

1. Overview and Comparisons With Other Universities (as of May 1, 2017)

1-1. Overview of Kyushu University

1-1-1. Composition of Schools and Faculties

Faculty of Arts and Science		
Schools (11)	Graduate Schools (18)	Graduate Schools (Faculties) (16)
School of Letters	Graduate School of Humanities	Faculty of Humanities
School of Education	Graduate School of Integrated Sciences for Global Society	Faculty of Social and Cultural Studies
School of Law	Graduate School of Human-Environment Studies	Faculty of Human-Environment Studies
School of Economics	Graduate School of Law	Faculty of Law
School of Science	Law School (Professional Graduate School)	Faculty of Economics
School of Medicine	Graduate School of Economics	Faculty of Languages and Cultures
School of Dentistry	Graduate School of Science	Faculty of Science
School of Pharmaceutical Sciences	Graduate School of Mathematics	Faculty of Mathematics
School of Engineering	Graduate School of Systems Life Sciences	Faculty of Medical Sciences
School of Design	Graduate School of Medical Sciences	Faculty of Dental Science
School of Agriculture	Graduate School of Dental Science	Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences
	Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences	Faculty of Engineering
	Graduate School of Engineering	Faculty of Design
	Graduate School of Design	Faculty of Information Science and Electrical Engineering
	Graduate School of Information Science and Electrical Engineering	Faculty of Engineering Sciences
	Interdisciplinary Graduate School of Engineering Sciences	Faculty of Agriculture
	Graduate School of Bioresource and Bioenvironmental Sciences	
	Graduate School of Integrated Frontier Sciences	
Institute for Advanced Study		
Research Institutes (4)		
Medical Institute of Bioregulation* Research Institute for Applied Mechanics*		
Institute for Materials Chemistry and Engineering* Institute of Mathematics for Industry*		
Kyushu University Hospital		
International Institute (International Institute for Carbon-Neutral Energy Research)		
University Library		
Research Institute for Information Technology*		

*Indicates facilities certified as a Joint Usage / Collaborative Research Center.

1-1-2. Number of Students, Faculty Members and Staff

	Enrollment Capacity	Entrants		Total Capacity	Students Enrolled			
		Total	Of which, women students		Total	Of which, women students		
Students	School	2,555	2,635	758	10,608	11,746	3,280	
	Graduate School	Master's Program	1,748	1,812	401	3,476	3,978	996
		Professional Degree Program	140	127	48	325	297	120
		Doctoral program	780	556	157	2,613	2,686	826
	Total	5,223	5,130	1,364	17,022	18,707	5,222	

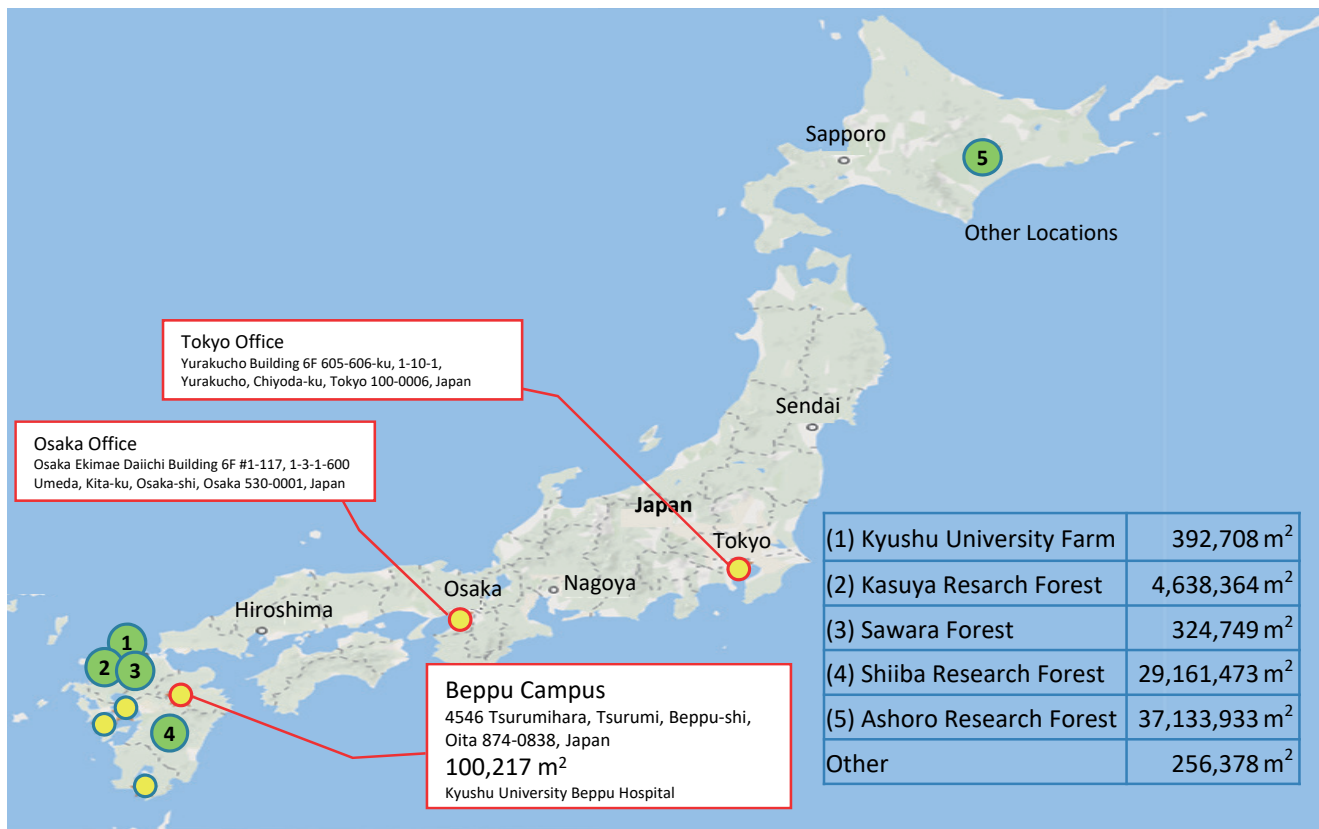
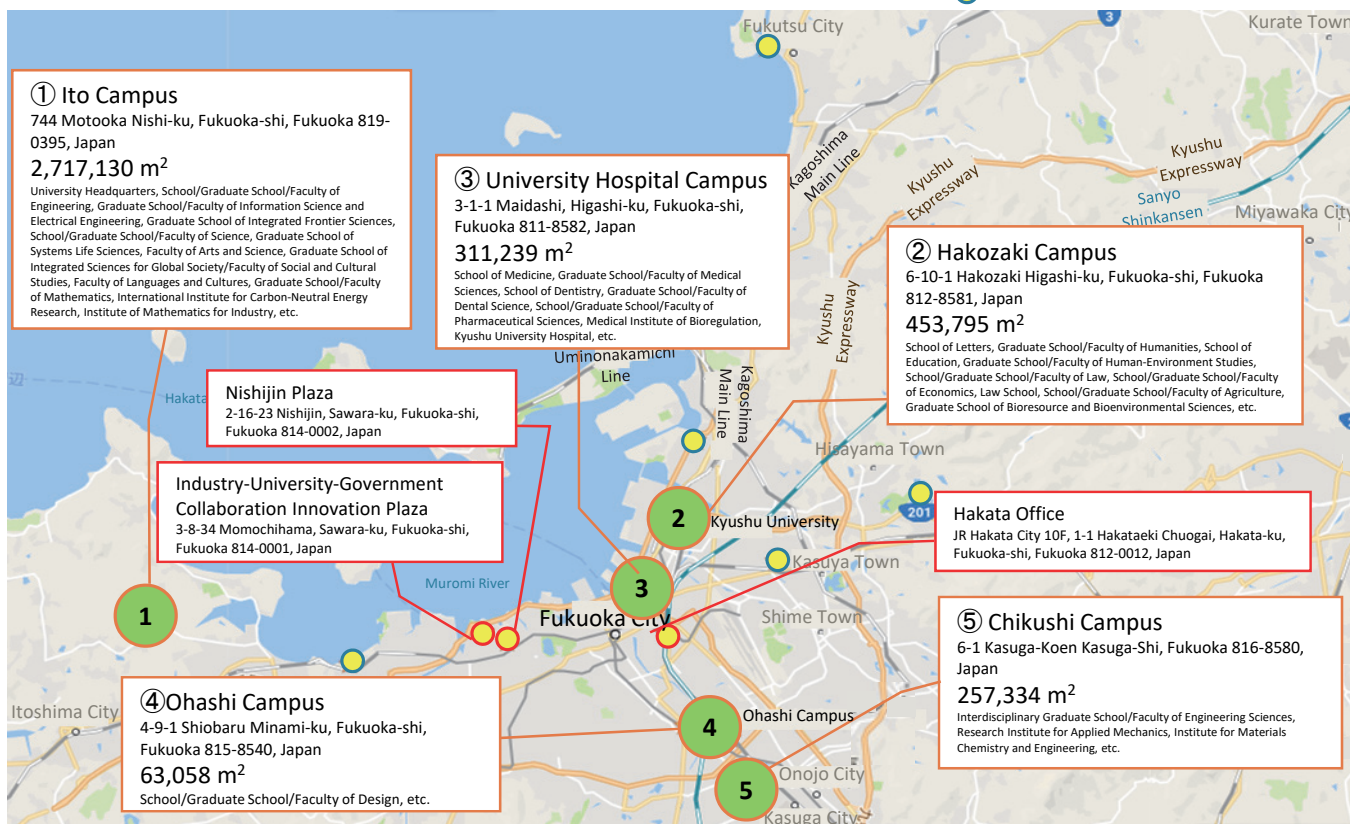
Faculty Members and Staff	Faculty Members		Staff		Total	
	Total	Of which, women faculty members	Total	Of which, women staff	Total	Of which, women faculty members and staff
	2,057	247	2,327	1,402	4,384	1,649

*Source: Kyushu University Information (as of May 1, 2017)

1-2. Main Campuses

Total campus area: 75,810,378 m²

- Main Campuses
- Other



Source: Kyushu University Information (as of May 1, 2017)

1-3. Comparisons With Other Universities: Scale (National Universities)

[Number of Undergraduate Schools]

Rank	University	Number
1	Hokkaido University	12
2	Osaka University	11
2	Kobe University	11
2	Okayama University	11
2	Hiroshima University	11
2	Kyushu University	11
7	Tohoku University	10
7	The University of Tokyo	10
7	Chiba University	10
7	Kyoto University	10

(2016)

[Undergraduate Enrollment Capacity]

Rank	University	Number
1	Osaka University	3,255
2	The University of Tokyo	3,060
3	Kyoto University	2,846
4	Kobe University	2,697
5	Kyushu University	2,555
6	Hokkaido University	2,485
7	Tohoku University	2,396
8	Hiroshima University	2,338
9	Chiba University	2,322
10	Niigata University	2,247

(2016)

[Ratio of Applicants to Undergraduate Places]

Rank	University	Applicants Per Place
1	Chiba University	5.25
2	Tokyo Institute of Technology	5.07
3	Kobe University	4.27
4	University of Tsukuba	4.26
5	Hokkaido University	4.03
6	Hiroshima University	3.50
7	Kyushu University	3.38
8	Osaka University	3.35
9	Niigata University	3.34
10	Tohoku University	3.21

(2016)

[Undergraduate Admission Capacity, Number of Students Enrolled, Student Quota Fill Rate]

Rank	University	Admission Capacity (number)	Students Enrolled (number)	Student Quota Fill Rate
1	Osaka University	13,553	15,524	114.5%
2	The University of Tokyo	12,586	13,943	110.8%
3	Kyoto University	11,852	13,416	113.2%
4	Kobe University	10,705	11,696	109.3%
5	Kyushu University	10,659	11,844	111.1%
6	Hokkaido University	10,572	11,408	107.9%
7	Tohoku University	10,001	11,126	111.2%
8	Hiroshima University	10,027	10,993	109.6%
9	Chiba University	9,871	10,749	108.9%
10	Niigata University	9,535	10,317	108.2%

(2015)

- The top 10 universities by undergraduate enrollment capacity and the top 10 universities by graduate school enrollment capacity have been defined as the top 14 universities and ranked in order.
Top 14 universities: Hokkaido University, Tohoku University, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo Institute of Technology, University of Tsukuba, Chiba University, Niigata University, Nagoya University, Kyoto University, Osaka University, Kobe University, Okayama University, Hiroshima University, Kyushu University (in order from north to south)

*Sources

- Number of undergraduate schools, undergraduate enrollment capacity, ratio of applicants to undergraduate places: Each university's website and university information
- Undergraduate admission capacity, number of students enrolled, student quota fill rate: MEXT FY2015 Operational Performance Report: Kyushu University

1-3. Comparisons With Other Universities: Scale (National Universities) (continued)

[Number of Graduate Schools]

Rank	University	Number
1	Hokkaido University	19
2	Kyushu University	18
2	Kyoto University	18
4	Tohoku University	16
4	Osaka University	16
6	The University of Tokyo	15
6	Kobe University	15
8	Nagoya University	14
9	Hiroshima University	11
10	Chiba University	9

(2016)

[Graduate School Enrollment Capacity]

Rank	University	Enrollment Capacity	Enrollment Capacity (Master's Programs)	Enrollment Capacity (Professional Degree Programs)	Enrollment Capacity (Doctoral Programs)
1	The University of Tokyo	4,935	2,843	395	1,697
2	Kyoto University	3,705	2,261	314	1,130
3	Osaka University	3,031	2,009	80	942
4	Tohoku University	2,707	1,775	120	812
5	Kyushu University	2,663	1,738	140	785
6	University of Tsukuba	2,396	1,651	66	679
7	Hokkaido University	2,355	1,575	100	680
8	Nagoya University	2,305	1,525	50	730
9	Tokyo Institute of Technology	2,151	1,544	40	567
10	Kobe University	1,759	1,233	149	377

(2016)

[Graduate Admission Capacity, Number of Students Enrolled, Student Quota Fill Rate]

Rank	University	Graduate Schools Total			Master's Program			Professional Degree Program			Doctoral Programs		
		Admission Capacity (number)	Students Enrolled (number)	Student Quota Fill Rate	Admission Capacity (number)	Students Enrolled (number)	Student Quota Fill Rate	Admission Capacity (number)	Students Enrolled (number)	Student Quota Fill Rate	Admission Capacity (number)	Students Enrolled (number)	Student Quota Fill Rate
1	The University of Tokyo	12,020	13,408	111.5%	5,667	6,716	118.5%	1,015	868	85.5%	5,338	5,824	109.1%
2	Kyoto University	8,873	9,150	103.1%	4,470	4,773	106.8%	808	706	87.4%	3,595	3,671	102.1%
3	Osaka University	7,360	7,831	106.4%	4,018	4,435	110.4%	240	206	85.8%	3,102	3,190	102.8%
4	Tohoku University	6,512	6,705	103.0%	3,548	3,900	109.9%	320	197	61.6%	2,644	2,608	98.6%
5	Kyushu University	6,457	6,903	106.9%	3,567	4,067	114.0%	375	285	76.0%	2,515	2,551	101.4%
6	University of Tsukuba	5,686	6,677	117.4%	3,419	3,997	116.9%	168	199	118.5%	2,099	2,481	118.2%
7	Hokkaido University	5,670	5,921	104.4%	3,150	3,441	109.2%	310	222	71.6%	2,210	2,258	102.2%
8	Nagoya University	5,597	5,979	106.8%	3,040	3,580	117.8%	210	139	66.2%	2,347	2,260	96.3%
9	Tokyo Institute of Technology	4,869	5,079	104.3%	3,088	3,527	114.2%	80	88	110.0%	1,701	1,464	86.1%
10	Kobe University	4,049	4,695	116.0%	2,462	2,763	112.2%	378	336	88.9%	1,209	1,596	132.0%

(2015)

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- Figures for admission capacity were calculated in accordance with Article 4 (Admission Capacity of Law Schools) of MEXT Notice No. 53 (Notice on Necessary Matters Regarding Professional Graduate Schools).

*Sources

- Number of graduate schools, graduate school enrollment capacity: Each university's website and university information
- Graduate admission capacity, number of students enrolled, student quota fill rate: MEXT FY2015 Operational Performance Report: Kyushu University

1-3. Comparisons With Other Universities: Scale (National Universities) (continued)

[Number of International Students Among Undergraduate Students Enrolled]

Rank	University	Number
1	Hokkaido University	367
2	Nagoya University	363
3	Osaka University	345
4	University of Tsukuba	285
5	The University of Tokyo	253
6	Kyushu University	234
7	Kyoto University	220
8	Tokyo Institute of Technology	186
9	Tohoku University	182
10	Chiba University	162

(2015)

[International Students as a Percentage of Undergraduate Students Enrolled]

Rank	University	%
1	Tokyo Institute of Technology	3.9%
2	Nagoya University	3.7%
3	Hokkaido University	3.1%
4	University of Tsukuba	2.9%
5	Osaka University	2.2%
6	Kyushu University	2.0%
7	The University of Tokyo	1.8%
8	Kyoto University	1.6%
8	Tohoku University	1.6%
10	Chiba University	1.5%

(2015)

[Women Students as a Percentage of Undergraduate Students Enrolled]

Rank	University	%
1	Okayama University	41.7%
2	University of Tsukuba	40.1%
2	Niigata University	40.1%
4	Chiba University	38.9%
5	Hiroshima University	36.4%
6	Kobe University	35.1%
7	Osaka University	33.1%
8	Nagoya University	30.2%
9	Hokkaido University	29.5%
10	Kyushu University	28.0%

(2016)

[Number of International Students Among Graduate School Students Enrolled]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	2,273
2	University of Tsukuba	1,274
3	Kyoto University	1,261
4	Kyushu University	1,257
5	Hokkaido University	1,203
6	Osaka University	1,145
7	Nagoya University	1,114
8	Tohoku University	1,084
9	Tokyo Institute of Technology	865
10	Hiroshima University	827

(2015)

[International Students as a Percentage of Graduate School Students Enrolled]

Rank	University	%
1	Hokkaido University	19.6%
2	Hiroshima University	19.2%
3	University of Tsukuba	19.1%
4	Nagoya University	18.6%
5	Kyushu University	18.2%
6	Tokyo Institute of Technology	17.0%
7	The University of Tokyo	16.9%
8	Kobe University	16.8%
9	Tohoku University	16.2%
10	Osaka University	14.5%

(2015)

[Women Students as a Percentage of Graduate School Students Enrolled]

Rank	University	%
1	University of Tsukuba	35.1%
1	Hiroshima University	35.1%
3	Kobe University	34.3%
4	Chiba University	32.1%
5	Hokkaido University	30.4%
6	Okayama University	30.1%
7	Nagoya University	29.2%
8	Osaka University	27.9%
9	Kyushu University	27.3%
10	The University of Tokyo	27.1%

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* Sources

- Number of international students and percentage of international students: MEXT FY2015 Operational Performance Report: Kyushu University
- Percentage of women students: Each university's website and university information

1-3. Comparisons With Other Universities: Scale (National Universities) (continued)

[Number of Faculty Members]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	3,888
2	Kyoto University	3,472
3	Tohoku University	3,183
4	Osaka University	3,178
5	Kyushu University	2,469
6	Hokkaido University	2,428
7	Nagoya University	2,323
8	University of Tsukuba	1,945
9	Hiroshima University	1,787
10	Kobe University	1,710

(2015)

[Number of Students Per Faculty Member]

Rank	University	Number
1	Tohoku University	5.6
2	Kyoto University	6.5
3	Nagoya University	6.8
4	The University of Tokyo	7.0
5	Hokkaido University	7.4
5	Osaka University	7.4
7	Kyushu University	7.6
8	University of Tsukuba	8.5
9	Hiroshima University	8.6
10	Okayama University	8.9

(2015)

[Number of Staff]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	3,944
2	Tohoku University	3,248
3	Kyoto University	3,216
4	Hokkaido University	3,014
5	Kyushu University	2,985
6	Osaka University	2,984
7	Nagoya University	2,371
8	Okayama University	2,324
9	University of Tsukuba	2,005
10	Kobe University	1,957

(2015)

[Number of Women Faculty Members]

Rank	University	Number
1	Osaka University	233
2	The University of Tokyo	232
3	University of Tsukuba	223
4	Nagoya University	177
5	Kyoto University	170
6	Kobe University	157
7	Kyushu University	156
8	Chiba University	151
9	Tohoku University	148
10	Hiroshima University	144

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[Number of International Faculty Members]

Rank	University	Number
1	Osaka University	97
2	Kyoto University	90
3	Tohoku University	85
4	The University of Tokyo	83
5	Kyushu University	79
6	University of Tsukuba	70
7	Hiroshima University	52
8	Hokkaido University	46
8	Kobe University	46
10	Okayama University	35

(2016)

[Management Expenses Grants]

Rank	University	Sum Allocated
1	The University of Tokyo	80,456,992
2	Kyoto University	54,831,754
3	Tohoku University	45,603,506
4	Osaka University	43,679,737
5	Kyushu University	41,665,921
6	University of Tsukuba	40,654,109
7	Hokkaido University	36,226,803
8	Nagoya University	31,622,196
9	Hiroshima University	24,888,297
10	Tokyo Institute of Technology	21,355,029

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* Sources

- Number of faculty members, students per faculty member, number of staff: MEXT FY2015 Operational Performance Report: Kyushu University
- Number of women faculty members, number of international faculty members: Asahi Shimbun Publications, *2018 University Rankings*
- Management expenses grant: *Estimated National University Corporation Management Expenses Grant for FY2016*

1-4. Comparisons With Other Universities: Education (National, Public, and Private Universities)

[Floor Area of School Buildings]

Rank	University	m ²
1	Nihon University	977,923
2	The University of Tokyo	817,253
3	Waseda University	756,980
4	Hokkaido University	714,823
5	Kyoto University	712,563
6	Tokai University	579,603
7	Kobe University	547,342
8	Hiroshima University	540,876
⋮		
23	Kyushu University	362,343

(2015)

[Number of Campus Open Day Attendees]

Rank	University	Number
1	Nihon University	66,230
2	Waseda University	62,563
3	Tohoku University	60,411
4	Meiji University	59,245
5	Kindai University	50,750
6	Toyo University	47,151
7	Chuo University	37,107
8	Rikkyo University	36,375
⋮		
22	Kyushu University	22,206

(2016)

[Number of Books in Library Collection]

Rank	University	Books
1	The University of Tokyo	9,521,122
2	Kyoto University	6,905,113
3	Nihon University	5,594,941
4	Waseda University	5,549,521
5	Keio University	4,893,477
6	Kyushu University	4,289,906
7	Tohoku University	4,081,265
8	Hokkaido University	3,912,934
9	Osaka University	3,892,207
10	Kobe University	3,758,181

(2016)

[2nd- & 3rd-year Transfer From Other Universities]

Rank	University	Number
1	Kansai Gaidai University	459
2	Nihon University	416
3	Nagaoka University of Technology	415
4	Toyohashi University of Technology	370
5	Kokugakuin University	196
6	Hokuriku University	179
7	Tokyo University of Agriculture	178
8	Okayama Shoka University	164
⋮		
57	Kyushu University	48

(2016)

[Percentage Graduating in the Standard Number of Years Required (descending order)]

Rank	University	%
1	Kyushu Lutheran College	99.9
2	Kyushu Women's University	99.1
3	Juntendo University	97.5
3	Notre Dame Seishin University	97.5
5	Joetsu University of Education	96.9
6	Kamakura Women's University	96.7
7	Tenshi College	95.7
8	Seikei University	95.5
⋮		
86	Kyushu University	90.3

(2016)

[Drop-out Rate]

Rank	University	%
1	Ibaraki Prefectural University of Health Sciences	0.1
1	Shiga University of Medical Science	0.1
1	Kyoto Prefectural University of Medicine	0.1
4	Niigata University	0.2
5	Asahikawa Medical University	0.3
5	Fukushima Medical University	0.3
5	The Jikei University School of Medicine	0.3
5	Kamakura Women's University	0.3
5	Kanazawa Medical University	0.3
5	Hamamatsu University School of Medicine	0.3
5	Kansai Medical University	0.3
⋮		
32	Kyushu University	1.2

(2016)

● Perspectives on Rankings

- Graduation Rate: The percentage graduating in the standard number of years required to complete each course (hereinafter "graduation rate") is the percentage of students who entered in the 2012 academic year (in the case of students on six-year courses, the 2010 academic year) who graduated in the 2015 academic year (i.e. graduated in March 2016). The numerator is the number of students who graduated in March 2016 and the denominator is the number of entrants in April 2012 (April 2010, in the case of students on six-year courses). It indicates the percentage of students who graduated without repeating a year, taking a temporary leave of absence, or dropping out. It includes those who graduated early (skipped a year). It does not include those who transferred from other universities.
- Drop-out Rate: This is the percentage of students who dropped out in the 2015 academic year (between April 2015 and March 2016). The denominator is the number of students as of April 2014 (or the date of tabulation used in the MEXT Basic School Survey: May 1).
- Figures for graduation rate and drop-out rate are from survey by the editorial team of Asahi Shimbun Publications Inc. Universities surveyed were national and public universities with at least 500 students and private universities with at least 400 students.

*Source: Asahi Shimbun Publications, 2018 University Rankings (figures for floor area of school buildings are from 2016 University Rankings)

1-5. Comparisons With Other Universities: Research (National Universities)

[Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research]

Rank	University	Number	Total (¥1,000)
1	The University of Tokyo	3,862	21,672,950
2	Kyoto University	3,050	13,757,380
3	Osaka University	2,585	10,697,537
4	Tohoku University	2,510	9,977,760
5	Nagoya University	1,843	7,682,610
6	Kyushu University	1,962	7,158,970
7	Hokkaido University	1,681	5,802,940
8	University of Tsukuba	1,294	4,073,095
9	Kobe University	1,107	2,819,830
10	Hiroshima University	1,075	2,620,865

(2016)

[Total Value of External Funding (*)]

Rank	University	Total (¥1,000)
1	The University of Tokyo	51,349,000
2	Kyoto University	38,803,836
3	Osaka University	27,172,185
4	Tohoku University	20,535,130
5	Kyushu University	15,923,453
6	Nagoya University	14,013,000
7	Tokyo Institute of Technology	9,961,290
8	University of Tsukuba	9,638,112
9	Hokkaido University	9,489,679
10	Kobe University	5,482,280

(2015)

*Total Value of External Funding
Total value of donations, funded research, and joint collaborative research

[Donations]

Rank	University	Number	Total (¥1,000)
1	The University of Tokyo	14,722	9,594,000
2	Kyoto University	14,495	6,675,558
3	Osaka University	7,481	5,661,324
4	Tohoku University	3,522	3,532,812
5	Nagoya University	2,956	2,884,295
6	Kyushu University	3,865	2,845,886
7	Hokkaido University	5,058	2,247,683
8	Kobe University	3,666	2,020,101
9	Hiroshima University	2,522	1,586,328
10	Niigata University	878	1,506,190

(2015)

[Funded Research]

Rank	University	Number	Total (¥1,000)
1	The University of Tokyo	1,519	34,575,000
2	Kyoto University	1,007	24,296,814
3	Osaka University	1,539	17,588,108
4	Tohoku University	731	12,962,573
5	Kyushu University	823	10,284,465
6	Nagoya University	638	8,279,448
7	Tokyo Institute of Technology	379	7,277,894
8	Hokkaido University	632	5,632,597
9	University of Tsukuba	438	5,276,363
10	Kobe University	16,432	2,632,764

(2015)

[Joint Collaborative Research]

Rank	University	Number	Total (¥1,000)
1	Kyoto University	1,115	7,831,464
2	The University of Tokyo	1,633	7,180,000
3	Tohoku University	1,012	4,039,745
4	Osaka University	993	3,922,753
5	Nagoya University	689	2,849,257
6	Kyushu University	740	2,793,102
7	Tokyo Institute of Technology	489	1,769,921
8	Hokkaido University	597	1,609,399
9	University of Tsukuba	323	1,143,767
10	Kobe University	532	829,415

(2015)

[Scholarly Output (Number of Publications)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	42,481
2	Kyoto University	30,724
3	Osaka University	24,108
4	Tohoku University	23,366
5	Kyushu University	17,858
6	Nagoya University	17,165
7	Hokkaido University	16,356
8	Tokyo Institute of Technology	12,925
9	University of Tsukuba	11,472
10	Hiroshima University	9,536

(2012~2016)

[Citation Count (Number of Citations)]

Rank	University	Number of Citations	Average Citations per Publications
1	The University of Tokyo	584,874	9.9
2	Kyoto University	370,797	9.2
3	Osaka University	283,032	8.4
4	Tohoku University	256,934	8.0
5	Nagoya University	207,261	8.9
6	Kyushu University	184,555	7.6
7	Hokkaido University	155,827	7.4
8	Tokyo Institute of Technology	141,802	7.4
9	University of Tsukuba	124,068	7.9
10	Hiroshima University	96,852	7.8

(2012~2016)

[FWCI(*1) (Impact of Publications)]

Rank	University	Citation Index
1	The University of Tokyo	1.37
2	Kyoto University	1.28
3	Nagoya University	1.20
4	Tohoku University	1.19
5	Tokyo Institute of Technology	1.17
5	Okayama University	1.17
7	University of Tsukuba	1.14
7	Osaka University	1.14
7	Kobe University	1.14
10	Kyushu University	1.13

(2012~2016)

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Top 14 universities: Hokkaido University, Tohoku University, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo Institute of Technology, University of Tsukuba, Chiba University, Niigata University, Nagoya University, Kyoto University, Osaka University, Kobe University, Okayama University, Hiroshima University, Kyushu University (in order from north to south)

• (*1) FWCI(Field-weighted Citation Impact)

The number of citations received by the article in question, divided by the world average for the same type of article in the same field and same year of publication.

An FWCI of 1 or higher means that the average impact is higher than the world average.

*Sources

- KAKENHI scientific research grants: Japan Society for the Promotion of Science website, number of projects adopted listed by research institute and sum awarded
- Total value of external funding, donations, funded research, joint collaborative research: University information published by each university (FY2016)
- Number of Publications, number of citations, impact of Publications: Elsevier, *SciVal* (as of November 2017)

1-6. Comparisons With Other Universities: International

[QS World University Rankings Japan (published June 2017)]

2017/2018	2016/2017	2015/2016	2016/2017	University	Overall
Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank in Japan		Score
1	1	1	—	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)	100.0
2	2	3	—	Stanford University	98.7
3	3	2	—	Harvard University	98.4
4	5	5	—	California Institute of Technology (Caltech)	97.7
5	4	3	—	University of Cambridge	95.6
				⋮	
28	34	39	1	The University of Tokyo	84.8
36	37	38	2	Kyoto University	81.5
56	56	56	3	Tokyo Institute of Technology	74.8
63	63	58	4	Osaka University	72.1
76	75	74	5	Tohoku University	69.0
116	115	120	6	Nagoya University	60.7
122	130	139	7	Hokkaido University	59.0
128	135	142	8	Kyushu University	58.2

[Academic Reputation]

Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	The University of Tokyo	100.0
2	Kyoto University	99.7
3	Osaka University	88.5
4	Tokyo Institute of Technology	83.1
5	Tohoku University	78.3
6	Waseda University	69.0
7	Nagoya University	68.9
8	Hokkaido University	68.5
9	Kyushu University	63.6
10	Keio University	63.0

[Employer Reputation]

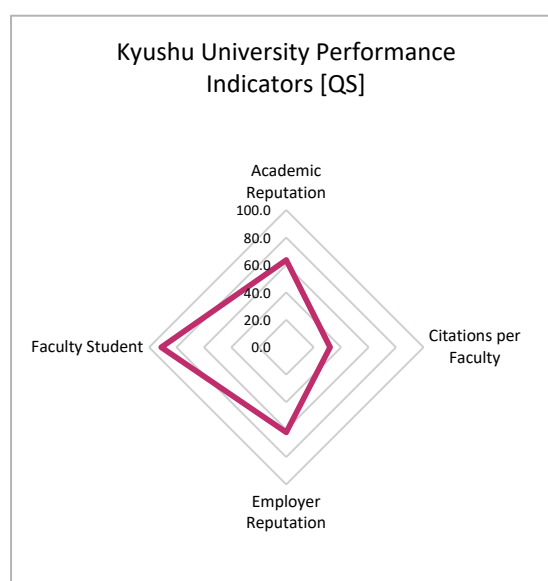
Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	The University of Tokyo	99.8
2	Kyoto University	94.9
3	Waseda University	89.0
4	Tokyo Institute of Technology	83.7
5	Keio University	80.2
6	Osaka University	75.4
7	Hitotsubashi University	66.9
8	Tohoku University	66.0
9	Kyushu University	62.0
10	Hokkaido University	59.5

[Citations per Faculty]

Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	The University of Tokyo	73.3
2	Osaka University	63.1
3	Tokyo Institute of Technology	62.4
4	Kyoto University	56.4
5	Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology	49.5
6	Nagoya Institute of Technology	48.7
7	Tohoku University	48.4
8	Nagoya University	37.0
	⋮	
11	Kyushu University	31.9

[Faculty Student]
Student-to-Faculty Ratio

Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	Tokyo Medical and Dental University	100.0
2	Yokohama City University	99.3
3	Tohoku University	98.1
4	Kyoto University	95.7
5	Nagoya University	93.5
6	The University of Tokyo	92.6
7	Kyushu University	91.1
8	Tokyo Institute of Technology	90.1
9	Nagasaki University	85.4
10	Hokkaido University	85.0



• The university was unranked on International Faculty Ratio and International Student Ratio, so scores for these indicators are not shown.

*Source: Website of British world university evaluation body Quacquarelli Symonds (QS)

1-6. Comparisons With Other Universities: International (continued)

THE World University Rankings Japan (published September 5, 2017)

*Overall scores for universities ranked below 200th are not published, so this is an estimated value calculated from the scores for each indicator.

2017/2018 Rank	2016/2017 Rank	Rank in Japan	University	Overall Score
46	39	1	The University of Tokyo	72.2
74	91	2	Kyoto University	64.9
201-250	251-300	3	Osaka University	49.5
201-250	201-250	4	Tohoku University	48.3
251-300	251-300	5	Tokyo Institute of Technology	47.0
301-350	301-350	6	Nagoya University	45.0
351-400	351-400	7	Kyushu University	40.0
401-500	401-500	8	Hokkaido University	38.4
401-500	401-500	9	University of Tsukuba	36.5
401-500	401-500	10	Tokyo Medical and Dental University	36.0

[Teaching] (learning environment)

Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	The University of Tokyo	79.5
2	Kyoto University	71.8
3	Osaka University	53.7
4	Tohoku University	49.6
5	Tokyo Institute of Technology	49.5
6	Nagoya University	44.9
7	Kyushu University	42.5
8	Hokkaido University	42.1
9	University of Tsukuba	38.6
10	Tokyo Medical and Dental University	35.9

[International Outlook] (quality of faculty and students)

Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	University of Aizu	67.5
2	University of Tsukuba	39.9
3	Tokyo Institute of Technology	35.8
4	Tohoku University	34.7
5	Waseda University	34.2
6	Kyushu University	33.9
7	Osaka University	33.5
8	Hokkaido University	32.6
9	The University of Tokyo	32.2
10	Nagoya University	29.9

[Industry Income] (innovation)

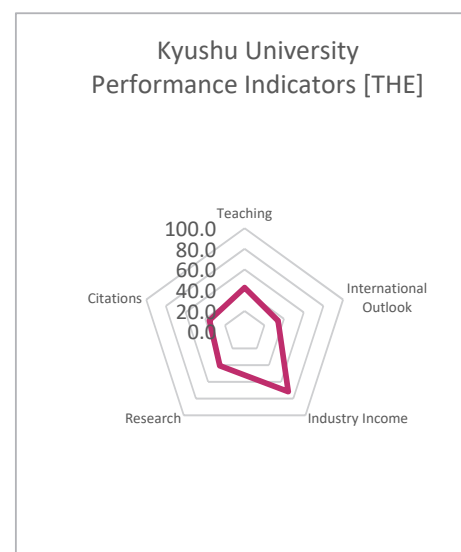
Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	Kyoto University	93.8
2	Nagoya University	87.2
3	Osaka University	81.3
4	Kyushu University	71.6
5	Tohoku University	68.3
6	Tokyo Institute of Technology	67.8
7	Tokyo Medical and Dental University	57.1
8	The University of Tokyo	52.7
9	Chiba University	52.5
10	Hokkaido University	52.0

[Research] Volume, income, and reputation

Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	The University of Tokyo	85.2
2	Kyoto University	78.6
3	Osaka University	57.6
4	Tokyo Institute of Technology	52.9
5	Tohoku University	50.6
6	Nagoya University	47.2
7	Kyushu University	40.7
8	Hokkaido University	40.2
9	University of Tsukuba	35.0
10	Tokyo University of Science	24.9

[Citations]

Rank in Japan	University	Score
1	Fujita Health University	74.5
2	The University of Tokyo	63.7
3	Tokyo Metropolitan University	57.8
4	Tokyo Medical and Dental University	53.2
5	Kyoto University	50.9
6	Tohoku University	46.5
7	Nagoya University	43.2
8	University of Aizu	42.7
12	Kyushu University	35.7



*Source: Times Higher Education (THE) website, UK

1-7. Comparisons With Other Universities: Industry-University-Government Collaboration

[Number of Joint Collaborative Research Projects With the Private Sector]

Rank	Universities	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	1,371
2	Kyoto University	964
3	Osaka University	896
4	Tohoku University	881
5	Kyushu University	653
6	Nagoya University	546
7	Tokyo Institute of Technology	530
8	Hokkaido University	504
9	Keio University	449
10	Kobe University	382

[Income From Joint Collaborative Research With the Private Sector]

Rank	Universities	Income (Unit: ¥1,000)
1	The University of Tokyo	5,066,861
2	Kyoto University	4,498,025
3	Osaka University	3,422,394
4	Tohoku University	3,305,026
5	Kyushu University	1,920,414
6	Keio University	1,788,918
7	Nagoya University	1,647,508
8	Tokyo Institute of Technology	1,495,119
9	Hokkaido University	1,384,761
10	University of Tsukuba	1,044,289

[Number of Joint Collaborative Research Projects With SMEs in the Same Prefecture]

Rank	Universities	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	132
2	Shinshu University	62
3	Mie University	59
4	Gifu University	58
5	Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology	54
6	Kyoto University	53
6	Tokyo Institute of Technology	53
8	Tohoku University	50
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20	Kyushu University	33

[Income per Project From Joint Collaborative Research With the Private Sector]

(Unit: ¥1,000)

Rank	Universities	Income per Project	Number
1	Jichi Medical University	6,074	23
2	The Graduate School for the Creation of New Photonics Industries	5,618	15
3	Chiba Institute of Technology	5,237	45
4	Kyoto University	4,666	964
5	Yokohama City University	4,658	49
6	Tokyo Medical University	4,579	14
7	St. Marianna University. School of Medicine	4,392	19
8	Tokyo City University	4,136	38
⋮			
24	Kyushu University	2,941	653

[Income From Joint Collaborative Research With Foreign Companies]

(Unit: ¥1,000)

Rank	Universities	Income	Number
1	Tohoku University	248,955	19
2	University of Tsukuba	129,766	7
3	Nagoya University	123,476	7
4	The University of Tokyo	122,036	23
5	Tokyo Institute of Technology	94,912	12
6	Kyoto University	80,431	14
7	Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology	43,149	7
8	Osaka University	36,881	9
⋮			
16	Kyushu University	22,321	3

[Projects Generating Income of ¥10 Million or More as a Percentage of Joint Collaborative Research Projects With the Private Sector]

Rank	Universities	Percentage	Number (¥10 million or more)
1	Jichi Medical University	21.7%	5
2	Yokohama City University	14.3%	7
3	Kyoto Prefectural University of Medicine	13.0%	7
4	The University of Tokyo	9.6%	131
5	Keio University	9.4%	42
6	Kyoto University	7.6%	73
7	Tohoku University	7.2%	63
8	Osaka University	6.7%	60
9	Kyushu University	6.3%	41
10	Tokyo Institute of Technology	5.8%	31

[Income per Researcher From Joint Collaborative Research With the Private Sector]

(Unit: ¥1,000)

Rank	Universities	Income per Project
1	The Graduate School for the Creation of New Photonics Industries	4,013
2	The Graduate School of Project Design	3,750
3	Nagoya Institute of Technology	1,506
4	Toyota Technological Institute	1,413
5	Nagaoka University of Technology	1,092
6	Tokyo Institute of Technology	1,087
7	Gifu Pharmaceutical University	1,042
8	Toyohashi University of Technology	1,004
⋮		
23	Kyushu University	548

*Source: MEXT, *Industry and Public Organizations in Higher Education Institutions in FY2015*

1-7. Comparisons With Other Universities: Industry-University-Government Collaboration (continued)

[Number of Funded Research Projects
Commissioned by the Private Sector]

Rank	Universities	Number
1	Ritsumeikan University	287
2	Kindai University	275
3	Keio University	196
4	Nihon University	169
5	Waseda University	155
6	Takushoku University	131
7	Tokyo Women's Medical University	126
8	Tokyo City University	123
9	Osaka University	117
10	Kyushu University	108

[Income From Funded Research
Commissioned by the Private Sector]

(Unit: ¥1,000)

Rank	Universities	Income
1	Keio University	788,051
2	Waseda University	521,099
3	Kindai University	346,652
4	Ritsumeikan University	298,036
5	Kyushu University	273,538
6	Kobe University	266,284
7	The University of Tokyo	249,601
8	Kyoto University	247,447
9	Nihon University	228,309
10	Jichi Medical University	219,844

[Income per Project From Funded Research
Commissioned by the Private Sector]

(Unit: ¥1,000)

Rank	Universities	Income per Project	Number
1	International University of Japan	13,071	13
2	Hokkaido Information University	5,234	12
3	Yokohama City University	4,628	47
4	Hirosaki University	4,373	14
5	Keio University	4,021	196
6	Kyushu Institute of Technology	4,008	27
7	Fujita Health University	3,902	28
8	Kobe University	3,804	70
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18	Kyushu University	2,533	108

[Number of Patents Licensed ,etc.
(including overseas)]

Rank	Universities	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	2,386
2	Kyoto University	854
3	Tokyo Institute of Technology	711
4	Osaka University	617
5	Hokkaido University	525
6	Tohoku University	454
7	Kanto Gakuin University	406
8	Nagoya University	349
9	Shinshu University	292
10	Kyushu University	271

[Income From Licensing Patents, etc.
(including overseas)]

(Unit: ¥1,000)

Rank	Universities	Income
1	The University of Tokyo	553,112
2	Kyoto University	370,952
3	Osaka University	165,629
4	Keio University	147,857
5	Kyushu University	132,757
6	Nagoya University	100,672
7	Nihon University	86,401
8	Tokyo Medical and Dental University	70,424
9	Mie University	66,805
10	Tohoku University	66,363

[Number of Patents Generating Running
Royalty Income]

Rank	Universities	Number
1	Tohoku University	174
2	Kanazawa University	151
3	Shizuoka University	131
4	Osaka University	114
5	Kyoto University	108
6	Tokyo Institute of Technology	105
7	The University of Tokyo	99
8	Kyushu University	92
8	Nihon University	92
10	University of Tsukuba	75

*Source: MEXT, *Industry and Public Organizations in Higher Education Institutions in FY2015*

1-8. Comparisons With Other Universities: Reputation

◆Reputation Among University Presidents◆

[Overall]

Rank	University	Number
1	Kyoto University	132
2	Tokyo Institute of Technology	84
3	The University of Tokyo	77
3	Kanazawa Institute of Technology	77
5	Akita International University	64
6	Osaka University	55
6	Nagoya University	55
8	Kindai University	51
⋮		
17	Kyushu University	25

[Reputation for Education]

Rank	University	Number
1	Kanazawa Institute of Technology	69
2	Akita International University	64
3	International Christian University	40
4	Tokyo Institute of Technology	27
5	Kyoai Gakuen University	26
6	Rikkyo University	21
7	Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University	20
8	Kindai University	16
⋮		
17	Kyushu University	11

[Reputation for Research]

Rank	University	Number
1	Kyoto University	120
2	The University of Tokyo	66
3	Tokyo Institute of Technology	57
4	Osaka University	48
5	Nagoya University	47
6	Kindai University	35
7	Tohoku University	29
8	Keio University	24
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12	Kyushu University	14

●Perspectives on Rankings

In November 2016, a questionnaire was sent to the presidents of 746 national, public, and private universities the public nationwide. The views of the 532 presidents who responded by late January 2017 were then tallied. The questionnaire asked respondents to list the names of up to six universities for each of two areas: (1) systems and achievements in the field of education, and (2) systems and education in the research field. The overall score is the sum of the scores for education and research.

◆Reputation Among the Public◆

[Would be interested if hiring
(the public nationwide)]

Rank	University	Points
1	The University of Tokyo	1,209
2	Kyoto University	815
3	Waseda University	588
4	Keio University	545
5	Osaka University	237
6	Meiji University	123
7	Nagoya University	105
8	Tohoku University	99
⋮		
12	Kyushu University	79

[Would be interested if hiring
(Kyushu & Okinawa)]

Rank	University	Points
1	Kyushu University	295
2	Kumamoto University	81
3	Fukuoka University	77
4	Seinan Gakuin University	54
5	Nagasaki University	39
6	Kyushu Institute of Technology	30
7	Saga University	29
8	University of the Ryukyus	28

[Proactively Contributes
to the Community]

Rank	University	Points
1	The University of Tokyo	657
2	Kyoto University	457
3	Waseda University	354
4	Keio University	258
5	Hokkaido University	216
6	Kindai University	199
7	Tohoku University	196
8	Osaka University	163
9	Kyushu University	137
10	Nagoya University	115

●Perspectives on Rankings

Daigaku Tsushin conducted an online survey among members of the public nationwide and ranked universities by topic. The survey was conducted in June 2016. There were 1,000 respondents and the survey targeted company employees and public officials who had graduated from university. The survey was conducted without any regional bias and the ratio of men to women respondents was roughly 1 to 1. Respondents were asked to list up to six universities, three from anywhere in the country and three from the area in which they lived or the surrounding region. The answers were then scored in order of listing, with 3 points awarded for the first, 2 for the second, and 1 for the third.

*Source: Asahi Shimbun Publications, 2018 University Rankings

1-8. Comparisons With Other Universities: Reputation (continued)

◆Reputation Among High Schools◆

[Overall Reputation (The Public Nationwide)]

Rank	University	Reputation Index
1	Tohoku University	100
2	Waseda University	77.95
3	Meiji University	72.39
4	Akita International University	66.68
5	The University of Tokyo	66.64
6	Kyoto University	56.44
7	Ritsumeikan University	55.23
8	Kanazawa Institute of Technology	54.77
⋮		
15	Kyushu University	30.35

[Overall Reputation (Kyushu & Okinawa)]

Rank	University	Reputation Index
1	Kyushu University	30.35
2	Kyushu Institute of Technology	29.28
3	Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University	22.11
4	Seinan Gakuin University	17.08
5	Fukuoka Institute of Technology	15.67
6	The University of Kitakyushu	11.92
7	Nakamura Gakuen University	11.81
8	Fukuoka University	9.89
9	University of Nagasaki	8.65
10	Nagasaki University	7.30

[Development of student ability]

Rank	University	Number
1	Tohoku University	141
2	The University of Tokyo	137
3	Kyoto University	110
4	Waseda University	73
5	Kyushu University	55
6	Tokyo Institute of Technology	51
6	Tokyo University of Science	51
8	University of Tsukuba	50
9	Keio University	49
10	Kanazawa Institute of Technology	46

[Pursuing internationalization]

Rank	University	Number
1	Akita International University	281
2	International Christian University	139
3	Sophia University	113
3	Waseda University	113
5	Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University	83
6	Tokyo University of Foreign Studies	69
7	Rikkyo University	52
8	The University of Tokyo	48
⋮		
27	Kyushu University	17

[Diligent about information disclosure]

Rank	University	Number
1	Tohoku University	87
2	Kindai University	57
3	Waseda University	45
4	Ritsumeikan University	38
5	Yamagata University	33
5	Meiji University	33
7	Kansai University	31
8	Kyoto University	30
⋮		
19	Kyushu University	16

●Perspectives on Rankings

In November 2016, a questionnaire was sent to teachers in charge of guidance counseling at 1,196 high schools of the public nationwide, from which students had previously gone on to university. The responses from the 673 schools that had replied by early December were tallied. The respondents were asked to list up to six universities to which the following statements were applicable: (1) The number of students going to the university has increased; (2) The university is pursuing internationalization through such efforts as enhancing its systems for overseas study and offering classes taught in English by international faculty members; (3) The university has enhanced careers guidance support; and (4) The university is diligent about information disclosure, including through university information sessions. The universities were ranked on the basis of the number of times that they were listed. Each of these rankings were turned into an index in which the top university (by number of people who cited it) was assigned the value 100. These were totaled and expressed as an overall evaluation in which the top university was assigned the value 100.

Kyushu University was unranked in regard to "(3) The university has enhanced careers guidance support."

*Source: Asahi Shimbun Publications, 2018 University Rankings

1-9. Comparisons With Other Universities: Other

[Alma Mater of University Presidents
(Highest Level of Education)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	69
2	Kyoto University	48
3	Osaka University	25
4	Waseda University	19
5	Tohoku University	18
6	Hiroshima University	17
6	Hokkaido University	17
8	Keio University	16
9	Kyushu University	15
10	Nagoya University	13

[Alma Mater of Board Chairs
(Highest Level of Education)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	49
2	Kyoto University	30
3	Keio University	29
4	Waseda University	16
5	Sophia University	13
6	Kyushu University	10
6	Hokkaido University	10
8	Osaka University	9
8	Tohoku University	9
10	Kwansei Gakuin University	8
10	Ritsumeikan University	8

[Alma Mater of Politicians
(Highest Level of Education)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	136
2	Keio University	80
3	Waseda University	71
4	Kyoto University	31
5	Nihon University	30
6	Chuo University	29
7	Soka University	18
8	Meiji University	15
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20	Kyushu University	4

◆ Alma Mater of Company Presidents ◆

[Alma Mater of Company Presidents
(National Universities)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	2,558
2	Kyoto University	1,808
3	Osaka University	1,315
4	Kobe University	1,228
5	Hokkaido University	1,203
6	Tohoku University	1,065
7	Hitotsubashi University	942
8	Kyushu University	906
9	Yokohama National University	851
10	Nagoya University	825

[Alma Mater of Company Presidents: Companies Listed on the
First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (National Universities)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	121
2	Kyoto University	60
3	Osaka University	30
4	Hitotsubashi University	29
5	Tohoku University	28
6	Kobe University	20
7	Nagoya University	14
8	Hokkaido University	13
9	Kyushu University	11
10	Kanazawa University	10

[Alma Mater of Company Presidents: Women
(National Universities)]

Rank	University	Number
1	The University of Tokyo	39
2	Ochanomizu University	33
2	Kobe University	33
4	Tokyo University of the Arts	31
5	Osaka University	28
5	Kyoto University	28
5	University of Tsukuba	28
8	Kyushu University	27
9	Chiba University	26
10	Hokkaido University	24

[Alma Mater of Company Presidents: Companies
Headquartered in Kyushu & Okinawa
(National, Public, and Private Universities)]

Rank	University	Number
1	Fukuoka University	2,289
2	Nihon University	1,178
3	Kyushu Sangyo University	1,057
4	Seinan Gakuin University	637
5	Keio University	561
5	Meiji University	561
7	Waseda University	547
8	Kyushu University	502
9	Kumamoto Gakuen University	496
10	Chuo University	476

*Source: Asahi Shimbun Publications, 2018 University Rankings

1-9. Comparisons With Other Universities: Other (continued)

◆ Percentage of Faculty Members Who Graduated From the Same University ◆

[School of Law]

Rank	University	%
1	The University of Tokyo	86.1
2	Kyoto University	78.6
3	Waseda University	58.3
4	Soka University	56.5
5	Hitotsubashi University	49.1
6	Nihon University	45.0
7	Hokkaido University	43.5
8	Doshisha University	43.3
	⋮	
11	Kyushu University	29.7

[Undergraduate Schools of Economics]

Rank	University	%
1	Kyoto University	59.5
2	Waseda University [School of Political Science and Economics]	52.6
3	Doshisha University	50.0
4	Meiji University [School of Political Science and Economics]	47.5
5	Kobe University	40.7
6	The University of Tokyo	37.1
7	Osaka University	35.9
8	Kyushu University	35.7
9	Osaka City University	33.3
10	Hitotsubashi University	30.6

[Undergraduate Schools of Letters]

Rank	University	%
1	Kyoto University	72.6
2	Waseda University	69.9
3	The University of Tokyo	67.3
4	Tohoku University	59.6
5	Hiroshima University	57.1
6	Osaka University	51.9
7	Kyushu University	49.2
8	Ryukoku University	43.3
9	Kokugakuin University	35.9
10	Doshisha University	34.3

[School of Science]

Rank	University	%
1	The University of Tokyo	65.0
2	Kyoto University	50.4
3	Tohoku University	43.2
4	Kyushu University	35.0
5	Osaka University	34.3
6	Hokkaido University	29.2
7	Tokyo Institute of Technology [School of Science]	26.5
8	Tokyo University of Science	25.0
9	Hiroshima University	24.7
10	Josai University	24.3

[Undergraduate Schools of Science, Technology, and Engineering]

Rank	University	%
1	The University of Tokyo	71.8
2	Kyoto University	66.7
3	Tohoku University	62.2
4	Waseda University [School of Fundamental Science and Engineering]	61.5
5	Tokyo Institute of Technology [School of Engineering]	61.1
6	Osaka University	59.0
7	Waseda University [School of Creative Science and Engineering]	58.6
8	Kyushu University	54.2
9	Nihon University [College of Science and Technology]	53.6
10	Hokkaido University	50.7

● Perspectives on Rankings

FY2016 Full-time professors, associate professors, lecturers, assistant professors, and above. Those who completed their highest level of education (including graduate school) at the university in question

*Source: Asahi Shimbun Publications, 2018 University Rankings