Doctoral Course of Graduate School of Engineering Kanazawa Institute of Technology

Guidelines for Applicants for 2026 Enrollment (extract) (General Admission)

1. Programs and Seats Available

Programs	Capacity
Mechanical Engineering	5 students
Civil and Environmental Engineering	5 students
Information and Computer Engineering	5 students
Electrical Engineering and Electronics	6 students
System Design Engineering	6 students
Bioscience and Chemistry	6 students
Architecture	5 students
Synthesized Engineering	5 students

2. Eligibility

The following individuals are eligible to apply:

- (1) Individuals who have a Master's degree or professional degree, or who will be conferred said degree by March 31, 2026.
- (2) Individuals who have been conferred a degree which is equivalent to a Master's degree or professional degree by an educational institution in a foreign country, or who will be conferred said degree by March 31, 2026.
- (3) Individuals who have completed a correspondence course offered by a foreign educational institution while residing in Japan, and have been conferred a degree which is equivalent to a Master's degree or professional degree, or who will be conferred said degree by March 31, 2026.
- (4) Individuals who have completed an education program provided by a graduate school of a foreign educational institution located in Japan, which is recognized by their home country as an educational institution and designated as such by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, and who have been conferred a degree which is equivalent to a Master's degree or professional degree, or who will be conferred said degree by March 31, 2026.
- (5) Individuals designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology.
- (6) Individuals who have undergone the preliminary qualification screening and have been determined by the KIT Graduate School to have a level of academic ability equal to or higher than that of a student who has a Master's degree or professional degree, and who will be 24 years of age or older by March 31, 2026.

Note:

Applicants who fall into category (6) are required to undergo a preliminary qualification screening in advance. Please confirm the guidelines for the screening and submit the required documents to the Admissions Center.

3. Selection

Selection is conducted comprehensively, based on a written examination, an oral examination and application documents.

4. Examination Date and Place

(1) Schedule for general admission

Semester	Application	Examination	Announcement	Payment
Semester	acceptance period	date	of results	deadline
First semester	Jun. 2 (Mon) ~		I1 17 (Dl)	
	Jun. 12 (Thu)	Jul. 5 (Sat)	Jul. 17 (Thu)	Jul. 31 (Thu)
	(Postmark deadline)		11:00 am	
Second semester	Oct. 24 (Fri) ~		Dec. 4 (Thu)	
	Nov. 12 (Wed)	Nov. 29 (Sat)		Dec. 18 (Thu)
	(Postmark deadline)		11:00 am	

Notification of Acceptance

(2) Examination Venue

Kanazawa Institute of Technology

(Examinees are requested to arrive at Building No.1 by 9:30 am and follow the instructions given by the staff.)

5. Examination Components and Times

(1) Oral examination (10:00 am ~)

The oral examination is on a topic related to the applicant's Master's thesis.

^{*} We will send a notification of accepted applicants.

6. Application Procedures

(1) Submission of the application form

Applicants are requested to send the required documents to:

Kanazawa Institute of Technology Admission Center

7-1 Ogigaoka, Nonoichi, Ishikawa 921-8501 (Tel: +81-76-248-0365)

- (2) Documents to be submitted
 - 1. Application form (form specified by KIT)
 - 2. Payment slip (form specified by KIT)
 - 3. Personal information (form specified by KIT)
 - 4. Master's course transcript
 - 5. Certificate of completion of the Master's course or certificate indicating that it will be completed
 - 6. Approval of application (required of applicants who are employees of public offices or companies)
 - 7. Summary of the Master's thesis (summarized into about 1,500 words) or research report (published theses and/or research results)
- (3) Examination fee: 30,000 yen
- (4) The examination fee and submitted documents shall not be returned.

7. Admission Procedures

- (1) Admission procedures shall be completed by payment of the admission fee by the payment deadline.
- (2) Admission fee: 250,000 ven
- (3) The admission fee and submitted documents shall not be refunded.
- (4) Admission procedure documents will be sent with the notification of acceptance. Please submit the documents by the deadline.

8. Fees

(1) Tuition fees

	First semester	Second semester	Yearly amount
Tuition fees	522,000 yen	522,000 yen	1,044,000 yen

^{*} The payment deadlines are April 1 for the first semester and October 1 for the second semester.

(2) How to pay

Please pay the amount by the payment deadline, using a bank transfer form which will be sent to you in March. It is possible to pay the yearly amount in one lump sum.