



**TOKYO  
CHRISTIAN  
UNIVERSITY**  
**Admissions Office**

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<input type="checkbox"/> First Year	Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> 2年次	<input type="checkbox"/> 3年次	受験 番号
Application Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> 5,000円 <input type="checkbox"/> 2,500円 <input type="checkbox"/> 免除			

## APPLICATION FORM

### Admissions Office

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- ※ This application must be filled out by the applicant.
- ※ Submit the essays along with this application form.
- ※ We recommend that the applicant keep a copy of all submitted materials for his/her records.

### Personal Information

<b>Name:</b> _____ Family                      First                      Middle                      *As it appears in your passport				<b>Attach Photo</b> ・ 3cm(w) x 4cm(h) ・ Full-face view, directly facing the camera ・ No cap/hat allowed ・ Taken in front of plain background ・ Taken within the last three months
<b>Name in Chinese Characters (if applicable):</b> _____				
<b>Date of Birth:</b> _____ Month / Day / Year	<b>Age:</b> _____	<b>Gender:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		
<b>Nationality:</b> _____		<b>Mother Tongue:</b> _____		
<b>&lt; Mailing Address &gt;</b> Important documents will be sent to the address below. Please fill in the information accurately.				
<b>Address :</b> _____ _____				
<b>City:</b> _____		<b>State/Province:</b> _____		
<b>Country:</b> _____		<b>Postal Code:</b> _____		
<b>Phone:</b> _____		<b>Mobile:</b> _____		
<b>Email:</b> _____				
<b>&lt; Emergency Contact &gt;</b> Someone able to speak English or Japanese.				
<b>Name:</b> _____ Family                      First                      Middle				
<b>Relationship to applicant:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please specify) _____		
<b>Preferred language:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> Japanese <input type="checkbox"/> Either		
<b>Phone:</b> (1) _____		(2) _____		
<b>Email:</b> _____				

## Educational Background

### <First year student>

Send official transcript(s) and graduation certificate/diploma from the high school you have attended. If applicable, also send official transcript(s) from the higher education institution(s) you have attended. See the Application Guide for more information.

### <Transfer student>

Send official transcript(s) and graduation certificate from a university/college you have attended. If you have not yet graduated from a university/college, please send an expected graduation certificate. See the Application Guide for more information. Applicants with less than about 30 credits should submit their high school transcripts together with a transcript of their college coursework.

List all information for elementary education (excluding preschool and/or kindergarten), lower secondary education (e.g., middle school and/or junior high school), upper secondary education (e.g., high school), and higher education (e.g., college and/or university). If necessary, attach extra sheets explaining your major, name of degree, diploma, certificate, etc. Applicants must complete (or be scheduled to complete) **12th year of education** according to the standard curriculum established under Japan's education law or an equivalent school education. See the Application Guide for more details. Please consult with the Admissions Office before applying if you are from a country or region where the standard length of elementary or secondary education is less than 12 years or if you are homeschooled.

	School Name	Location (City/Country)	Dates Attended		Language of Instruction	Current Status	Program Duration (Years)
			Enrollment YYYY/MM	Graduation YYYY/MM			
Elementary Education							( ) years
Lower Secondary Education							( ) years
Upper Secondary Education						<input type="checkbox"/> Graduated <input type="checkbox"/> Currently enrolled <input type="checkbox"/> Other ( )	( ) years
Higher Education						<input type="checkbox"/> Graduated <input type="checkbox"/> Currently enrolled <input type="checkbox"/> Other ( )	( ) years
Total years of official education before enrollment at TCU							( ) years

State your current status/position as of the date of this application:

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## English Language Proficiency/Test Score

Some applicants are required to submit official English proficiency test score (TOEFL iBT®, IELTS, etc.). Follow the necessary steps written on the Application Guide to submit your test score(s) to TCU. If you are unable to submit results of any of the tests listed on the chart below **due to a compelling reason, inaccessibility and/or economic hardship**, please submit the English Proficiency Evaluation form. See the Application Guide for more information.

Those who are waived to submit an English proficiency test: Please select the ones that applicable to your situation.

- ☐ a) You have completed or will have completed your 12th year of formal education in the English language in a country stated in the Application Guide.
- ☐ b) You have taken or will have taken your most recent three years of formal education in the English language in a country other than those listed in the Application Guide.
- ☐ c) You have received or will receive an International Baccalaureate Diploma with English as the language of instruction.
- ☐ d) You are enrolled or have been enrolled in a college degree program (BA, MA, etc.) at an accredited college or university with English as the language of instruction.
- ☐ e) You have received one of the standardized test scores stated in the Application Guide.

Test Name	Test Date (Year/Month)	Test Score	Score Report Request Date (Year /Month/Day)	TCU School Code
<b>English Proficiency Tests (Fill out the ones that applicable.)</b>				
TOEFL iBT® Test				8472
IELTS				
TOEIC® LR&SW				
Cambridge English Language Assessment				
Duolingo English Test				
Other: Specify below ( )				
English Proficiency Evaluation Form (Those who are unable to submit the tests above)				
<b>University Entrance Qualification Test/Standardized Tests</b>				
SAT				6898
ACT				7963
Other: Specify below ( )				

## Personal Statement

Tokyo Christian University seeks those who have a serious commitment to Jesus Christ and who aim to serve Christ broadly on this world. Please share experiences you have had in church and society. Tell us how those experiences helped you grow. Also, please write your strengths and weaknesses, and area(s) in which you wish to be involved in your church/community in the future.

- 1 On a separate sheet, please write your reason(s) for applying to TCU, and your goals for study at TCU.  
(approximately 250 words, typed and double-spaced). **Make sure to include it in your application packet.**

- 2 Church related activities / experiences (include activities such as Christian youth camp, etc.)

Activities / experiences	
How did you grow through these activities/experiences?	

- 3

Activities / experiences	
How did you grow through these activities/experiences?	

- 4 Please write your main strength(s) and weakness(es).

Strength(s)	
Weakness(es)	

- 5 Please write the area(s) in which you wish to be involved in your church/community in the future.

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## Testimony/Commitment

On a separate sheet, please write your testimony (approximately 500 words, typed and double-spaced). Your testimony is a chance to tell us your faith journey, how it started, and how it is going. How has God been working in your life? **Make sure to include your testimony in your application packet.**

## Christian Background/Information

Tokyo Christian University admits those who have a serious commitment to Jesus Christ and His kingdom.  
The following information will help us understand your Christian background.

<input type="checkbox"/> Date of Baptism: _____ <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: -10px;">(Month / Day / Year)</div>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Date of Profession of Faith (if baptized as an infant): _____ <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: -10px;">(Month / Day / Year)</div>	
Home Church Name: _____	Denomination: _____
Address: _____	
City: _____	State/ Province: _____
	Country: _____ Postal Code: _____
Pastor's Name: _____	Church/Pastor's Phone: _____

Please write information on churches you have attended on a regular basis. Use a separate sheet for more space.

Dates Attended (Year/Month ~ Year/Month)	Church Name	Denomination	Pastor's Name	Location (City/Country)
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## Dormitory

Dormitory life is considered part of TCU's education. In principle, all students under 40 years of age are required to live on campus in the men's dorm, women's dorm, or family dorm.

\*Applicants ages 40 and above: You are not required to live on campus. If you wish to live on campus, please answer the following questions.

Marital Status      ☐ Single    ☐ Married

### <For single applicant>

☐ Currently engaged      (scheduled date of marriage: \_\_\_\_\_ /Month \_\_\_\_\_ /Day \_\_\_\_\_ /Year )

By engaged or engagement, we mean a formal engagement in the Japanese or Western sense, but also any cultural expectation, family expectation, or your personal intention to marry a specific person.

☐ Not engaged

Do you plan to become engaged between now and the completion of your degree at TCU?      ☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, please provide relevant information about your plans/intentions for engagement.

### <For married applicant>

Please provide information on your spouse/dependent(s), if you wish for your spouse/dependent(s) to live with you in TCU's family dormitory.

Name	Relationship to the applicant	Age

## Agreement to TCU Statement of Faith and Foundation Principles

☐ I understand and consent to Tokyo Christian University's Statement of Faith and Foundation Principles (printed in the Application Guide).

☐ This application was filled out by me, and I hereby testify that all the information is true and correct.

\* Acceptance to TCU may be revoked if any false statements/information or forged signatures are found within submitted documents, even after enrollment.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Month / Day / Year)

### <For First Year and Second Year Students>

To help us serve our students better, please let us know which major you prefer at this moment.

Please note that students will not officially declare majors until the end of their second year.

Preferred Major (select one):

☐ Major in Theological Studies

☐ Major in Global Studies

☐ Undecided

## Essay Questions

- Write one essay on Topic #1 and one essay on Topic #2. Make sure to put the essays in your application packet.
- You are expected to compose each essay by yourself, without any help from any other person.
- Do not handwrite the essays, but use a computer instead. All essays should be double-spaced.
- Count the number of words in your essays and write the total number of words at the end of each essay.

### <Topic #1 > 300–500 words

We are partly a product of the environments in which we were raised. Describe your family, home, neighborhood, or community, and explain how it has shaped you as a person.

### <Topic #2 > 900 - 1,100 words

TCU's motto – “Stand in the Gap: Christ's Peace in Broken Places” – captures the university's educational mission to train people who will stand for the healing and restoration of the “gaps” between God and humanity, and the resulting “gaps” in the world (its hurts, contradictions, divisions, etc.). From this perspective, please summarize your thoughts about the following questions in an essay of at least 900 words but no more than 1,100 words.

1. Consider the “gaps” close to you, in greater society, and around the world. What is a “gap” (an area of brokenness) for which you are particularly burdened? Why?
2. Christ is both the reason and the model for Christians to stand in the gap. How do you see this call to stand in the gap as your own calling, and what do you think about the biblical perspectives and attitudes, practical means and actions, and cooperative relationships necessary for servants of Christ to fulfill this calling?
3. In what ways do you hope an education at TCU will better equip you to “stand in the gap”?

### <Essay Evaluation Criteria>

1. Writing conventions	15 points
2. Length and scope	27 points
3. Organization and logic	29 points
4. Christian maturity and theological understanding	29 points

## Japanese Language Proficiency

Fluency in Japanese is not required nor does admission depend on previous studies of Japanese. To help us serve our students better, please answer the following questions.

### Have you studied Japanese before?

☐ Yes (Please answer the following questions.)

☐ No

1 Where did you study Japanese and how? (university, language school, with a tutor, by yourself, etc.)

Where?	
How?	

2 When and how long did you study Japanese?

When?	
How long?	

3 What were the main textbooks you used (if any)?

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4 How fluent are you in reading/writing *Hiragana* and *Katakana*?

<i>Hiragana</i>	Reading	
	Writing	
<i>Katakana</i>	Reading	
	Writing	

5 Approximately how many Japanese *Kanji* can you read and/or write?

Read:	Write:
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6 Describe your Japanese fluency in speaking, listening, reading, and writing.

Speaking	
Listening	
Reading	
Writing	

7 Please state any Japanese language test results/certificate (e.g., JLPT) if applicable.

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