

Comparative Table of Before and After Following Changes Concerning the Internal Screening for the Autumn Call, USTEP AY2024-25

Changed Points	NEW	Old	Referring to
It states clearly that applicants must check, before they apply, whether or not they can satisfy all the requirements set by the partner university that they wish to attend. Also, it clarifies that they cannot change their choices of partner universities to apply for after submitting their application.	It is the applicant's responsibility to do their own research regarding whether or not they are able to carry out their desired study plan at the partner universities they wish to attend, or that the courses they wish to take are not restricted, or that they satisfy the entry and language requirements. They must do this for all three choices of universities that they wish to attend.	Not stated clearly	See item (1) under "2. Eligibility/ Requirements"
	PLEASE BE AWARE that once the deadline for the internal screening is closed, you cannot make any changes, such as changing the partner university that you wish to apply for, and that we will not take any actions to help you out whatever circumstances you will be in.	Not stated clearly	See item (1) under "2. Eligibility/ Requirements"
Change in the timing to submit language proficiency certificates (A language proficiency certificate must be submitted to the International Education Promotion Group before the nomination is sent to the partner university, not at the time of applying for the internal screening)	After passing the internal screening process, you must submit a language proficiency certificate proving that you satisfy the language requirements set by the partner university that you wish to attend before the nomination is sent out by the International Education Promotion Group. Therefore, it is your responsibility to check the language requirements set by the partner university you wish to attend thoroughly, in order to be certain that you will be eligible in terms of language requirements. If you fail to prove that you can satisfy the language requirements by the due date, you will not be nominated by UTokyo GlobE.	You need to submit a language proficiency certificate set by the partner university when applying for the internal screening.	See item (9) under "2. Eligibility/ Requirements" See item "(2) Points to be noted" under "8. Application Procedure."
It is optional to submit a language proficiency certificate when applying for the internal screening.	Applicants may submit the language proficiency certificate at the time they apply for the internal screening, if they wish.	Applicants must submit a language proficiency certificate when applying for the internal screening.	See item "(4) Application documents" under "8. Application Procedure."
It is not necessary to submit an English version of UTokyo's academic transcript.	Relevant sentences deleted.	An English version of academic transcript must be submitted.	Relevant sentences are deleted from the item "(4) Application documents" under "8. Application Procedure." Applicants must check themselves whether or not they meet the requirements set by the partner university.
Change in the timing of checking the intention to receive scholarships (Submission of the "Confirmation of Intention to Receive Scholarship" is not required when applying for the internal screening.)	Applicants can apply for the USTEP scholarship awarded through Go GlobE based on their intention to receive scholarship after they pass the internal screening, not at the time they apply for the internal screening.	When applying for the internal screening, applicants can apply for USTEP scholarship awarded through Go GlobE (amount TBD/ non-refundable)	See "6. Scholarships" Relevant sentences are deleted from item "(4) Application documents" under "8. Application Procedure."
Added a statement that there is no guarantee that an additional recruitment will be conducted in the same manner each year	Additional recruitment may not be conducted in the same manner each year as it depends on how many students applied and how many positions are left.	Not stated clearly	See item (2) under "9. Internal Screening."