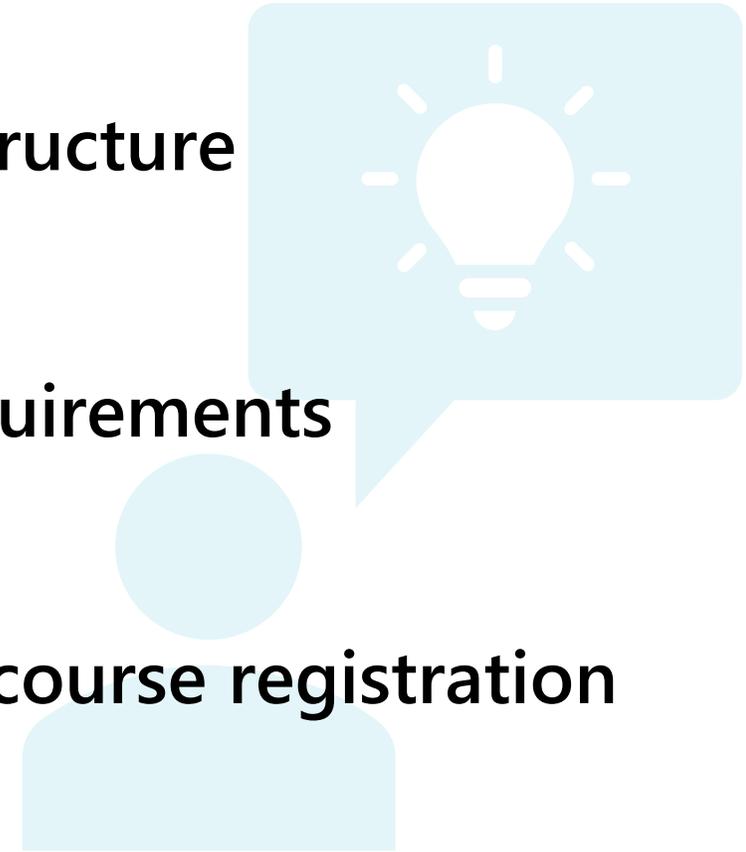
These materials are available on the New Student Orientation website. Please feel free to scan the QR code and look at the materials while listening.



Please check the [website](#) regularly if there is anything you don't understand about course registration.



- 1. Understand university studies/structure**
- 2. Understand your graduation requirements**
- 3. Learn about how to prepare for course registration**



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April	Spring Semester	1 st Quarter
May		2 nd Quarter
June		
July		Summer Session
August		
September		
October	Fall Semester	1 st Quarter
November		2 nd Quarter
December		
January		Winter Session
February		
March		

What is the Academic Calendar?

- A calendar that shows the annual university schedule. Each year is divided into 2 semesters, and each semester is further split into 2 quarters and a session.
- The Spring Semester starts in April, and the Fall Semester starts in October.
- A session is a weeklong class period at the beginning of each of the long vacations.

Academic Calendar 

Explaining Academic Year and Semester Levels

- ▶ **Students who Enroll in Spring: The Spring Semester is their first semester**

1 st Year		2 nd Year		3 rd Year		4 th Year	
Spring Semester	Fall Semester						
1st Semester	2nd Semester	3rd Semester	4th Semester	5th Semester	6th Semester	7th Semester	8th Semester

- ▶ **Students who Enroll in Fall: The Fall Semester is their first semester**

1 st Year		2 nd Year		3 rd Year		4 th Year	
Fall Semester	Spring Semester						
1st Semester	2nd Semester	3rd Semester	4th Semester	5th Semester	6th Semester	7th Semester	8th Semester

Check your graduation requirements/subject list/course timetable/syllabus and choose your subjects



Register for courses



Attend class, study, submit assignments, take tests



Achieve a passing grade



Receive credits

Types of Courses

Spring Semester: Classes are taught over 2 months, either from April to May (1st Quarter) or from June to July (2nd Quarter)

Fall Semester: Classes are taught over 2 months, either from October to November (1st Quarter) or from December to January (2nd Quarter)

Course Type	Credits	Offered	Classes Per Week	Total No. of Classes
Lecture Subjects	2	Quarter-basis (2 months)	2	14
		Semester-basis (4 months)	1	
Seminar Subjects	2	Semester-basis (4 months)	1	14
Language Subjects	4	Semester-basis (4 months)	4	56
	2		2	28

Spring Semester: Classes are taught over 4 months from April to July

Fall Semester: Classes are taught over 4 months from October to January

Course Formats

Courses are offered in one of two formats: “In-person” or “Distance Learning (Online/On-Demand)”.

Please check both the syllabus and course timetable for information about the class format for each course.

Course Format		How to Attend Classes
In-person Courses		Classes are taught in person (in the classroom). However, some class sessions may be held online (via Zoom). In that case, students need to attend online (via Zoom) for those classes.
Distance Learning Courses	Online	Classes are held in real-time. Classes will be taught via Zoom on the day and period indicated on the course timetable.
	On Demand	Course materials and recorded lectures are uploaded to Moodle or another platform, and students must watch them and submit any assignments within the set time period. In principle, the materials will be made available on the day and period listed on the course timetable.

(Warning about Credit Requirements) –Please be careful about the following when registering for courses by yourself from your 2nd semester onwards–

Under the Standards for the Establishment of Universities and APU’s University Regulations, the maximum number of credits from Distance Learning Courses that can be counted towards graduation is 60 credits. If a student earns more than 60 credits from applicable courses, the additional credits will not count towards the number of credits needed for graduation. For more information, please see [Course Formats](#) (website).

Sample Timetable (1st & 2nd Quarter)

- Please remember that your timetable will be different in the 1st and 2nd quarter if you register for quarter-basis courses!
- You cannot register for semester-basis courses during the days and class periods where you have registered for quarter-basis courses.

Period	Class Time	Term	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1	8:45-10:25	1Q	Japanese Foundation Course I	Japanese Foundation Course I	Student Success Workshop	Japanese Foundation Course I	Japanese Foundation Course I
		2Q					
2	10:35-12:15	1Q			Multicultural Cooperative Workshop	1 st Quarter Subjects	
		2Q					
3	12:30-14:10	1Q	Japanese Foundation Course II	Japanese Foundation Course II	Semester Subjects		Japanese Foundation Course II
		2Q					
4	14:20-16:00	1Q					
		2Q					
5	16:10-17:50	1Q	Introduction to Tourism and Hospitality				
		2Q					
6	18:00-19:40	1Q				2 nd Quarter Subjects	
		2Q					

► Regular Grades

Grade	Mark	Pass/Fail
A+	90% or above	Pass (Receive Credits)
A	80-89%	
B	70-79%	
C	60-69%	
F	59% or below	Fail

► Other Grades

Code	Meaning	Notes
P	Pass	Used for some courses
T	Transfer	Maximum of 60 credits*
E	Exempt	Not included in credit calculations

* For 2nd and 3rd year transfer students, credits transferred to APU at the time of enrollment are not included in this limit.

► What is GPA?

GPA is a value that represents a student's overall grade evaluation, calculated from the individual grades of their classes based on APU's specific calculation method.

Cumulative GPA:

Calculated using all grades **from enrollment to current semester**

Used for: Academic Transcripts, Student Exchange, Accelerated Graduation Program, etc.

Semester GPA:

Calculated using all grades **from that semester only**

Used for: Scholarship Screenings, etc.

1-2. College of Sustainability and Tourism (ST)

Graduation Requirements & Subject Fields

► **What is a Curriculum?**

Your curriculum sets out your graduation requirements and the courses you can take. It is determined by the year you enroll at APU.

Your curriculum will stay the same until graduation. (Excluding cases where there is a change in student status, such as withdrawal, etc.)



Curriculum

- ST's graduation requirements change greatly depending on your enrollment language.
- For English-basis students, your starting level for Japanese Language Subjects will be determined by the results of the Placement Test.
- Depending on your starting level for Japanese, the number of Japanese Language credits required for graduation changes.
- Your curriculum will stay the same until graduation. (Excluding cases where there is a change in student status, such as withdrawal, etc.)

College	College of Sustainability and Tourism (ST)								
Enrollment Language	Japanese-Basis (J)						English-Basis (E)		
English Starting Level	Elementary	Pre-Intermediate	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate	Advanced 1	Advanced 2	Exempt		
English Course Track	Standard Track (ST)				Advanced Track (AT)				
Curriculum	ST 23 JST				ST 23 JAT				ST 23 E
Meaning	ST 2023 Curriculum Japanese-Basis Standard Track				ST 2023 Curriculum Japanese-Basis Advanced Track				ST 2023 Curriculum English-Basis

- Excerpt from the ST 2023 Curriculum Outline

		1st year		2nd year		3rd year		4th year	
ST Major Education Subjects	Tourism Subjects	Tourism Studies			Sociology of Tourism 2	Heritage Tourism 2			
					Culture of Tourism 2	Tourism Economics 2			
					Cultural Anthropology 2				
				Media and Tourism 2					
		Tourism Industry Operations			Tourism Operations 2	Destination Marketing 2			
					MICE and Event Industry 2				
					Special Interest Tourism 2				
					Health and Wellness Tourism 2				
		Hospitality Operation			Hospitality Operations 2	Service Experience Design 2			
					Food and Beverage Operations 2	Resort Marketing 2			
						Revenue Management 2			
		Sustainable Society Subjects	Environmental Studies	Biodiversity 2		Environment and Society 2	Parks and Protected Areas 2		
					Environmental Policy and Governance 2				
					Environmental Economics 2				
					Environmental Education 2				
				Pollution Prevention 2	Climate Change 2				
		Resource Management			Resource Management 2	Circular Economy 2			
					Energy management 2	Sustainable business 2			
		International Development			Development Sociology and Anthropology 2	Development Policy 2			
					Politics of Development 2	Development and Economy 2			
					Conflict and Development 2				
					International Development Cooperation 2				
		Regional Development	Sustainable Urban Development and Planning 2	Resilient Cities 2	Sustainable Tourism 2	Community Development 2			
					Tourism Destination Development and Planning 2				
					Rural Development and Tourism 2				

- The curriculum outline shows all the subjects you can take until graduation.

(This image only shows some of the subjects)

(Subjects from other colleges are not included)

- Among the subjects available to ST students, there are some **subjects that students must earn credits for in order to graduate.**



Graduation Requirements

ST: Graduation Requirements

- ST students must complete all of the following requirements to graduate.
- English-basis students do not need to fulfill requirement no. 5.

No.	Graduation Requirement
1	Enroll for at least 4 years
2	Complete at least 124 credits in total
3	Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)
4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
9	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Sustainable Society Subjects
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11	Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

Graduation Requirement 1: Enroll for at least 4 years

- ST students must complete all of the following requirements to graduate.
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Graduation Requirement 2: Complete at least 124 credits in total

- ST students must complete all of the following requirements to graduate.
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1	Enroll for at least 4 years
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4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
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Graduation Requirement 2: Complete at least 124 credits in total

Starting from
"Foundation Japanese I"

- Students must complete at least 124 credits to graduate
- There are also some specific rules about how to earn those 124 credits.

Total	Subject Field	Sub total	Subject Field	Required Credits
At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	16
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
	Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0		

ST: Graduation Requirements

- ST students must complete all of the following requirements to graduate.
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5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
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Specific rules about how to earn 124 credits

Graduation Requirement 3: Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)

► English-basis students are required to take Japanese Language Subjects!

- Your **starting level for Japanese Language Subjects is decided** by the results of the placement test you took at enrollment.
- The university will automatically assign you to classes until you earn all the required credits.

Starting Level	No. of Credits Required for Graduation	Required Japanese Subjects			
		Foundation I (4 Credits)	Foundation II (4 Credits)	Foundation III (4 Credits)	Intermediate (4 Credits)
Foundation I	16	Both Registered in 1 st Semester		After Completing Foundation I – II	After Completing Foundation I – III
Foundation II	12	Exempt	1 st Semester	After Completing Foundation II	After Completing Foundation II – III
Foundation III	8	Exempt	Exempt	1 st Semester	After Completing Foundation III
Intermediate	4	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt	1 st Semester
Higher than Intermediate	0	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt	Exempt

Graduation Requirement 3: Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)

- Depending on your starting level for Japanese, the number of required credits for **Japanese Language Subjects** and **Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects** will differ.

Starting from "Foundation Japanese I"			Subject Field	Required Credits
Total	Subject Field	total		
At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	16
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

Starting from "Intermediate"			Subject Field	Required Credits
Total	Subject Field	Sub total		
At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	4
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	20
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

No.	Graduation Requirement
1	Enroll for at least 4 years
2	Complete at least 124 credits in total
3	Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)
4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
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11	Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

Graduation Requirement 4: Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field

Starting from
"Foundation Japanese I"

Total	Subject Field	Sub total	Subject Field	Required Credits
			102 Credits	
At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	16
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

- Of the 124 credits required for graduation, students need to earn 102 credits in specific subject fields.

- The remaining 22 credits do not need to be taken in a specific subject field. Please earn these credits in the fields you are interested in.

$124 \text{ Credits} - 102 \text{ Credits} = 22 \text{ Credits}$
Remaining 22 credits can be from any subject field


- Depending on your starting level for Japanese, the number of required credits for "**Japanese Language Subjects**" and "**Language Education and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects**" will change slightly, but all students are still required to earn a total of 102 credits within these specified subject fields.

ST: How to Check Your Required Credits for Graduation

- You can check your required credits for graduation as follows:

CAMPUS WEB » Click on “Registered Courses and Grade Report”

- In order to graduate, the number of “Completed” credits must match (or exceed) the number under “Required” .
(see image below)

Starting from
“Intermediate Japanese”

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[CAMPUS WEB] > [Registered Courses and Grade Report]

Credit Completion Status (Main Curriculum)

Student Information

Student ID Number	:		Name	:	
Year	:	2nd	Semester	:	4th semester
College	:	College of Asia Pacific Studies Department of Asia Pacific Studies *	Learning Pattern	:	Required Japanese Subjects Exempted
Area of Study(Major) / Specialization	:	Culture, Society, and Media	Area of Study(Minor)	:	
Required Credits for Graduation	:	124	Curriculum	:	main_curriculum

You can confirm your credit completion status on this screen. If many people are accessing the system at the same time, pages may take time to load. Please be patient.
Please click each button below to check [Subject List], [Sub-Curriculum], [Error Message], and [GPA Record].
(Note) During the registration period for lottery courses, the number shown in () indicates the number of credits which will be registered if you are accepted to the course. These lottery-registered credits are not yet final.

*OL:Opposite Language

Refresh Page GPA Record

Your required credits for graduation are shown here

The number of credits you need to take in specific subject fields is set for 102 of the 124 credits required for graduation.

Subject Field	Required	Completed	Com(*OL)	Registered	Reg(*OL)
(Applied to Graduation)]	124	76		8	
Education Subjects	40	42			
Education Subjects		6			
Subjects		4			
Subjects		2			
Advanced Track (Advanced 2. LSP)		2			
Language Subjects					
Specific Subjects					

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1	Enroll for at least 4 years
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4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
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10	Complete at least 2 credits of Off-Campus Program Subjects
11	Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

What are Common Liberal Arts Subjects?

What are Common Liberal Arts Subjects?

- These subjects aim to provide students with the knowledge, skills, qualities, and abilities that form the basis of university study, thereby cultivating well-educated students.
- Many of these subjects are available from your first year.

		1 st Year		2 nd Year		3 rd Year		4 th Year	
Common Liberal Arts	APU Literacy	Student Success Workshop	2	Languages of the Asia Pacific	2	Japanese Politics and Society	2	Applied Intercultural Communication	2
		Multicultural Cooperative Workshop	2	Religions of the Asia Pacific	2	Japanese Popular Culture	2	Skills and Practices for Global Leadership	2
		Peace, Humanity and Democracy	2	Geography of the Asia Pacific	2	Japanese History	2	Global Leadership for Social Impact	2
		Introduction to Intercultural Communication	2	Culture and Society of the Asia Pacific	2	Constitution of Japan	2	Japanese Art of Tea Ceremony	2
		Intercultural Fieldwork I	2	History of the Asia Pacific	2	Special Lecture (Japanese Studies)	2	Japanese Art of Flower Arrangement	2
		Intercultural Fieldwork II	2				Traditional Japanese Arts	2	
		Studies of Multicultural Comparison	2						
		Foundation for Global Leadership	2						
		Overseas Learning Design	2						
		Bridg							
Common Liberal Arts	Introduction to Major Studies Group	Introduction to Sustainable Development★	2	Introduction to Media Studies	2	World Economy and Global Issues	2	Advanced Mathematics	2
		Introduction to Tourism and Hospitality★	2	Introduction to International Relations	2	Introduction to Economics	2	Fundamental Mathematics☆	2
		Introduction to Policy Studies	2	Introduction to Comparative Politics	2				
		Introduction to Sociology★	2	Introduction to Political Science	2				
		Statistics for Social Sciences★	2						
Common Liberal Arts	Global Citizens Foundation	Legal Studies	2	Negotiation Skills	2	Web Design	2	Health Science	2
		Psychology	2	Logic and Critical Thinking	2	Information Processing Essentials	2	Media Production Lab	2
		Bioethics	2	Self-analysis for Career Design	2	Programming Essentials	2	Internship	2
		AI and Society	2	Diverse Perspectives on Understanding Careers	2	Information Literacy	2	Career Field Analysis for Career Development	2
		Western Philosophy	2	Special Lecture (Liberal Arts Subject)	2			AI and Data Science	2
		Chinese Philosophy	2					Introduction to GIS	2
		Western Visual Arts	2					Database Systems	2

Graduation Requirement 6: Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects

Starting from
"Foundation Japanese I"

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			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
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			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

- Students must earn credits for the following four subjects to graduate.

Subject Name	Credits	Semester Available From	Registration Method
Introduction to Tourism and Hospitality	2	1 st Semester	Registered by the Student
Introduction to Sociology	2	1 st Semester	Registered by the Student
Introduction to Sustainable Development	2	1 st Semester	Registered by the Student
Statistics for Social Sciences	2	1 st Semester	Registered by the Student

*You can register for a subject if you are in the semester listed under "Semester Available From" or above

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1	Enroll for at least 4 years
2	Complete at least 124 credits in total
3	Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)
4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of International Studies (domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of Education Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of Education Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
9	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Sustainable Society Subjects
10	Complete at least 2 credits of Off-Campus Program Subjects
11	Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

What are ST Major Education Subjects?

ST Major Education Subjects

What are ST Major Education Subjects?

- These subjects help students understand the goals and philosophy of ST, acquire specialized knowledge and skills, and pursue their interests.
- Most subjects can be taken from your 2nd year onwards.
- ST's Major Education Subjects are further divided into the following categories. ⇒ Use the Curriculum Outline to check which subjects are in each category.

Academic Skills		Students learn the academic skills needed to pursue their studies in ST.
ST Common Subjects	Regional Development	Students acquire the knowledge needed for sustainable regional development and planning, including endogenous development theory and land-based tourism.
	Social Entrepreneurship	Students study the knowledge needed for future business startups.
	Data Science & Information System	In these subjects, students acquire ICT skills that can be applied to tourism and a sustainable society.
Tourism Subjects	Tourism Studies	These subjects cover theories related to tourism from a sociological point of view based on sociological, anthropological, and historical backgrounds.
	Tourism Industry Operations	Students comprehensively study the latest theories, trends, and the social background of various forms of tourism as well as the structure of the tourism industry.
	Hospitality Operation	These subjects teach the theory and practice of hospitality to deepen students' understanding of tourism-related industries and business, such as the service, hotel, resort, and food industries.
Sustainable Society Subjects	Environmental Studies	In these subjects, students comprehensively study basic knowledge and theories concerning the relationship between humans and the environment, including changes in people's behavior regarding global environmental conservation and global issues such as biodiversity, the marine plastic issue, as well as pollution and climate change caused by human activity like air and water pollution.
	Resource Management	Students learn about the basic theories and methods for realizing a resource-recycling society, particularly recycling-oriented economies and low-carbon societies.
	International Development	These subjects focus on the social and economic factors needed to achieve international sustainable development. Students study both theoretical aspects of international development, such as politics for development, sociology, anthropology, economics, and policy, as well as practical aspects, including the role of international organizations and various methods for cooperative development.
Off-Campus Program Subjects		These subjects involve practical experience off campus.
Seminar / Final Results Subjects		Students further their study into their interests in a seminar format.

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5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
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Graduation Requirement 7: Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects

Starting from "Foundation Japanese I"

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			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

- Students must earn credits for the following 3 subjects to graduate.

Subject Name	Credits	Semester Available From (*1)	Registration Method
Introduction to Research Methods	2	1 st Semester	Registered by the Student
Critical Reading I	2	3 rd Semester	Registered by University in 3 rd semester (*2)
Critical Reading II	2	4 th Semester	Registered by University in 4 th semester (*2)

(*1) You can register for a subject if you are in the semester listed under "Semester Available From" or above

(*2) "Critical Reading I" and "Critical Reading II"

- The university will register students for these subjects in their enrollment language.
- In some cases, these will be a preliminary screening for some specific classes. Recruitment information will be posted to Student Portal

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Graduation Requirement 8: Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects

Starting from "Foundation Japanese I"

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At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	16
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

- Students must earn 10 credits from the courses on this list to graduate (5 courses).
- None of these subjects are available to 1st year students.
- Please register for these subjects by yourself.

Area	Subject Name	Credits	Semester Available From
Tourism Studies	Media and Tourism	2	3 rd Semester
	Sociology of Tourism	2	3 rd Semester
	Culture of Tourism	2	3 rd Semester
	Cultural Anthropology	2	3 rd Semester
	Heritage Tourism	2	5 th Semester
	Tourism Economics	2	5 th Semester
Tourism Industry Operations	MICE and Event Industry	2	3 rd Semester
	Special Interest Tourism	2	3 rd Semester
	Tourism Operations	2	3 rd Semester
	Health and Wellness Tourism	2	3 rd Semester
	Destination Marketing	2	5 th Semester
	Hospitality Operation	Food and Beverage Operations	2
Hospitality Operations		2	3 rd Semester
Resort Marketing		2	5 th Semester
Revenue Management		2	5 th Semester
Service Experience Design		2	5 th Semester

*You can register for a subject if you are in the semester listed under "Semester Available From" or above 36

No.	Graduation Requirement
1	Enroll for at least 4 years
2	Complete at least 124 credits in total
3	Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)
4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
9	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Sustainable Society Subjects
10	Complete at least 2 credits of Off-Campus Program Subjects
11	Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

Graduation Requirement 9: Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Sustainable Society Subjects

Starting from "Foundation Japanese I"

Total	Subject Field	Sub total	Subject Field	Required Credits
At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	16
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
		Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2	
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

- Students must earn 10 credits from the courses on this list to graduate (5 courses).
- Only two subjects are available from your 1st semester.
- Please register for these subjects by yourself.

Area	Subject Name	Credits	Semester Available From
Environmental Studies	Biodiversity	2	1st Semester
	Environment and Society	2	3 rd Semester
	Environmental Education	2	3 rd Semester
	Environmental Economics	2	3 rd Semester
	Environmental Policy and Governance	2	3 rd Semester
	Climate Change	2	3 rd Semester
	Parks and Protected Areas	2	5 th Semester
Resource Management	Pollution Prevention	2	1st Semester
	Energy Management	2	3 rd Semester
	Resource Management	2	3 rd Semester
	Sustainable business	2	5 th Semester
	Circular Economy	2	5 th Semester
International Development	Development Sociology and Anthropology	2	3 rd Semester
	Politics of Development	2	3 rd Semester
	International Development Cooperation	2	3 rd Semester
	Conflict and Development	2	3 rd Semester
	Development Policy	2	5 th Semester
	Development and Economy	2	5 th Semester

*You can register for a subject if you are in the semester listed under "Semester Available From" or above 38

No.	Graduation Requirement
1	Enroll for at least 4 years
2	Complete at least 124 credits in total
3	Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)
4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
9	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Sustainable Society Subjects
10	Complete at least 2 credits of Off-Campus Program Subjects
11	Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

Graduation Requirement 10: Complete at least 2 credits of Off-Campus Program Subjects

Starting from
"Foundation Japanese I"

Total	Subject Field	Sub total	Subject Field	Required Credits
At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	16
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

- Students must earn 2 credits for one of the following subjects.

Subject Name	Credits	Semester Available From (*1)	Registration Method
Practicum	2	1 st Semester	Registered by the Student(*2)
Field Study	2	1 st – 7 th Semester	Registered by the University (*3)
Specialized Internship	2	3 rd – 7 th Semester	Registered by the University (*4)

(*1) You can register for a subject if you are in the semester listed under "Semester Available From" or above

(*2) Practicum

- Classes and the practicum are usually held on weekends or Wednesday evenings during each semester's teaching period (Please check syllabus for a detailed schedule).
- Counted towards maximum credit limit.

(*3) Field Study

- Check the Field Study programs for ST on the [Off-campus Study Program](#) website and apply.
- After you apply, the university will register you for the subject based on the results of the preliminary screening.

(*4) Specialized Internship

- Check the details on the [Internships](#) website and apply.

No.	Graduation Requirement
1	Enroll for at least 4 years
2	Complete at least 124 credits in total
3	Complete all required language subjects (or be exempted from required language subjects)
4	Fulfill the credit requirements for each subject field
5	Complete at least 20 credits of subjects held in English (Japanese-basis domestic students only)
6	Complete 8 credits of required Common Liberal Arts Subjects
7	Complete 6 credits of required Academic Skills Subjects
8	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Tourism Subjects
9	Complete at least 10 credits (5 courses) of Sustainable Society Subjects
10	Complete at least 2 credits of Off-Campus Program Subjects
11	Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

Graduation Requirement 11: Complete at least 2 credits of Final Results Subjects

Starting from
"Foundation Japanese I"

Total	Subject Field	Sub total	Subject Field	Required Credits
At least 124 credits	Common Education Subjects	40	Japanese Language Subjects	16
			Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
			Required_Introduction to Major Studies Subjects	8
			Language Education Subjects and/or Common Liberal Arts Subjects	8
	ST Major Education Subjects	62	Tourism Subjects	10
			Sustainable Society Subjects	10
			Required_Academic Skills Subjects	6
			Off-Campus Program Subjects	2
			Elective Required_Graduation Project/Capstone	2
	Other College Subjects	0		
Subjects Not Counted Towards Graduation	0			

- Students must earn credits for one of the following subjects.

Subject Name	Credits	Semester Available From (*1)	Registration Method
Graduation Project	4	7 th Semester	Registered by the University (*2)
Capstone	2	7 th Semester	Registered by the Student

(*1) You can register for a subject if you are in the semester listed under "Semester Available From" or above

(*2) Registered by the university based on preliminary screening

- Students can only register for "Graduation Project" if they have earned credits for the prerequisite subject "Research Seminar".

Break



2-1. What is Course Registration?

▶ **Course Registration is:**

- Expressing yourself and choosing which classes you want to take.
- The most important part of your academic planning.
- Something you must do to attend class, earn credits, and graduate.

DO NOT register for courses you do not plan to take, as this may block other students who want to take the course from registering.

▶ **Courses are arranged in order by year level, starting from the basics**

Courses are arranged in order, starting with the basics, with subjects aimed at 1st-year students, then 2nd-year students, and so on.

Please check each subject's "**Semester**", "**Subject Field**", "**Prerequisite Subjects**", and "**Course Registration Restrictions**" and think carefully about what area you want to focus on before systemically registering for your courses.

► Maximum Credit Registration Limit

School Year	1		2		3		4 and above	
Semester	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8 and above
Regular Students	18	18	20	20	20	20	24	24

(credits)

- There is a maximum limit on the number of credits you can register for each semester.
- Credits for courses automatically registered by the university are also included in this limit.
- There is no minimum number of credits you must register for each semester.
- You may be required to earn a set number of credits to apply for scholarships and certain programs. Please consult the Student Office.

All new students can register for a maximum of 18 credits in the 2026 Spring Semester

ST-E (Starting from Japanese Foundation I)

(Credits)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Japanese Foundation I				Japanese Foundation II				SSW		Information Literacy		1	2	3	4	5	6

Students can delete on their own

Number of credits you can register for by yourself

ST-E (Exempted from All Required Japanese Subjects)

(Credits)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
SSW		Information Literacy		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14

Students can delete on their own

*Subjects highlighted in red are required subjects that you must earn credits for in order to graduate. If you fail any of these subjects, the university will register the subject for you again in the following semester.

▶ Common Liberal Arts Subjects Registered by the University

	Student Success Workshop (SSW)	Multicultural Cooperative Workshop (MCW)	Information Literacy
Registration Method	Registered by University *Cannot be dropped	Registered by University *Cannot be dropped	Registered by University *Can be dropped
Semester Registered *Fall Enrollees	1 st Semester	2 nd Semester	1 st Semester

▶ Information Literacy

- On-demand course (Students study by watching recorded lessons at their own pace)
- You can drop this course if you decide you do not need to take it after checking your achievement level on the syllabus (can only be dropped in Period B or Course Drop Period 1)
- Can only be registered in 1st semester

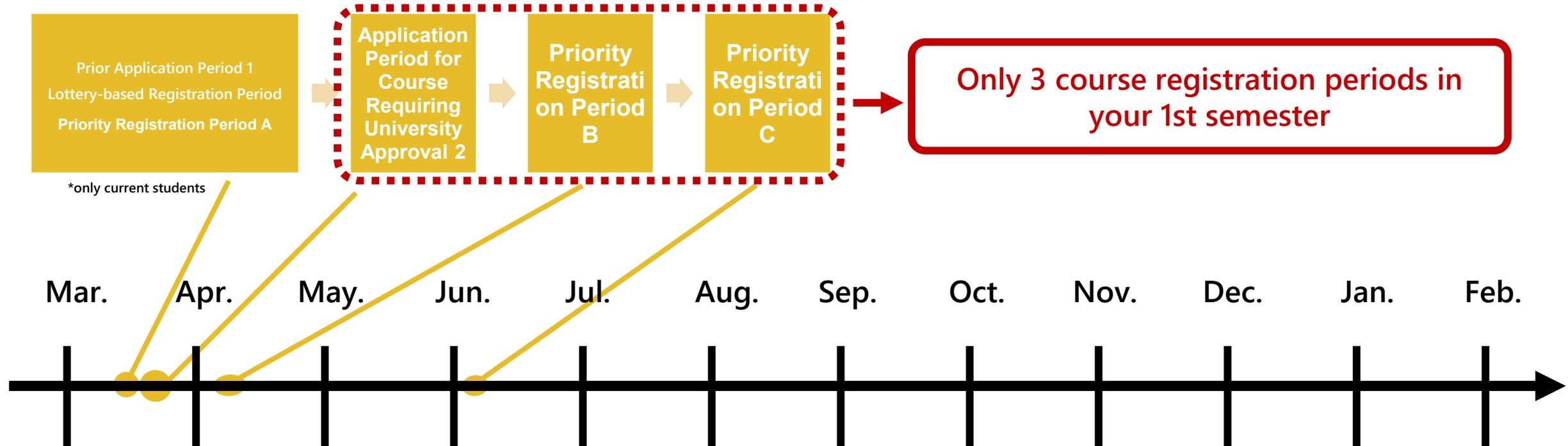


2-2. Course Registration Periods

Course Registration Periods

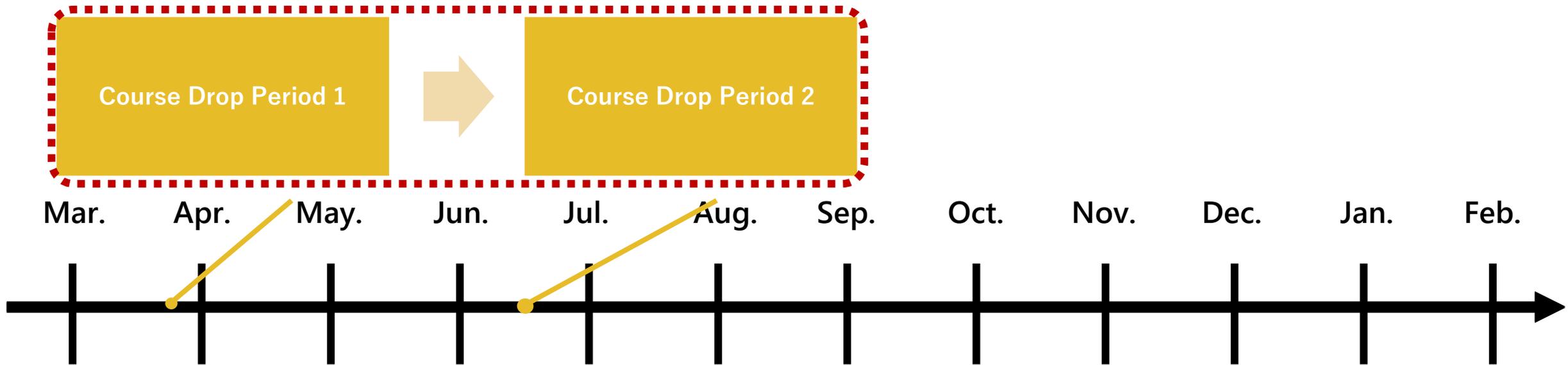
- During your 1st semester only, there are just 3 course registration periods:
Application Period for Course Requiring University Approval 2, Priority Registration Period B, and Priority Registration Period C.

Spring Semester (1st Semester)



Course Drop Periods

- Course Drop Periods:
Course Drop Period 1, Course Drop Period 2





Application Period for Course Requiring University Approval 2	Eligible Students	Time
	<p>New or Reenrolling Students or Exchange Students (New), etc.</p>	<p>March 27th (Fri.) 12:00 - March 29th (Sun.) 12:00</p>

Course Type	Register / Drop
Semester Subjects	<p>Application Available</p>
1 st Quarter Subjects	
2 nd Quarter Subjects	
Session Subjects	

- Can apply for courses requiring university approval.
- If your application is approved and you are registered to for the course, you cannot drop the course.



Priority Registration Period B	Eligible Students	Start Time	End Time
April 3 (Fri)	New or Reenrolling Students or Exchange Students, etc.	09:00	16:00
	ALL Students	12:00	16:00

Course Type	Register / Drop
Semester Subjects	Register / Drop
1 st Quarter Subjects	
2 nd Quarter Subjects	
Session Subjects	

- Courses with remaining seats after Priority Registration Period B, can be registered by students from any college in Priority Registration Period C. (Only 2nd Quarter and Session courses).
- As a rule, 'other college courses' can only be registered by 2nd Year students (3rd semester onwards).



Priority Registration Period C	Eligible Students	Start Time	End Time
June 1 (Mon)	ALL Students	09:00	16:00

Course Type	Register / Drop
Semester Subjects	Cannot Change
1 st Quarter Subjects	
2 nd Quarter Subjects	Register / Drop
Session Subjects	

- Only 2nd Quarter and Session courses with remaining seats available can be registered. (Registration to Semester and 1st Quarter courses cannot be changed).
- After Priority Registration Period C, you can only drop 2nd Quarter and Session courses during Course Drop Period 2.



Course Drop Period 1	Eligible Students	Start Time	End Time
	ALL	9:00	16:00

Course Type	Register / Drop
Semester Subjects	<p>Drop only</p> <p>*Courses registered by the university or Prior Application or Lottery-based registration cannot be dropped</p>
1 st Quarter Subjects	
2 nd Quarter Subjects	
Session Subjects	

- Please note that you are only allowed to delete registered courses during Course Drop Periods. **If you make a mistake and delete a registered course by accident, you will be unable to re-register it again.** Please be extra careful when deleting courses.



Course Drop Period 2	Eligible Students	Start Time	End Time
	ALL	9:00	16:00

Course Type	Register / Drop
Semester Subjects	Cannot Change
1 st Quarter Subjects	
2 nd Quarter Subjects	Drop Only *Courses registered by the university or Prior Application or Lottery-based registration cannot be dropped
Session Subjects	

- 2nd quarter courses and Session courses can only be dropped. (Registration for semester courses and 1st quarter courses cannot be modified.)
- Please note that you are only allowed to delete registered courses during Course Drop Periods.
 If you make a mistake and delete a registered course by accident, you will be unable to re-register it again.
 Please be extra careful when deleting courses.
- You cannot change your course registration after Course Drop Period 2 ends no matter the reason.

Period	Semester Courses	1 st Quarter Courses	2 nd Quarter Courses	Session Courses
Priority Registration Period A <small>*only current students</small>	Register / Drop	Register / Drop	Register / Drop	Register / Drop
Application Period for Course Requiring University Approval 2	Application Available	Application Available	Application Available	Application Available
Priority Registration Period B	Register / Drop	Register / Drop	Register / Drop	Register / Drop
Course Drop Period 1	<u>Drop Only</u>	<u>Drop Only</u>	<u>Drop Only</u>	<u>Drop Only</u>
Priority Registration Period C	<u>Cannot Change</u>	<u>Cannot Change</u>	Register / Drop	Register / Drop
Course Drop Period 2	<u>Cannot Change</u>	<u>Cannot Change</u>	<u>Drop Only</u>	<u>Drop Only</u>

POINT: How to Think About Registration



- ▶ Courses that haven't started yet
Can register or delete course
- ▶ Courses that have already started
Can only delete course
- ▶ Courses that are already halfway through/
courses that have already ended
Cannot register or delete course

Course Registration Schedule ▶

Course Registration Period	Date & Time
Application Period for Course Requiring University Approval 2	Fri., March 27, 12:00 – Sun., March 29, 12:00
Priority Registration Period B	Fri., April 3, 9:00 – 16:00
Course Drop Period 1	Mon., April 13, 9:00 – 16:00
Priority Registration Period C	Mon., June 1, 9:00 – 16:00
Course Drop Period 2	Mon., June 15, 9:00 – 16:00

- You can register for courses at home, in AP House, or anywhere else either on or off campus with an internet connection.
- ONLY for Priority Registration Period B, new students who do not have their own device, can use the PC rooms open on campus to complete course registration.
- Please note the number of PC rooms is limited, so there is possibility that you will be unable to use them. We ask for your understanding.
- The university will announce the open PC classrooms on Student Portal.



2-3. Preparation Work for the Course Registration Guidance (Homework)

Important

Course Registration Guidance

Thu., April 2nd

Please fill out the “Study Plan Worksheet” before the Course Registration Guidance. You will use this worksheet to create your timetable during the guidance session.

【Purpose】

- Understand how to plan your course registration over 4 years of study.
- Learn about the steps and reference materials needed for course registration.
- Understand how to use the Excel resources and Campusmate.
- Learn how to register for courses by yourself from your 2nd semester onwards.

STEP 1 : Think about your 4-year study plan

What do you want to study at APU? What interests you at the moment? What kind of career to do you want in the future? It doesn't matter if it's just a vague idea. Write down anything that comes to mind.

E.g. I want to find a job that uses Japanese / I'm interested in media / I'm curious about international relations / I mainly want to focus on studying marketing / I'm interested in SDGs / I want to teach English...

2023 Curriculum Students

Preparation for Course Registration Guidance (Study Plan Worksheet)

Course registration is the process of choosing and registering for the classes you want to take. It is the most important process for deciding your study plan, and something you must do to attend classes, earn credits, and graduate. Students need to register for courses each semester.

In the Course Registration Guidance Session on Wednesday, April 3, you will have the opportunity to actually create your ideal timetable while checking the Subject List and each subject's syllabus. It is important to have an understanding of the points you need to bear in mind when making your timetable, so please complete STEP 1 to STEP 3 on this worksheet before attending the Course Registration Guidance Session. Please make sure to bring this worksheet with you to the Course Registration Guidance Session.

STEP 1: Think about your 4-year study plan

What do you want to study at APU? What interests you at the moment? What kind of career do you want in the future? It doesn't matter if it's something you are just considering or a vague idea. Write down what comes to mind.

E.g.: I want to find a job that uses Japanese / I want to work in the tourism industry / I'm curious about international relations / I mainly want to focus on studying marketing / I want to teach English, etc.

STEP 2: Find subjects you want to study and subjects that interest you

While considering which subjects may link to what you wrote for STEP 1, look through the Curriculum Outline and Subject List and write down any subject names that pique your interest on the back of this worksheet. The Curriculum Outline and Subject List include all the subjects you can study during your 4 years at APU.

- Curriculum Outline:

The Curriculum Outline only shows the Major Education Subjects for your own college. Choose subjects from the section for 1st-year students.

- Subject List:

The Subject List also includes Major Education Subjects from other colleges (Other College Subjects). Choose subjects that have “1” written under “Semester”.

E.g.: Students interested in media: Introduction to Media Studies, Japanese Popular Culture...

Students interested in international relations: Introduction to International Relations, Introduction to Comparative Politics, Introduction to Area Studies...

STEP 3: Check the course content using the syllabus

Look up what you can study for each of the subjects you listed in STEP 2.

It is impossible to know what you will study and the format of classes from the subject name alone. Carefully read through the syllabus to check what content you want to study. If you make a note of the course content and evaluation method, it will be easy for you to check back afterwards.

=====End of Preparations=====

STEP 4: Attend the Course Registration Guidance Session on April 3

Please complete this worksheet before attending the Course Registration Guidance Session. During the session, we will go over STEP 1 to 3, check if the subjects you want to take are available this semester, and create your own timetable together.

STEP 2: Find subjects you want to study and subjects that interest you

While considering which subjects may link to what you wrote for STEP 1, look through the Curriculum Outline and Subject List and write down any subject names that pique your interest. The Curriculum Outline and Subject List include all the subjects you can study during your 4 years at APU.

ST 2023 Curriculum Outline



ST 2023 Subject List



STEP 3: Check the course content for the subjects you wrote down in STEP 2

It is impossible to know what you will study from the subject name alone. Check the syllabus, which has information about the course content, plan, and evaluation method.

Syllabus



Worksheet for ST 2023 Curriculum Students		Subjects You Want to Take & Subjects that Interest You
Language	IT (Business Use)	*English-basis students are not eligible to take these subjects.
	IT (Advanced Use)	*English-basis students are also eligible to take these subjects, but there are some conditions.
	Japanese	*The university will automatically register you for Foundation (J/II) and Intermediate based on the results of the Placement Test. Please write down any other Japanese subjects you are interested in. *Japanese-basis students are not eligible to take these subjects.
	AP Language	*You cannot register for subjects teaching your native language. *Japanese-basis students must have completed or be exempted from "Elementary English A and B", and English-basis students must have completed or been exempted from "Japanese Foundation (I, II, B)".
Common Education Subjects	Common	
	APU Literacy	
	Introduction to Major Studies Group	
Tourism Studies	Global Citizens Foundation	
	Tourism Studies	*No subjects are available to 1st-year students. You can register for these subjects from your 2nd year (3rd semester) onwards. Please write down any subjects you want to take in your 2nd year or above.
	Tourism Industry Operations	*No subjects are available to 1st-year students. You can register for these subjects from your 2nd year (3rd semester) onwards. Please write down any subjects you want to take in your 2nd year or above.
Sustainable Living Studies	Hospitality Operation	*No subjects are available to 1st-year students. You can register for these subjects from your 2nd year (3rd semester) onwards. Please write down any subjects you want to take in your 2nd year or above.
	Environmental Studies	
	Resource Management	
ST Major Studies	International Development	*No subjects are available to 1st-year students. You can register for these subjects from your 2nd year (3rd semester) onwards. Please write down any subjects you want to take in your 2nd year or above.
	Regional Development	
	Social Responsibility	
	Data Science & Information System	
Academic Skills	Special Lecture	
	Academic Skills	
	Off-Campus Program	
Seminar Subjects	Seminar Subjects	*Students can register for these subjects from their 3rd year (5th semester).
	Final Results Subjects	*Students can register for these subjects from their 4th year (7th semester).
Other Colleges (APS / APM)	Other Colleges (APS / APM)	*1st-year students cannot register for other colleges' major subjects. You can register for these subjects from Period B of your 2nd year (3rd semester) onwards. Please write down any subjects you want to take in your 2nd year or above.

2-4. Other

Class Cancellations & Make-up Classes

- Classes may be cancelled if the instructor is unwell, due to weather conditions, etc.
- If a class is cancelled, then a make-up class will be held on one of the designated make-up class days. (Make sure to keep your schedule free on days marked as “Make-up Classes” on the Academic Calendar.)
- Information about class cancellations and make-up classes is posted to Student Portal.

Contacting Instructors

- At university, in principle students communicate with their instructors directly. (Questions, class absences, etc.)
- Please use the following methods to consult your instructors if you have any questions or doubts about your classes.
 - **Consult your instructor in the classroom either before or after class**
 - **Send questions by email** (Check their contact information from the syllabus, on the office hours page, or in class)
 - **Use office hours** (The hours when professors are available for consultation in their office. Check the time on the office hours webpage.)
- Part-time professors do not have their own office. Please ask any questions by email or in class.

Important Notes

- **Always include 1) your student ID number, 2) full name, and 3) the details of your consultation or question** when sending emails.
- **Always use your APU email address (@apu.ac.jp)** when contacting your professors or university staff.



1. Read and review the following materials

Check the following materials to further your understanding of the graduation requirements.

Website



Today's
Guidance Materials



FAQs



Supplementary
Information (Next Slides)

First check the "How to Use this Website" page!

2. Fill out the worksheet

Fill out the "Study Plan Worksheet" before attending the Course Registration Guidance.

3. Attend the Course Registration Guidance

Join the Course Registration Guidance after completing steps 1 and 2 above.

Date: Thu., April 2

Items to Bring: PC, completed worksheet, writing implements



Supplementary Information



Website / Online Materials

Graduation requirements for each college, subjects available to all students (Language Subjects, etc.), and other important academic information.



Syllabus

Professors provide information about the course plan to students, including course content, grading method, and other important information.



Subject List

This contains important information you need when registering for courses, including course registration restrictions and which semester subjects are available from.

*Includes subjects that aren't offered every semester.



Course Timetable

A list of all the courses offered that semester with information about the day, period, classroom, etc. Subjects not included on the list are not available that semester.

1. Check the timetable for your automatically-registered subjects

- Access CAMPUS WEB, go to the section [Registered Courses and Grade Report] and click on [Subject List]. Check the course codes of the subjects registered by the University and cross-reference with the timetable in the Academic Information website in [Chapter 2] → [2. Course Timetable] to confirm the days and periods of those courses registered by the University. (You cannot change the day or period of courses registered by the University).

2. Check the syllabus, subject list, and course timetable

- Use the syllabus, subject list, and course timetable to research information about the subjects you want to register in your open class periods. (*Make sure to check the information for your curriculum.)
- Syllabus: Check the information about course content, grading method, and recommended qualifications/knowledge, and think about which subjects you want to take.
- Subject List: Check the semester available, prerequisites, and course registration restrictions to see if you can register for the courses you are interested in.
- Course Timetable: Check if the subject you want to take is offered in the current semester. Subjects that are not included on the course timetable are not available that semester.

3. Make a (tentative) timetable

- Make a tentative timetable based on 1 and 2
- We recommend making several tentative timetables in case you are unable to register for your first-choice subjects during course registration.

4. Register for your courses during course registration

- Register for courses on CAMPUS WEB.

- Detailed information about each college's graduation requirements is available on the Academic Information website. Please check the information for your college.
- The subject lists and information about graduation requirements are separated by curriculum, so please check the information for your curriculum.

Curriculum & Graduation Requirements for Each College

Please refer to the following pages for details about each college's curriculum and graduation requirements.

Chapter 8: College of Asia Pacific Studies APS's human resource development goals and graduation requirements. Please check the information for your curriculum	Chapter 9: College of International Management APM's human resource development goals and graduation requirements. Please check the information for your curriculum	Chapter 10: College of Sustainability and Tourism ST's human resource development goals and graduation requirements.
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► What is a Syllabus?

- Professors use the syllabus to tell students their plan for the course.
- The syllabus contains important basic information about the course, including the semester offered, course content, grading method, and notes for students.
- You can check each subject's syllabus on the Academic Information website.
- Please check the syllabus when choosing your courses.

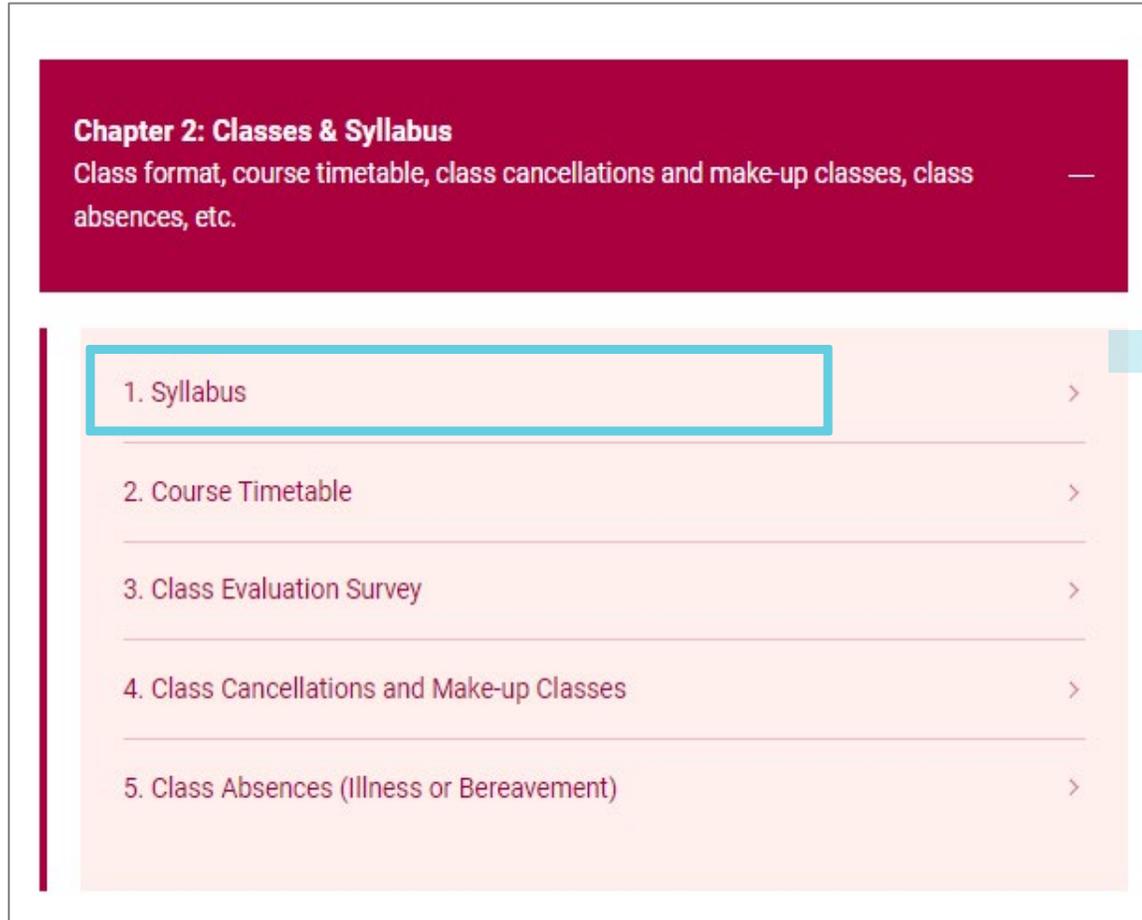
Check the Syllabus 

Items on the Syllabus

- Subject / Class Name
- Semester Offered (SP/FA)
- Instructor's Name
- Course Description
- Format of Each Class Session
(In person/online/on demand)
- Notes for Students
- Textbooks / Reference
Materials
- Grading Method
- Instructor's Contact Info

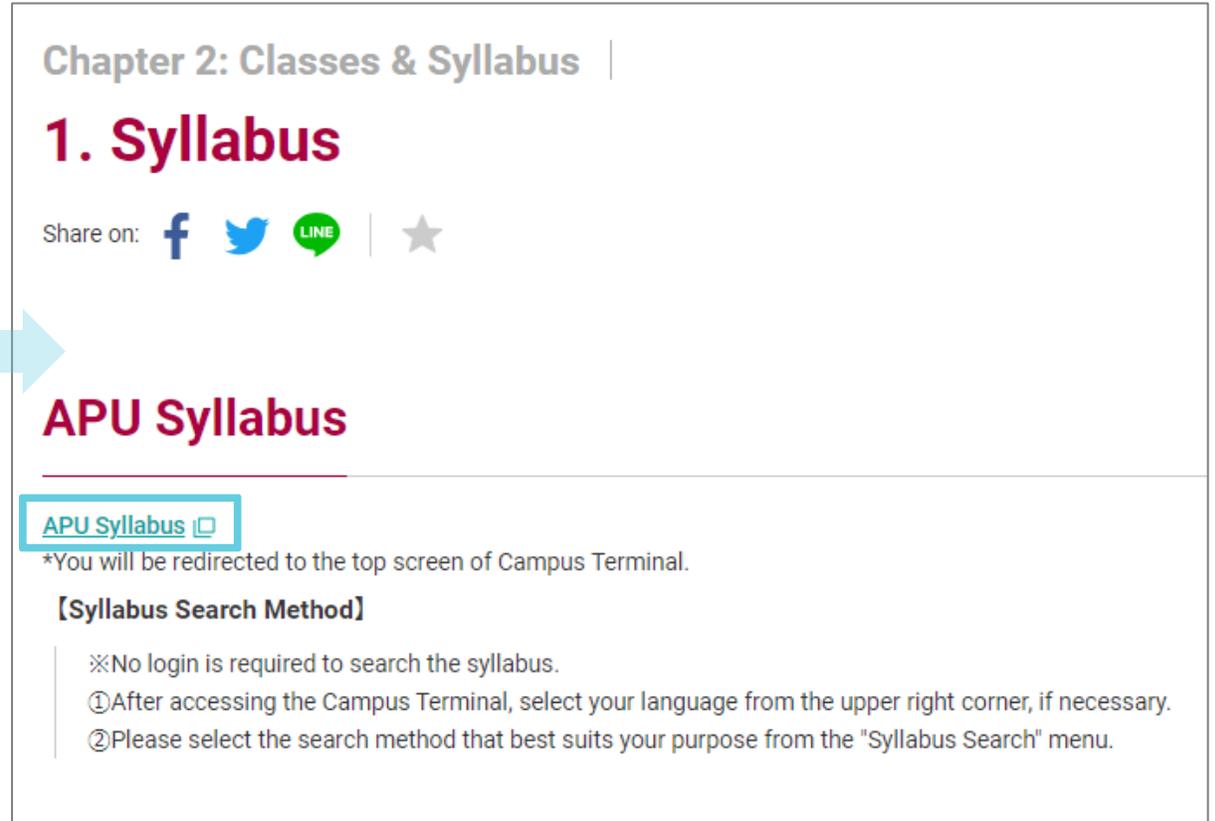
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1. Syllabus

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*You will be redirected to the top screen of Campus Terminal.

【Syllabus Search Method】

- ※No login is required to search the syllabus.
- ①After accessing the Campus Terminal, select your language from the upper right corner, if necessary.
- ②Please select the search method that best suits your purpose from the "Syllabus Search" menu.

Search Page



Log in

Home

言語/Language

英語 (US)/English(US)

Syllabus Search

You can search for syllabi using multiple keywords such as course title, instructor, etc. When you search by the instructor's name, please enter a space between the first name and the surname.

For syllabi prior to AY2025, search using keywords without specifying a college or graduate school.

Results per page

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Search for *Note: These characters may cause an error: ?, *, (,), \, "

Course code, course title, instructor, etc.

College Offering the Course

All

Year

2025

Semester

All

Period

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

- You can select the relevant course period and specify the subject, instructor, day, and class period when searching for courses.
- If you search by course name or instructor, please do not change a single letter or word.
- We recommend copy and pasting the instructor's name or course name directly from the course timetable (Excel).

Syllabus Page

Course Name	Course Number	Subject Attribute	Year	Semester	Period	College Offering the Course	Co by Co
12062:Introduction to International Relations(EA)	[23]-[LIB]-[MSG]-1, [17]-[LIB]-[GCF]-1		2025	FA	Fri6		

Important Notes Regarding Course Registration

不正行為（カンニング、剽窃等）は自ら学習する権利を放棄し、APUで学ぶ資格を失う行為です。Academic misconduct (cheating, plagiarism, etc.) during an examination amounts to an abandonment of one's own disqualification from study at APU. Academic misconduct is subject to severe punishment.

必修科目など一部の科目を除き、履修する科目を選択するにあたり、当該科目における学びの内容、授業手法や設計方法として活用することを目的に授業評価アンケートの公表を行っています。

With the exception of some courses, such as required subjects, we publish the class Evaluation Survey Results to give students information about course content, teaching methods, course design, and other items on reference when choosing their courses.

URL https://en.apu.ac.jp/academic/class_info/class_evaluation_survey/

Subject Field(Keywords related to lecture content)

International Relations, politics, nation state, conflict, cooperation

Recommended Qualifications / Knowledge

Interest in international politics

Course Overview

This course provides a broad overview of major topics in the study of International Relations (IR). It begins with classes outlining major theories and frameworks to understand IR, including example case studies of the particular IR issues of several countries in the three regions of North America, East Asia, and Europe. Then the course looks at particular global issues in several countries. The goals are to gain an understanding of international relations theories, and understand how to apply them to international issues.

Course Objectives

In this course, students will become familiar with realist, liberal, critical and constructivist perspectives. We will help students develop the ability to practical skills. This will give them a grounding for further study.

Teaching Methods

Classes usually consist of a continuous blend of contents previously covered. Students' experience is an integral part of the teaching methods for this course. Videos, and other data sources are used during the classes.

◆ Course Number

If your own curriculum is listed here, you are eligible to take the subject.

[23] : 2023 Curriculum Subject

[17] : 2017 Curriculum Subject

*Even if the subject belongs to your curriculum, please check the Subject List to see if you meet the requirements to take the subject.

*This section is blank for 2011 curriculum subjects.

◆ Method of Grade Evaluation

Besides the evaluation method, this section also has information about attendance, assignments, reports, and exams.

Method of Grade Evaluation

Kind	Percentage	Grading Criteria etc.
Method of Grade Evaluation Notes		
	30%	mid-term exam
	35%	final exam
	35%	participation (comments, quizzes, worksheets, etc.)

AI Policies

Method of Implementing Multicultural Collaborative Learning

Class discussions about a variety of countries and their international relations issues. Students think about various international perspectives on the topics, and can use their experience and ideas to contribute to discussions in the class and on Moodle forums provided.

◆ Recommended Qualifications / Knowledge

This section outlines what knowledge you need to take this subject, as well as the courses the professor prefers students to have completed already.

[More information about Course Numbers](#) 

► **Course Number**

The course number indicates the position of the subject within the curriculum and the curriculum’s overall organization.

Please refer to this number on the syllabus when planning your systematic course registration.

Course Name	Course Number	Subject Attribute	Year	Semester	Period	College Offering the Course	Course Offered by Another College	All Instructors	Credits
12062:Introduction to International Relations(EA)	[23]-[LIB]-[MSG]-1, [17]-[LIB]-[GCF]-1		2025	FA	Fri6			VYAS Utpal	2



E.g.	Curriculum	Subject Field	Area of Study	Grade Level
Course Number	23	LIB	MSG	1
Meaning	2023 Curriculum	Common Liberal Arts	Introduction to Major Studies Group	1 st Year Students

► What is the Subject List?

- The subject list has information about the registration requirements for each subject. If you do not fulfill the requirements, you cannot register for the subject.
- The subjects listed are not necessarily offered every semester.
- Please refer to the syllabi and course timetable published each semester for more details about the subjects that will be offered that semester.

Items on the Subject List



- Subject Name
- Credits
- Semester Available
- Prerequisite Subjects
- Course Re-registration
- Course Registration Restrictions
- Area of Study etc.

Check the Subject List



【How to access】

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Chapter 10: College of Sustainability and Tourism
ST's human resource development goals and graduation requirements.

- 1. What is a Curriculum? >
- 2. About the College of Sustainability and Tourism >
- 3. Graduation Requirements >
- 4. Curriculum Outline & Subject List >**
- 5. Common Education Subjects (Language Education Subjects) +
- 6. Common Education Subjects (Common Liberal Arts Subjects) +
- 7. ST Major Education Subjects +

Chapter 10: College of Sustainability and Tourism |
4. Curriculum Outline & Subject List

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23 2023 Curriculum
• Students who enrolled as new (1st year) students in AY 2023 or later.

Curriculum Outline

[ST 2023 Curriculum Outline](#)

Subject List

ST 2023 Curriculum Subject List (Excel)

The subject list contains information about the subject codes for each subject, what subject field the credits will count towards, and more. The subjects listed are not necessarily offered every semester.
For more details about which subjects will be offered, please refer to the syllabi and course timetable published each semester.

[ST 2023 Curriculum Subject List](#) [x](#)

[ST 2023 Curriculum Credit Transfer Subject List](#) [x](#)

2023 Curriculum

Sample

科目名 Subject Name	配当セメ スター Sem	前提科目JST Prerequisite Subjects for JST	前提科目JAT Prerequisite Subjects for JAT	前提科目E Prerequisite Subjects for E	履修制限 Course Registration
中国語Ⅱ Chinese II	1	・010180 中国語Ⅰ Chinese I ・011100 英語初級 A Elementary English A ・011101 英語初級B Elementary English B	・010180 中国語Ⅰ Chinese I	・010081 日本語初 級Ⅰ Japanese Foundation Course I ・010091 日本語初 級Ⅱ Japanese Foundation Course II ・010092 日本語初 級Ⅲ Japanese Foundation Course III ・010180 中国語Ⅰ Chinese I	
日本語プロジェクトF Japanese Project F	1	・010103 日本語上 級 Advanced Japanese	・010103 日本語上 級 Advanced Japanese	・010103 日本語上 級 Advanced Japanese	
日本語・日本社会 Language and Social Topics in Japan	1	・010103 日本語上 級 Advanced Japanese	・010103 日本語上 級 Advanced Japanese	・010103 日本語上 級 Advanced Japanese	
会計学Ⅱ Accounting II	3	・030571 会計学Ⅰ Accounting I	・030571 会計学Ⅰ Accounting I	・030571 会計学Ⅰ Accounting I	B期間から Available from Period B

*The image is a sample. Please check the ST 2023 Curriculum Subject List for the official list.

POINTS of Note



【Semester】

The semester from which the subject is available to students. You can register for this subject if you are in the semester listed or higher.

【Prerequisite Subjects】

You cannot register for this subject unless you have already earned credits for the subjects listed here. If you have not earned credits for the set prerequisite subjects, then you cannot register for the subject even if you meet the semester requirements. Prerequisite subjects differ for JST/JAT/E students.

【Course Registration Restrictions】

Lists any restrictions on registering for that subject.

This column notes which subjects are automatically registered by APU, when students can register for the subject, and if there any restrictions related to language basis.

► What is the Course Timetable?

- The Course Timetable lists all the courses offered for the current semester, including information about the day, class period, classroom, etc.
- Subjects not listed on the current course timetable are not offered that semester.
*The timetable for Session Subjects is announced separately
- The timetable also contains the information listed on the right, so make sure to check it before registering for courses.

Items on the Course Timetable

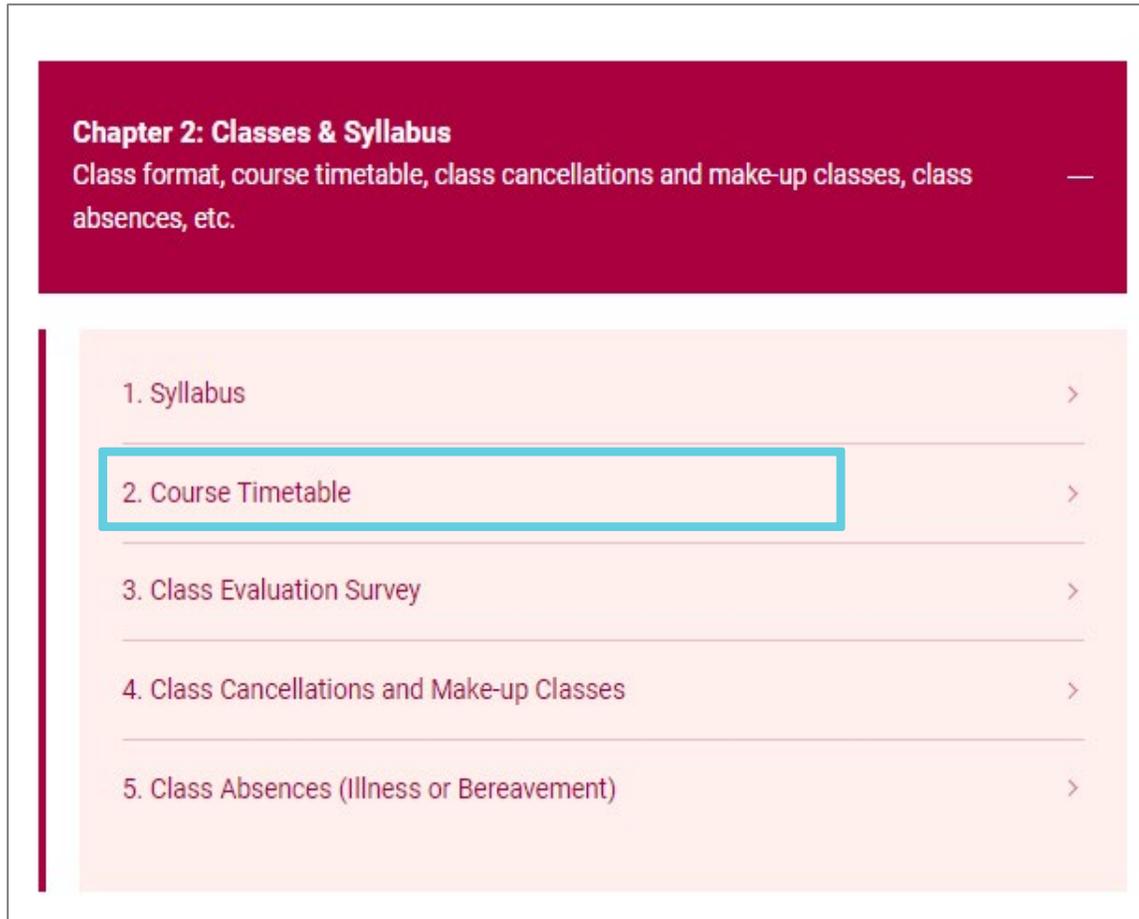


- Term / Day of Week / Period
- Class Format / Classroom / Zoom ID
- Subject Name / Subject Code
- Instructor
- Method of Grade Evaluation
- Language
- Semester Available From
- Subject Field / Area of Study

Check the Course Timetable 

【 Access Method 】

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Course Timetable

The timetable varies depending on the college and enrollment year. Please check carefully.

The fall semester timetable and syllabus may be subject to change in the future and are :
Please be sure to check the updated timetable and syllabus before registering for fall semester.

※The schedule for the summer session is planned to be released around June, and the v

※The timetable for classes registered by the University for spring semester will be announced to students. Announcements will be made in the "Action Required" section of Campustermi

[AY2025 Summer Session Course Timetable](#) (PDF, updated 2025/7/7)

College of Asia Pacific Studies (APS)

College of International Management (APM)

College of Sustainability and Tourism (ST)

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2026 Spring

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1. Students who enrolled as new (1st-semester) students from AY 2023 onwards.
2. Students who enrolled as 2nd-year transfer students from AY 2024 onwards.
3. Students who enrolled as 3rd-year transfer students from AY 2025 onwards.

AY2025 Spring Semester Course Timetable

- [For 2023 ST Curriculum Students 25Spring](#) (xlsx, updated 2025/5/28)

AY2025 Fall Semester Course Timetable

- [For 2023 ST Curriculum Students 25Fall](#) (xlsx, updated 2025/3/3)

Materials 4: How to Read the Course Timetable

Term Length of the course period **1**

Zoom MTG ID /Classroom Distance Learning Courses: Zoom ID In-Person Courses: Classroom **2**

In-Person or Online Class Format: In-Person/On-Demand/Online **3**

1	2	3					
期間/ Term	曜日/ Day of Week	時限/ Period	Zoom MTG ID	教室/ Classroom	In-Person or Online	授業コード/ Class code	講義名 Course Name
1Q	火/Tue.	1		Hut of Peace Spirit		02702	Tea Ceremony
2Q	木/Thu.	1	333-333-333			02803	Western Philosophy
Semester	月/Mon.	3		F204		03035	Sociology of Tourism
Session1	セッション /Session	T.B.A.		T.B.A.		02703	Traditional Japanese Arts

※時間割はサンプルです

Materials 4: How to Read the Course Timetable

Language

Language of instruction

J: Japanese E: English Es: Treated as English
E/J: Both languages used Blank: Language subject

4

Semester

Semester from which you can register for the subject
New students can only register for subjects that say "1" under "Semester".
You can register for the subject if you are in the same semester or higher than the number listed here.

5

Field

Subject areas where credits are tallied.

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Subject Name	担当教員	Instructor	言語/ Lang.	配当セメスター / Semester	分野/ Field
Bridge Program EA	AAA AA	AAA AA	Es	1	教養/Liberal Arts
Pre-Intermediate English A	BBB BB	BBB BB		1	言語/Language
Pollution Prevention JA	CCC CC	CCC CC	J	3	他学部/ Other College
Introduction to Marketing EA	DDD DD	DDD DD	E	3	他学部/ Other College
Media and HistoryEA	EEE EE	EEE EE	E	3	専門/Major

**Thanks
for Listening!**

