

AY2026 Application Guidelines for
Rikkyo Promising Future Scholarship (RPFS)
For April/September PEACE Enrollees through general entrance application

1. Objective

The Rikkyo Promising Future Scholarship (RPFS), for which eligibility is determined at the time of application, aims at excellent privately financed international students from various regions and countries who display a strong desire to study at Rikkyo University, thereby welcoming excellent international students from various regions and countries across the world, contributing to the further internationalization of Rikkyo, and nurturing students to use their studies at Rikkyo to play an active international role in their future careers.

2. Student Eligible for the RPFS

The subject of the RPFS shall be those students who enroll in the College of Law and Politics, College of Intercultural Communication, and the Global Liberal Arts Program, through the general entrance application of the PEACE program.

3. Scholarship Amount, Payment Method and Period

Award Amount

【April enrollment】

JPY 1,000,000 for the first 2 consecutive semesters (JPY500,000/semester)

【September enrollment】

JPY 1,500,000 for the first 3 consecutive semesters (JPY500,000/semester)

Payment Method

Automatically deducted from the required fees by semester.

Payment Period

【April enrollment】

1 year (2 consecutive semesters)

【September enrollment】

1.5 years (3 consecutive semesters)

4. Number of Recipients

10 students/AY (enrollees through general entrance application)

5. Application Eligibility and Requirements

- (1) Students who have or will have the “Student” status of residence at the time of enrollment; and.
- (2) Students accepted for enrollment to Rikkyo through the general entrance application of the PEACE Program.
- (3) It is not approved to receive the RPFS at the same time as any other scholarships from Rikkyo University (except for the Rikkyo University Global Scholarship).
- (4) If students who applied with a Predicted Score and are candidates for the RPFS do not meet the requirements in the Final Score, the scholarship will be withdrawn or canceled.

6. Applications

An applicant for the Scholarship shall apply through the online application system at the time of application for the PEACE program.

7. Selection and Determination of Prospective Recipients

Successful applicants are selected through general entrance application of each college and determined by the University.

8. Announcements

Prospective recipients shall be notified of the awarding of the RPFS through the online application system at the time they are notified of acceptance into Rikkyo.

9. Important Notices

- In the light of the spirit of the scholarship, the recipients of the scholarship shall endeavor in their study at Rikkyo and complete their courses, while serving as a good role model for others.
- The scholarship shall be withdrawn in the event that it transpires that a recipient does not have the “Student” status of residence after enrollment in principle. In that case, the recipient must return the amounts covered by the scholarship.
- The scholarship shall not be paid for semesters in which a student takes a leave of absence. Also, payment of the scholarship may be suspended when it is recognized that circumstances have arisen in which it is not appropriate to award the scholarship, such as the recipient abandoning their studies at Rikkyo.
- A recipient shall forfeit eligibility to receive the scholarship, when they are subject to withdrawal or expulsion from Rikkyo, or, when it is deemed appropriate to disqualify them from receiving the scholarship due to suspension from classes or disciplinary action, etc.

Applications Schedules

Application Schedule 1 for PEACE applicants to be enrolled in April, 2026

RPFS application period	November 13, 2025 to November 27, 2025	Apply for the RPFS through the online application system during the application period for the PEACE program.
Announcement of selection results	January 16, 2026	To be announced through the online application system at the time of notification of acceptance into Rikkyo

Application Schedule 2 for PEACE applicants to be enrolled in September, 2026

Scholarship application period	January 19, 2026 to February 2, 2026	Apply for the RPFS through the online application system during the application period for the PEACE program
Announcement of selection results	March 6, 2026	To be announced through the online application system at the time of notification of acceptance into Rikkyo

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