

## Statement of Reasons for Application (in English)

Name	English			
	漢字 <small>if applicable</small>			
		(family)	(given)	(middle)

### OVERALL INSTRUCTIONS

Write **at least 100 words** for each question. Avoid general statements. We are interested in what you have actually done, not what students in general should do.

### ANSWER BOTH QUESTIONS 1 & 2

#### 1. Academic Interest

Describe one topic you have recently become interested in. Explain how you became interested, what you have done to learn more about it, and one question about this topic that you still cannot answer.

#### 2. Future Plans

Imagine that you graduate from our university. Describe a specific situation in your future where you will use something you learned here. What will you do, and what knowledge or skill from your studies will you use?

### ANSWER TWO (2) OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

#### 3. Learning in English

Tell us about a time when you had to learn something difficult in English. What made it difficult, and what specific strategies did you use to understand it?

#### 4. Strengths / Personal Qualities

Describe one situation where you solved a problem or helped a group succeed. What exactly did you do, and what was the result?

#### 5. Intellectual Independence

Describe a time when you changed your opinion about something important. What caused the change?

#### 6. Engagement with Difference (For International Context)

Describe an experience where you interacted with someone from a different background or culture. What did you learn from that experience?