

## **Important notice to international applicants to the Graduate School of Fisheries Sciences, Hokkaido University**

All international applicants to the Graduate School of Fisheries Sciences, Hokkaido University (both MS and PhD courses) who wish to take an Entrance examination in or after August 2020 must submit a valid score sheet from an English-language proficiency examination when they apply.

Any of the following examinations are acceptable:

1. TOEIC
2. TOEIC-IP
3. TOEFL
4. TOEFL-ITP

Scores from the IELTS examination will not be accepted.

Applicants must submit an official score sheet for the TOEIC exams or Examinee Score Report for the TOEFL exams. Copies of pages printed from the website showing the score will not be accepted.

Applicants who have graduated from a university in an English-speaking country are exempt from this requirement. To request this exemption, please contact the Academic Affairs section (kyoumu@fish.hokudai.ac.jp).

<b>Important dates for those applying for enrollment in October 2020 or April 2021</b>	
English-language proficiency examination	On or after July 1, 2018*
Deadline for submitting exam score	Late June, 2020
Application period	Late July, 2020
Entrance examination	Late August, 2020
Enrollment	October 2020 or April 2021

\* Score from exams taken before this date will not be accepted.

Details about how to submit the score sheets will be provided in the Application Guidelines, which can be downloaded in early June, 2020 (<http://www2.fish.hokudai.ac.jp/language-english/application-guidelines/>).

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