

Important notes for the application

SOKENDAI Student Emergency Support Program provides financial assistance to students facing sudden household financial hardship that makes continuing their studies difficult. This hardship may result from the student, or their financial supporter being affected by a disaster, involuntary job loss or bankruptcy due to company circumstances, illness, or the death of the financial supporter. This support is funded by generous donations to SOKENDAI Funds.

Students wishing to receive this support should check the following requirements and apply.

1. Amount of payment

A maximum of 200,000 yen will be provided per application, subject to evaluation.

2. Eligibility Requirements

In principle, this is provided to students (regular students only) who experience sudden changes in their household finances due to the student or his/her supporter disasters, job loss or bankruptcy due to company circumstances, illness, or the death of a financial supporter, and make it difficult to continue their studies economically.

3. Procedure for Payment

- (1) Students wishing to apply for this support must attach documentation proving their sudden change in household circumstances to the application form, obtain the approval of their chief supervisor, and submit it to program office. Additionally, applications submitted more than three months after the reason for the sudden change in household circumstances occurred will not be accepted. Furthermore, applications from students who fall under any of the following categories will not be accepted.
 - ①Students on leave of absence
 - ②Students under disciplinary action period
 - ③SOKENDAI Special Researcher
 - ④MEXT Scholarship Students
 - ⑤JSPS Research Fellowships for Young Scientists (DC1, DC2)
 - ⑥Students who are deemed inappropriate as recipients
- (2) The president will review the application content and provide funding for those recognized as having a high necessity for support. Depending on the application details, funding may not be granted, or the amount provided may be reduced from the requested amount.
- (3) Support funds will be transferred from SOKENDAI to the bank account of the recipient student.
- (4) The number of support fund disbursements shall be limited to a maximum of two times for the same student while they are enrolled.

4. Repayment of the support fund

If it is recognized that there were facts indicating a false application, the recipient student must return all or part of the support fund.

5. Contact

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