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Notice of the English Language Proficiency Requirements for Applicants to the Doctoral Program, Graduate School of Design

In the Entrance Examination for the Doctoral Programs of Graduate School of Design, proficiency in a foreign language (English) is evaluated using the score of an external English test (TOEFL-iBT).

From the examination to be held in December 2024, April 2025 Admission (Second Call) and October 2025 Admission (First Call), the external English tests to be used will be expanded as follows.

Please note that for the examination to be held in July 2024, April 2025 Admission (First Call) and October 2024 Admission (Second Call), the TOEFL-iBT (TOEFL-iBT at test center) score (valid for two years) will continue to be required as before.

1. External English language tests

TOEFL-iBT (TOEFL-iBT at a test center) *1

TOEIC Listening and Reading Test *2

IELTS (Academic Module) *3

2. Validity period of the score:

Scores must be taken within 5 years from the date of the entrance examination.

Notes

*1 TOEFL-iBT tests taken at home and TOEFL-ITP are not eligible.

*2 TOEIC IP Test and other group tests are not eligible.

*3 Group tests, IELTS Indicator, and IELTS Online are not eligible.