

Inquiries

1. Inquiries about the invitation of applications should be directed to the following divisions through the research institution.

(1) About the invitation of applications:

Research Aid Division I, Research Program Department, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

Phone: 03-3263-4682, 4798, 1878,0964,4764,4796

KAKENHI (Series of Single-year Grants): Specially Promoted Research, Scientific research(S), Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (S)

Research Aid Division II, Research Program Department, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

Phone: 03-3263-4254 (Specially Promoted Research)
03-3263-4388 (Scientific Research (S) , Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (S))

KAKENHI (Series of Single-year Grants): Scientific research (A), all research projects, Scientific research (B), Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (A) projects adopted in FY2011 or before, Scientific research (C), Challenging Exploratory Research, Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (B) projects adopted in FY2010 or before

Research Aid Division I, Research Program Department, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

Phone: 03-3263-1870, 4779,4758,0996,4724

KAKENHI (Multi-year Fund): Scientific research (C), Challenging Exploratory Research, Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (B) projects adopted from FY2011 onward

Research Aid Division I, Research Program Department, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

Phone: 03-3263-1057, 1843,1845,1867,0992

KAKENHI (Partial Multi-year Fund): Scientific research (B), Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (A) projects adopted from FY2012 onward

Research Aid Division I, Research Program Department, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

Phone: 03-3263-4758, 4779,0996,4724,1870

(2) For inquiries concerning the use of the JSPS electronic application system for projects funded by grants-in-aid for scientific research:

Call center: 0120-556-739 (toll-free)

* Available from 9:30 to 17:30 every day except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays and the New Year Holidays (from December 29 until January 3)

The following phone numbers are also available: 03-3263-1902, 1913
System Management Team, Policy Planning, Information and Systems Division,
Administration Department, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

(3) For inquiries concerning the use of the Cross-ministerial Research and Development management system (e-Rad):

e-Rad help desk: 0120-066-877 (toll-free)

* Available from 9:00 to 18:00 except on Saturdays, Sundays, National Holidays and the New Year Holidays (from December 29 until January 3)

* The following phone numbers are also available: 03-3455-8920

(4) For matters related to the “Self-Assessment Checklist on the Improvement of the System and Other Matters”, based on the “Guidelines on the Management and Audit of Public Research Funds at Research Institutions (Implementation Standards)”:

Office of Research Funding Administration, Promotion Policy Division, Research Promotion Bureau, the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT)

Phone: 03-6734-4014

(5) For matters related to “the Life Science Database”:

National Bioscience Database Center, Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST)

Phone: 03-5214-5491

(6) For matters related to the “Inter-University Bio-Backup Project”

Inter-University Research Institute Corporation National Institutes of Natural Sciences, IBBP Center, Executive Office

Tel.0564-59-5930, 5931

**2. The application guidelines can be viewed on the JSPS website.
Application forms can be downloaded from the following website.**

JSPS’s website on Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research

<http://www.jsps.go.jp/j-grantsinaid/index.html> [Japanese]

<http://www.jsps.go.jp/english/e-grants/index.html> [English]