

Instructions for the Examination

1. Please check the following website for any changes in the response to the selection process of applicants for admission, etc.
Osaka Metropolitan University Admission Guidelines Website (In Japanese only) (<https://www.omu.ac.jp/admissions/g/>)
2. Examination Date ... August 18, 2026, and August 19
Contingency Date* ... August 21, 2026, and August 22
*Contingency Dates will be used if it becomes difficult to conduct the examination on the original dates due to unforeseen circumstances such as natural disasters.
If the examination cannot be conducted on the first day (August 18), both days of the examination will be held on the Contingency Dates.
If only the second day (August 19) is affected, the examination scheduled for that day will be held on August 22.
3. The details about information like the location for the examination will be posted at 9 o'clock on the day of the examination at the entrance of Building B11. (refer to the Information Map)
4. On the day of the examination, please be sure to bring your Entrance Examination Card (printed on A4 white paper after logging in to the Osaka Metropolitan University portal) and writing utensils.
5. Applicants must enter the examination room (or the waiting room for oral examination candidates) 20 minutes prior to the start of the examination.
6. Candidates who come late to the exam will still be allowed to take the examination, provided that they enter the written examination room (for the written examination) or the waiting room for the oral examination candidates (for the oral examination) within 30 minutes from the examination start time. After entering the room, the instructions of the proctor have to be followed. However, no extension of the examination time will be allowed.
If a person is late due to special circumstances on the day of the examination (reasons in the addendum), there are cases where that person can be approved to start the examination up to 60 minutes past the official starting time and have the examination time extended.
Therefore, please report such circumstances to the proctor or person in charge of the examination hall headquarters.
 - More than 30 minutes delay by suspension of the public transportation such as train, subway, bus, etc. (which operates according to timetables only) by the accidents.
 - The delay by unexpected accidents, injuries, diseases on the way to the venue.
7. During the examination period, people will not be allowed to leave the room until the examination is completed. However, if during the examination a person unavoidably becomes ill or needs to go to the bathroom, they should quietly raise their hand and follow the proctor's instructions.
8. We ask that the examinees please take the seat that matches their examination number and place their Entrance Examination Card on top of the desk.
9. In addition to the Entrance Examination Card, only "Black pencil or mechanical pencil, pencil cap, eraser, sharpener (electric type, large type, knife not allowed), ruler, clock (Items with functions such as dictionaries, calculators, terminals, etc., items that are difficult to tell whether they have these functions, items with second hand sounds, kitchen timers, study timers, and large items are not allowed. Deactivate the alarm.), glasses, handkerchief, eye drops, tissue paper (Only the contents are removed from a bag or box.)" should be placed on the desk. All other items should be collected and placed where the supervisor instructs.
Electronic devices such as mobile phones, smartphones, wearable devices (smartwatches, smart glasses, etc.), tablet devices, electronic dictionaries, IC recorders, earphones, and music players must be turned off, put away in bags, etc. and not worn or carried by the time the examinee finishes entering the examination room. For devices with an alarm function, be sure to deactivate the alarm before turning off the power. If the alarm is not deactivated, it may go off even when the device is powered down. Carrying or wearing such devices during the examination, rather than storing them in a bag, may be considered cheating.
10. Do not touch the question booklet or answer sheet until the supervisor instructs you to start the examination.
11. We ask that absolutely no answer sheets that are passed out be brought outside the examination room. We ask each individual to please bring their own question booklet home with them.
12. On the day of the examination, there will be times when the windows in the examination room will be opened for ventilation. Please bring appropriate clothing according to the outdoor temperature.
13. Smoking is prohibited on the University campus.



14. In the event that the entrance examination cannot be conducted as planned due to a natural disaster, etc., an “Emergency Notice” will be published on the University Website (In Japanese only), so be sure to check it.

(<https://www.omu.ac.jp/admissions/g/news/>)

15. The successful candidates' examination numbers will be posted on the successful candidates' announcement page of the University Website (In Japanese only) at 10:00 on Friday, September 4, 2026.

(https://www.omu.ac.jp/admissions/g/exam_info/pass/)

We will not respond to inquiries by telephone, etc.

Successful candidates will be sent a letter of acceptance along with an Enrollment Procedure Guide.

16. If cheating is found in the entrance examination, we will take strict action. In addition, if a successful candidate is found to have committed cheating, we will cancel his/her acceptance. Please refer to the University Website (In Japanese only) for the handling of fraudulent acts in the selection of students.

(https://www.omu.ac.jp/admissions/assets/Handling_of_fraud_in_entrance_exam.pdf)



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