

Ikubunkan Junior High School

2027 Admissions Overview for Returnee & International Students



*The official Admissions Guide will be available in early October.

□ Overview

Program		Global			
Examination Dates		Admission Type	Admissions Advantages	Examination	Capacity
Mid Dec		Returnee Admission	• English Qualification Score Guarantee	• English (50 min) • Interview (Japanese & English)	Approx. 5–10 students
1 Feb (Mon)	AM	Global Class Admissions — Round 1	• First-Choice Applicant Advantage • Returnee Applicant Advantage • English Qualification Score Guarantee	• English (50 min) • Interview (Japanese & English)	Approx. 15 students
2 Feb (Tue)	AM	Global Class Admissions — Round 2	• Returnee Applicant Advantage • English Qualification Score Guarantee	• English (50 min) • Interview (Japanese & English)	Approx. 10 students

□ Eligibility for Returnee Applicants

Japanese citizens who have lived overseas for at least one year and returned to Japan within the past three years.

□ Admissions Advantages

- First-Choice Applicant Advantage: A preferential admission policy for applicants who designate Ikubunkan as their first-choice school.
- Returnee Applicant Advantage: A preferential admission policy for eligible returnee applicants.
- English Qualification Score Guarantee:

Applicants with Eiken or equivalent English-language qualifications may receive a guaranteed score on the written English examination (excluding the interview).

- Eiken Grade 2 (or equivalent): Guaranteed at 70%
- Eiken Pre-1 (or equivalent): Guaranteed at 85%
- Eiken Grade 1 (or equivalent): Guaranteed at 100%

□ Scholarship Program

One-Year Scholarship: Top-performing admitted students who meet the scholarship criteria may receive a 50% reduction of the admission fee and 50% tuition waiver.

*The scholarship may be renewed annually, subject to academic performance and school regulations, for up to three years.

□ Waiting List

A waiting list may be announced for any examination.

Applicants placed on the waiting list will be contacted by the school if a place becomes available.

□ Accepted English Qualifications

CEFR	Eiken	Cambridge English	IELTS	TOEFL iBT		Duolingo
C1	Grade 1	180-	7.0-	95-	5-	130-
B2	Pre-1	160-179	5.5-6.5	72-94	4-4.5	100-125
B1	Grade 2	140-159	4.5-5.0	51-71	3.5	90-95