

【Important Notice】

To all applying for admission to the Graduate School of Environmental Science (Master's and Doctoral course) after April 2024

Submission of an English language proficiency test score is required.

As of April 2024, the Graduate School of Environmental Science at Hokkaido University will eliminate the foreign language examination from written entrance examinations. Instead, the score of a designated English language proficiency test will be used to evaluate English language proficiency. Accordingly, **applicants need to take an English language proficiency test themselves prior to the submission of the application documents** for admission.

1. The designated English language proficiency tests for the applicants for the 2024/25 academic year are listed below. Applicants must submit scores of tests taken within two years from the date of the written entrance examination.
 - TOEIC Listening & Reading
 - TOEFL-iBT (including TOEFL iBT Special Home Edition)
 - IELTS Academic

NOTE: Scores of tests not listed above (e.g., TOEFL-ITP, TOEIC IP, TOEIC Speaking & Writing, TOEIC Speaking Test, TOEIC BRIDGE or IELTS General Training) are not accepted.
2. Each applicant needs to take one of the designated English language proficiency tests in advance and submit the score along with other application documents for admission.
3. Only one score is accepted. If multiple scores are submitted, none of them might be accepted.
4. Opportunities to take the English language proficiency tests before the written entrance examination are limited. Please check the website of each English language proficiency test for more information, especially regarding test dates.
5. Be sure to check the guidelines for application (to be announced later) for details, especially regarding how to submit the score sheet.
6. If the applicant is a Master's Course student of the Graduate School of Environmental Science at Hokkaido University at the time of application, the English language proficiency test score submission is not required for the application for the Doctoral Course.

[Important] This English version is only for the purpose of reference and the Japanese version is the formal text.

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