

ESP College of Entertainment Tokyo

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School Introduction

The ESP Group is built on three key pillars: guitar manufacturing and sales, a comprehensive music production division, and an educational division, with a global network. In Hollywood (CA, USA), we provide an educational environment that covers all aspects of entertainment, including music, film, and theater. In Japan, ESP Gakuen is the core of our domestic education division, which is the largest comprehensive entertainment education institution in Japan, dedicated to nurturing talent.

Application Requirements

AO Admissions	Regular Admissions
Entry Period: June 1 - September 30 Application: September 2 - October 19	Application: October 1- March 8, 2025
<p>1. Educational Background: Must be 18 years or older as of April 1, 2025, and have completed 12 years of education (equivalent to high school) or equivalent.</p> <p>2. Finances: Must have sufficient funds for tuition and living expenses during the period of study.</p> <p>3. Japanese Language Proficiency: Must meet one of the following requirements and be able to participate in classes conducted in Japanese:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ① Passed JLPT N1 or N2 ② Scored 200 or above on the Japanese language section of the EJU ③ Scored 400 or above on the BJT Business Japanese Proficiency Test <p>4. MI Tokyo Only: Submission of a performance or singing video is required.</p>	
Applicants who meet our admission criteria, align with our admission	Even if you do not meet any of the above Japanese language

<p>policy, and have participated in one of ESP Gakuen's open campus events (including weekday tours, online school information sessions, or school information sessions hosted by ESP Gakuen) are eligible to apply.</p>	<p>proficiency requirements, you may still be eligible if you meet one of the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ④ Completed at least 6 months of Japanese language education at an institution recognized by the Minister of Justice, with good grades and attendance ⑤ Completed at least one year of education at a school stipulated in Article 1 of the School Education Act
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For more details, please refer to the "2025 Admission for International Student Applications."



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Entrance Exam

- AO Admissions: Interview (approximately 15 minutes)
- Regular Admissions: Written exam (waived if you meet one of the Japanese language proficiency requirements ① to ③), essay, and interview.

Tuition Fees

- First Year: ¥1,500,000 (includes ¥200,000 admission fee)
- Second Year: ¥1,300,000

Note: Tuition fees, except for the admission fee, can be paid in two installments. Generally, the annual tuition covers all class expenses.

Scholarships for International Students

- ESP Gakuen International Student Learning Encouragement Scholarship: ¥160,000 per year (¥80,000 x 2)
- ESP Gakuen JLPT Scholarship: ¥100,000 for N1 / ¥50,000 for N2
- ESP Gakuen Language Education Institution Recommendation Scholarship: ¥50,000
- ESP Gakuen Enrollment Preparation Program: ¥100,000 (application before arrival in Japan)



- ESP Gakuen Current Student Sibling Special Scholarship:
¥100,000

Note: Please refer to the application guidelines for information on external scholarship programs.

Majors

- **Musician:** Vocal, Guitar, Bass, Drum, Singer-Songwriter, Sound Creator
- **Acting:** Voice Actor Training, Actor Training (acting and modeling)
- **Staff:** Manager, Recording Engineer, PA (Sound), Stage Production, Planning and Production
- **Instruments:** Piano Tuning, Wind Instrument Repair, Guitar Craft

Student Support

- Support with residency (VISA) matters
- Job search activities for international students
- Debut support