

ENGLISH INFO ON SHINEI SHS ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

[Special Admission for Prefectural Foreign Residents] (Enrollment Limit: NYD)

1 Eligibility for Special Admission for Prefectural Foreign Residents

Persons who fulfill all of the following conditions A through E:

- A Persons who were born on or before April 1, 2010
- B Persons who have graduated or will graduate from junior high school or have completed or will complete a 9-year curriculum of school education overseas by March 31, 2025
 - ★ Those who have completed a 9-year curriculum of school education overseas must attend "The Approval of Eligibility for Application Guidance Seminar", held on November 30(Sat) 2:00PM at Kanagawa Kokaido (5-minute walk from JR line Higashi-Kanagawa or Keikyu line Keikyu Higashi-Kanagawa station). Those who are currently enrolled in a public junior high school in Kanagawa Prefecture may NOT attend this guidance seminar.
- C Persons and guardians who have been residing in Kanagawa, or will move to Kanagawa by April 1, 2025
- D Persons who will have stayed in Japan for 6 years or less in total as of February 1, 2025, after entering Japan (excluding the period of stay before entering elementary school)
- E Persons who have foreign nationality, or who obtained Japanese nationality in the past 6 years (as of February 1, 2025)

2 Confirmation Period of Application Eligibility for Special Admission

January 6 (Mon) 2025 to January 15 (Wed) 2025 at SHINEI SHS 9:00-12:00 / 13:00-16:00 (Except Sat, Sun, National holidays)

*Documents to be confirmed are:

- ① Documents certifying that you are of foreign nationality or you have obtained Japanese nationality in the past 6 years.
- Present documents (such as a passport) to certify that you have stayed in Japan for 6 years or less in total after entering Japan.

3 Submission Period

January 23 (Thu) 2025 to January 29 (Wed) 2025

For admission application through Internet Application System, the procedures will be announced by the Prefectural Board of Education at a later date.

4 School Choice Change Period

February 4 (Tue) 2025 to February 6 (Thu) 2025

The school of your choice can be changed only once using the internet application system during the school choice change period.

5 Examination

Written Examinations: February 14 (Fri) 2025 (English, Japanese & Mathematics)

Interview: February 14 (Fri) 2025, following the written examinations.

Makeup Examination: February 20 (Thu) 2025 at SHINEI SHS.

*A makeup examination is given to applicants who could not take the examination due to unforeseeable circumstances such as flu infection.

6 Announcement of Results

Distribution of the certificate of acceptance and other documents

February 28 (Fri) 2025, 9:00AM

(The examination result will be announced online through Internet Application System.) Receive the certificate of acceptance and other documents at the time specified by SHINEI SHS.

7 Details of Examination for Special Admission

- ① Written Examinations: (English, Japanese & Mathematics)
 Written Examinations will be conducted in Japanese but will have RUBI (hiragana placed above Kanji characters).
- 2 Interview in Japanese (approximately 10 minutes).

8 Selection Method (how admission decisions are made)

- ① Total Score of Written Examinations converted to 800 points = G
- 2 Total Score of Interview in Japanese converted to 200 points = M
- ③ Total Score of G (800) + M (200) is S (1000)
- 4 The top ?(NYD) applicants with the highest overall scores (S) will be accepted.

9 Questions to be asked in the Japanese interview cover the following:

- The reasons why you would like to enter SHINEI SHS.
- The subjects you made the best efforts on during junior high school.
- The extracurricular activities you made the best efforts on during junior high school.
- The subjects you will make the best efforts on in SHINEI SHS.
- The extracurricular activities you will make the best efforts on in SHINEI SHS.

*NOTE: Attitude during the interview process will be evaluated.

10 Submission of an interview sheet to SHINEI SHS is required before the examinations.

Some schools may require the applicant to fill out an interview sheet. In this case, the applicant should write about their own thoughts by themselves and submit it to the high school. Japanese language has to be used in filling out this sheet. This sheet will be used as a reference at the time of the interview and the contents of the sheet will not be evaluated as a part of the examination. If the applicant changes the school and the newly chosen school requires an interview sheet, the applicant needs to prepare an interview sheet anew and submit it to the newly chosen school.

A copy of the interview sheet can be submitted. Some of the schools specify their own form of interview sheet for submission instead of the standard interview sheet.

Sample of the standard interview sheet

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*Click the link below for more infomation about special admission. https://www.pref.kanagawa.jp/documents/64280/2025 english.pdf