

FAQs

1. Application

Q: Am I eligible to apply for an accommodation at Mejirodai Village regardless of my past period of stay at the other UTokyo Lodges?

A : Yes, you are eligible to apply for an accommodation at Mejirodai Village regardless of your past period of stay at the other UTokyo Lodges. Those who have concluded their maximum period of stay at the other UTokyo Lodges are always welcome to apply to move into Mejirodai Village.

Q: Are newly-arrived international students given priority at the time of selection just like the other UTokyo Lodges?

A : Basically, there is no selection process as for Mejirodai Village.

If the number of applications is to exceed the number of vacancies at the time of application, the successful applicants will be selected by lot.

Q: Can a Japanese researcher belonging to a overseas university or research institute who is to engage in research and / or education activities at UTokyo apply for an accommodation at Mejirodai Village as a “foreign researcher”?

A : Yes, Japanese researchers who arrive in Japan to engage in research and / or education activities at UTokyo while they belong to an overseas university or research institute can also apply for an accommodation at Mejirodai Village as “foreign researchers”, just like the other UTokyo Lodges.

2. Facilities

Q : Are there any family rooms available at Mejirodai Village?

A : No, there are only single rooms and couple rooms available at Mejirodai Village. You are able to accompany one child under 6 years old if you are to apply for a couple room at Mejirodai Village, just like the other UTokyo Lodges.

Q : Are there any guest rooms available at Mejirodai Village for the stay for my family members or relatives at the time of their visit to Japan?

A : No, there are no such guest rooms provided at Mejirodai Village. It is forbidden to let other people stay overnight at Mejirodai Village.

3. Operational Rules

Q : How do I pay the monthly accommodation fee for my room at Mejirodai Village?

A : As for the Mejirodai International Village, the monthly accommodation fees, etc. are to be prepaid by the specified due date on a monthly basis. You will receive your bill and the details of payment from Mejirodai Village's management contractor at the time you receive your "Notification of Admission" to Mejirodai Village. Please note that you will be asked to make the payment of your first bill after you have moved into Mejirodai.

Q : What happens when I am to take a leave of absence from the university?

A : Basically, you will be asked to move out from Mejirodai Village at the time you take a leave from the university.

Q : What happens if I am to go study abroad during my stay at Mejirodai Village?

A : If you are to go study abroad for a long time, you may be asked to move out from Mejirodai Village. Please consult the Housing Office in advance for such cases, since matters will be decided on a case-by-case basis.

Q : What happens if I am to repeat another year at university?

A : You may be asked to move out from Mejirodai Village depending on the reason you are to repeat your year at the university. Please consult the Housing Office in advance for such cases, since matters will be decided on a case-by-case basis.

Q : Are there any considerations to LGBTs at Mejirodai Village?

A : Basically, we will make considerations after being consulted by the applicant. In general, applicants will be advised to apply for Independent Type Rooms in such cases.

Q : Can I make use of public expenses for my payment of the accommodation fees for my room at Mejirodai Village?

A : Yes, it is possible to make use of public expenses for your payment of the accommodation fees for your room at Mejirodai Village.

Q : Will I not lose my right for accommodation at Mejirodai Village though I might leave for a while to go back to my home country?

A : Basically, if you are to pay the designated amount of fees to cover up the period of your absence from Mejirodai Village, you will not be asked to move out from your room.