

2025 Kanazawa University Admission Examination for the School of International Studies,  
College of Human and Social Science  
[Special Admission Examination for Self-funded International Students]

## Notes on taking the exam

### 1. Examination venue and date

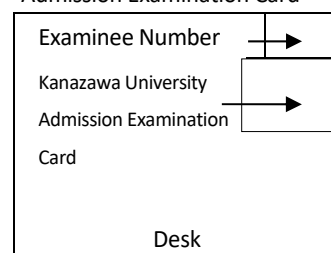
- (1) Date and time of the examination: December 7, 2024 (Sat.) 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (Written Examination (Essay))
  - Enter the examination room by 9:00 a.m.
  - From 12:30 p.m. (Oral Examination)
  - Enter the examination room by 12:10 p.m.
- (2) Examination venue: Human and Social Science Lecture Hall 1, Kanazawa University  
Kakumamachi, Kanazawa City (Confirm the examination venue guide map.)
- (3) Information on examination room: Information about the examination room will be posted at the entrance of the examination venue from December 6, 2024 (Fri.) at 1:00 p.m. (Entering the examination venue-building is not allowed.)
- (4) Opening Time : December 7, 2024 (Sat.) 8:00 a.m.

### 2. About the Admission Examination Card

- (1) Please bring your “Kanazawa University Admission Examination Card” printed in A4 size on the day of the exam.
- (2) Place the “Kanazawa University Admission Examination Card” on the desk. Please note that you need to fold it in half to make the examinee's number, name, etc. visible.

- (Note) ① If you did not bring your “Kanazawa University Admission Examination Card” on the day of the exam, please confirm the sign at the examination venue entrance and go to the Admission Examination Headquarters and follow instructions from the staff.
- ② Keep the “Kanazawa University Admission Examination Card” until the admission procedure is completed and be careful not to lose it.

(Example) How to place the Admission Examination Card



### 3. Precautions for taking the exam

- (1) Candidates should enter the examination room with their bags, etc. 30 minutes before the start of the examination (9:00 a.m.) and take the seat with the same Examinee Number as found on the “Kanazawa University Admission Examination Card”.  
For the Oral Examination, please enter the waiting room (the examination room used for the essay writing) 20 minutes before the start of the test (12:10 p.m.).
- (2) Please place your personal belongings in the designated personal belongings storage area, as instructed by the supervisor after the meeting time.
- (3) **Those who arrive later than 20 minutes after the start of Written Examination (Essay) and later than start time of Oral Examination cannot sit it.**
- (4) **If the student is found to have cheated (an act that affects the fairness and smooth progress of the exam) during the exam, he/she will be disqualified.** Please confirm to “About cheating in Kanazawa University Admission Examination” regarding the treatment of cheating.
- (5) If you have a cough or other symptoms of illness, please be considerate of other examinees by wearing a mask.

### 4. Precautions during the Written Examination (Essay)

- (1) You are not allowed to leave the room during the examination time. Raise your hand and follow the supervisor's instructions in case of an emergency such as illness during the examination or if you need to leave the room to go to the toilet.  
However, even if you are allowed to leave the room temporarily, you will not be allowed to take the examination in other rooms, such as the infirmary. Also, there will be no delay in answer start time or extension of examination duration to make up for

the time spent outside the room.

(2) The following items ①-⑥ must be strictly observed when handling personal belongings;

① In addition to the admission examination card, items that may be placed on the desk during the examination are as follows: **black pencils** (excluding pencils that have prints of waka, maxims, etc.), **pencil caps, mechanical pencils** (limited to black cores, also do not place the mechanical pencil lead case on the desk), **erasers** (excluding electric type), **pencil sharpeners** (excluding electric type, large type, knife, etc.), **straight rulers, watches** (excluding those with functions such as dictionary, calculator, or communication, and those with difficult to distinguish functions, and those with that make ticking sounds, kitchen timers, or large ones), **eyeglasses, handkerchiefs** (plain), **eye drops, tissue paper** (only the contents taken out from the bag or box). Do not put any other personal belongings on the desk.

Anyway, Set squares, protractors, rulers with protractors, compasses, calculators, abacuses, graph paper, etc., electronic dictionaries, mobile phones, electronic devices such as smartphones, wearable devices (including wrist watch type, earphone type, wristband type, etc.), and IC recorders are not permitted.

② For watches with alarms, be sure to turn off the alarm setting before entering the examination room.

③ **The use of mobile phones, etc. is not permitted in the examination room.**

Before entering the examination room, be sure to turn off the alarm setting, turn off the power, and place it in a bag. Note that an alarm may sound even if the power is turned off unless the alarm setting is deactivated.

If a mobile phone ringtone or manner mode vibration sound occurs in the bag during the examination, the supervisor will take the personal belongings such as bags regardless of consent and store them at the examination center until the end of the examination.

④ Earplugs are not permitted, as they may make it difficult to hear the supervisor's instructions.

⑤ You can wear coats in the examination room. Do not wear clothing that has printed kanji, English characters, maps, etc. If such an item is worn, you may be asked to take it off.

⑥ If you wish to use a cushion or lap blanket, please ask the supervisor for permission before using it.

(3) Do not take the answer sheet home. Please take the question booklet and draft paper with you.

(4) If you are wearing a mask during the examination, the supervisor may ask you to remove it temporarily for identification purposes.

(5) No remedial measures will be taken if daily life noises (e.g., footsteps of supervisors on patrol, meetings necessary for supervisory duties, sounds of aircraft, automobiles, wind, rain, air conditioning, etc., coughing, sneezing, sniffing, etc., brief ringing of cell phones or clocks, chimes from surrounding buildings, etc.) occur during examination time.

## 5. Precautions during the Oral Examination

(1) The use of mobile phones, etc. is not permitted in the oral examination waiting room. Before entering the oral examination waiting room, be sure to turn off the alarm setting, turn off the power, and place it in a bag.

(2) Please be quiet in the waiting room for the oral examination by reading books, etc.

(3) When your examination number is called, please move to the oral examination room with your examination card and all your personal belongings.

(4) During the Oral Examination, we will question on an individual basis, keeping in mind the Admissions Policy.

(5) After the Oral Examination, you will not be allowed to re-enter the oral examination waiting room.

(6) To ensure fairness and objectivity in the evaluation of each examinee, the Oral Examination will be recorded. The recording data will be used only for the purpose of evaluation in this examination.

## 6. Other

(1) For examination details, please confirm the Application Guidelines issued by the University from applicant's responsibility.

(2) Admission examinations are also held on other floors of the examination venue. Keep silent even outside the examination time, not to mention during the examination.

(3) Please prepare your own lunch and take it at your seat in the examination room (the campus cafeteria and stores are closed).

(4) Smoking is not permitted on campus.

(5) Traffic jams may occur due to snowfall, etc., please arrive at the examination venue early and use public transportation and refrain from driving passenger cars to the examination site.

(6) If the examination time is changed due to unforeseen circumstances, the information will be posted on the Kanazawa University website as the need arises.

Kanazawa University (admission information) website:

<https://www.kanazawa-u.ac.jp/admission>



(7) Inquiries and contact information regarding the admission examination

Admission team, Student Affairs Division, Human and Social Administration Department, Kanazawa University  
Kakuma-machi, Kanazawa, Ishikawa, 920-1192 Japan E-mail:n-nyusi@adm.kanazawa-u.ac.jp

**A precaution about the phone calls and telegrams made around the stations and the Examination venue to report exam passing.**

There may be individuals who administrate phone calls and messages about passing the examination at the nearest station or around the examination venue on the day before or on the day of the examination. These activities have nothing to do with the University. Please note that the University is not responsible for any problems caused by such practices.

# Examination Site Map

Admission Examination for Self-funded International Students (for the School of International Studies)

: Kanazawa University, Kakuma Campus, Human and Social Science Hall.2

