Common Mistakes

The following items are common mistakes made each year on the application website, Keio IC-Net. When these errors occur, your documentation will be considered incomplete, and your application may not be accepted. Please ensure you have all your documents in order and filled correctly before submitting them.

Check the Student Exchange Program Handbook and Application Guidelines for Keio University Exchange Students (Outbound) and the Keio University International Center website when making your application.

Step1: Your name was not entered as indicated in the field instruction.

*Enter your given name first followed by your surname. Capitalize the first letters of these names (e.g. Taro Keio)

ローマ字	KEIO TARO	
	パスポートに記載され と。(例:Taro Keio)	ているつづりを入力すること。入力は名→姓の順で、頭文字のみ大文字とするこ

Step1: You entered a non-keio.jp address in the form.

*Be sure to use your keio.jp email address

E-mail	tarokeio@gmail.com	
	keio.jpのメールアドレスを入力すること	
E-mail(確認用)	tarokeio@gmail.com	

Step1: The English scores entered in the section "Language you will use at partner universities of your choice (Language Scores)" do not meet the minimum requirement set by your selected host institution.



Refer to this page for the minimum language requirements for Keio's partner institutions.

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aduate programs NOT en to exchange students	N/A
nimum GPA (UG)	3.0
nimum GPA (G)	N/A
nguage of instruction	English
nimum language offciency (UG)	TOEFL iBT 85 with no section less than 20, or IELTS 6.5 with no section less than 6.0
nimum language offclency (G)	N/A
ademic calendar	Fall Term

Language proficiency requirements set by partner universities: https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/keio_student/exchange/ex_partners.html

*For English proficiency scores, if you do not meet the minimum language requirements set by a partner university, you will not be able to study there.

*If there are minimum requirements specified separately for reading, listening, writing, speaking, etc., then those requirements must also be met in addition to the overall language score.

Step 1: The scores indicated on your language proficiency certificate and/or the date of the examination were not entered correctly in the section "Language you will use at partner universities of your choice (Language Scores)."

*Be sure to check the language score report and copy the necessary information to the relevant field.

留学先大学での使用言語 (語学スコア)			
	て、現在のスコアを入力すること。(最大4言語まで入力可。) 志望理由の留学先大学使用言語は、ここで入力した言語と一致させること。 内容を証明する書類をアップロードすること。	IELTS	
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▶国際バカロレア (IB) 第一科目群 英語 (言語と文学 言語A:文学、言語A:言語と文学、文学と演劇)の最終試験の	成績証明書 Candidate Details	
英語 TOEFL iBT	総合スコア 0-120	Family Name	
	Reading 0-30 Listening 0-30 Speak	ng 0-30	
	Writing 0-30	Candidate ID	
	受験日 2015/01/01	Date of Birth	Sex (M/F) Scheme Code Private Candidate
英語 IELTS	総合スコア 6.5	Country or Region of Origin	
V NA:	Listening 7.5 Reading 7.5 Writin	g 5.0 Country of Nationality JAPAN	
× Mismatch in	Speaking 5.0	First Language JAPANESE	
exam date	受験日 2024/08/14 × Wisr	natch in Test Results	
	writing	SCOFE Listening 7.5 Reading 7.5 Writing	og 5.5 Speaking 5.0 Speaking 6.5 CEFR Level B2

Step1: The language entered in the section labeled "Language you will use at partner universities of your choice (Language Scores)" does not match the language used in Step 3: Statement of Purpose & Study Plan or Step 4: Statement of Purpose for Each University of Choice.

*You must fill out this section using the same language you will use at the partner university.

留学先大学での使用言語 (語学スコア)		
留学先大学での英語以外の使用言語 1	中国語	•
	証明書の種類	HSK
	スコア/レベル	HSK5級、181点

志望理由(留学先大学使用言語)

- 留学先大学使用言語で記入。英語の場合、学部生:500 words 程度 大学院生:800 words程度。英語以外の言語は英語のword数を目安に入力すること。
- Step 1 学生情報の語学能力証明書で入力した言語と一致するように作成すること。
- 複数言語の場合、例えば、英語と韓国語の語学能力証明書を入力した場合は、英語での志望理由を入力し、その後、2行程度間をあけて、韓国語での志望理由を同一欄に続けて入力すること。入力する内容は、日本語と同じでもかまいません。

The reason why I wish to participate in the student exchange program is that the experience would enrich my \cdots

If you plan to take classes in more than one language, please complete Steps 3 and 4 in each language.

Example: If you plan to take classes in English and Chinese, fill out Steps 3 and 4 in both English and Chinese. You are allowed write the same information as in the Japanese version.

Step1: The proficiency certificate for the language entered in "Language you will use at partner universities of your choice (Language Scores)" was not uploaded in Step 5: Upload Document.

留学先大学での使用言語(語学スコア	
Step 3 志望理由・留学計画、 Step 4 志望校別 Step 5 書類アップロードでは、ここで入力した 英語が母語の塾生に限り、TOEFL iBTあるいは 各セクションのスコア欄に「0」を、受験日欄に ロードすること。 ▶英語を第一言語とする国(アイルランド、英複数の公用語のうちの一つである国や、公用語籍年数が通算5年以上であることを証明する書業	て、現在のスコアを入力すること。(最大4言語まで入力可。) 記志望理由の留学先大学使用言語は、ここで入力した言語と一致させること。 上内容を証明する書類をアップロードすること。 IELTSに代わり、以下の書類の提出を可とする。その場合は英語 TOEFL iBTの総合スコアおよび こは入力日を入力すること。また、Step5 書類アップロードでは以下の書類のいずれかをアップ 国、オーストラリア、カナダ(ケベック州以外)、ニュージーランド、もしくは米国等。英語が が英語でない国で授業が英語だった場合は含まれない)で、中学校から高等学校にわたっての在 頭(5年間以上の成績が把握できる在籍した教育機関からの公式な英文成績証明書等) 1言語と文学 言語A:文学、言語A:言語と文学、文学と演劇)の最終試験の成績証明書
英語 TOEFL iBT	総合スコア 0-120
	Reading 0-30 Listening 0-30 Speaking 0-30
	Writing 0-30 If you entered the scores/levels of mull languages, you must submit proficience.
	受験日 2015/01/01 certificates for each language.
英語 IELTS	総合スコア 6.5
	Listening 6.0 Reading 6.5 Writing 6.5
	Speaking 6.0
	受験日 2025/06/01
留学先大学での英語以外の使用言語 1	フランス語・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・
	証明書の種類実用フランス語技能検定試験・
	スコア/レベル 2級
	記入例・方法: 語学試験の結果を参照し、2級、B1等と記入。中国語の証明書とし、HSKのスコアを提 出する場合、級に加えて点数も記入すること(例:HSK5級、180点)「語学担当教員作成の語学能力 証明書」の場合には、N/Aを記入。

Example: If you plan to take classes in English and French, you must submit proficiency certificates for both languages.

Step4: You selected a partner university that is different from what you wrote in
your statement of purpose.

*Carefully check to make sure you have not selected the wrong university.

第1志望	
国	シンガポール
大学	シンガポール国立大学
学部・学科	Faculty of Arts & Social Science, Dept of Political Science ・所属希望の学部・学科名を明記してください。 ・学部・学科名は、各協定校別募集要項の Undergraduate / Graduate programs open to exchange students の欄を参照すること。(協定校のウェブサイト等にて記載されている学部・学科名をそのまま引用し、日本語に翻訳しないこと。) ・募集要項にて明確な学部・学科名が確認できない場合は、履修を希望する学問分野を入力すること。
志望理由(日本語)	シンガポールマネジメント大学では、主に、国際貿易について学びたい。

☑ Step4: The name of the faculty you wish to study at was translated into Japanese.

第1志望	
国	イギリス
大学	バーミンガム大学 × Translated
学部・学科	社会政策学部
	・所属希望の学部・学科名を明記してください。 ・学部・学科名は、各協定校別募集要項の Undergraduate / Graduate programs open to exchange students の欄を参照すること。(協定校のウェブサイト等にて記載されている学部・学科名をそのまま引用し、日本語に翻訳しないこと。) ・募集要項にて明確な学部・学科名が確認できない場合は、履修を希望する学問分野を入力すること。

*Students must refer to the "Undergraduate/Graduate programs open to exchange students" column under the "Application guidelines for Each Partner Institution" page and enter their desired faculty or graduate program, without translating the name into Japanese. Note that it is not always possible to enroll in the faculty of your choice.

Step4: In the "Faculty/Department" field, a program was entered that is not open to exchange

第1志望		
国	マメリカ	
大学	ボストン大学	×Faculty not available for
学部・学科	School of Law	exchange students
	・所属希望の学部・学科名を明記してください。 ・学部・学科名は、各協定校別募集要項の Undergraduate / Graduate programs open to exchange students の欄を参照すること。(協定校のウェブサイト等にて記載されている学部・学科名をそのまま 引用し、日本語に翻訳しないこと。) ・募集要項にて明確な学部・学科名が確認できない場合は、履修を希望する学問分野を入力すること。	

- * Please refer to the section titled "Undergraduate/Graduate programs NOT open to exchange students" in the application guidelines for the relevant partner university and make sure your desired faculty is not subject to restrictions. Note that even if your faculty of choice is not listed, there may be changes in course restrictions depending on the academic year. Be sure to also check the Course Information page on the partner university's website.
- Step4: The University of California Education Abroad Program (UCEAP) was entered as the university of choice, but the applicant did not provide their top three campus preferences.

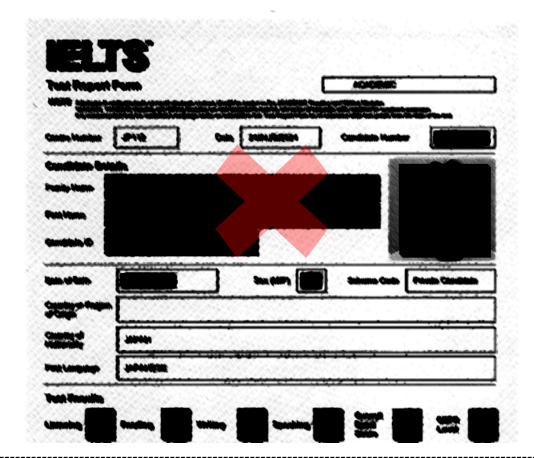


* UCEAP applicants should indicate their first through third preferences among the nine campuses of UC Berkeley, UC Davis, UC Irvine, UC Merced, UCLA, UC Riverside, UC San Diego, UC Santa Barbara, and UC Santa Cruz. Note that you may not be assigned to any of your preferred campuses.

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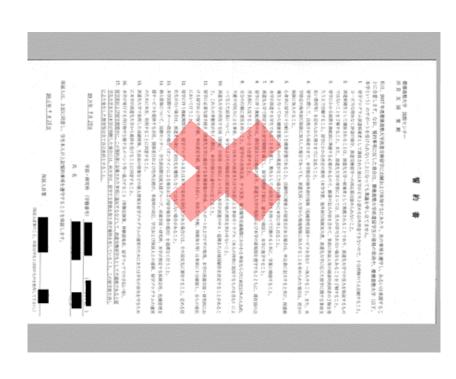
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☑ Step5: The scanned PDF is upside down or the orientation was set to landscape.

*Scan again using the correct orientation.





☑ Step5: The scan was made with a smartphone camera or app.



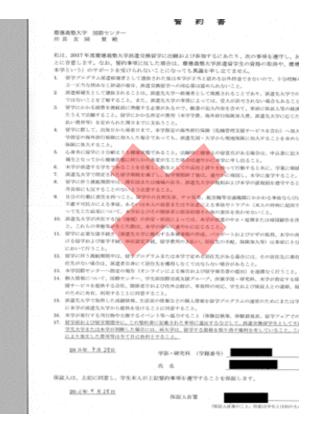




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https://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/doc/instruction_pdf.pdf (Japanese Only)

☑ Step5: The scanned PDF was cut off. *Rescan the document so that the whole page is visible.





Have all the required documents been uploaded? 1 Doublecheck your attachments to make sure you have all the required files in order.

☑ Upload all specified documents to the right sections.

Example: Uploading a certificate of language proficiency in the transcripts section will result in a discrepancy in your application.

Before you upload your latest academic transcript, make sure that it was issued from a certificate issuing machine or convenience store, not the academic transcript available from K-Support.

Transcripts of Academic Record: https://www.students.keio.ac.jp/en/com/procedure/certificate/issue.html





☑ Upload language proficiency certificate(s) consistent with your study abroad plan.

If you plan to take classes in more than one language, you will need to upload a language proficiency certificate for each language. Failure to upload the certificate will invalidate your application, even if you have provided your statement of purpose and your study or research plan in that language.

Example: You provided your statement of purpose and your study or research plan in English and French, but did not submit a French language proficiency certificate.

☑ Upload a valid language proficiency certificate.

TOEFL/IELTS is valid for two years. For applications submitted for internal screening, scores must be valid up to or beyond the day following the application deadline.

* Special allowances will not be made for missed deadlines caused by data transmission delays resulting from technical issues with computers, or the inability to send data within the designated timeframe due to limited network bandwidth. In past years, there have been reports from students that they were unable to complete the submission in time by a few seconds. However, late applications will not be accepted under any circumstances, even if they are received directly after the deadline. Please note that Internet traffic is expected to be particularly heavy on the day applications are due, causing potential delays. We strongly recommend that you start your application process on KEIO IC-NET at least one week before the deadline and complete your application at least three days before the deadline. You may resubmit your application as many times as you like until the application deadline.