Any applicant who meets any or all of the following conditions is <u>ineligible</u>. If identified after the start of the scholarship period, the applicant will be required to withdraw from the scholarship:

- 1) Those who are military personnel or military civilian employees at the time of their arrival in Japan;
- 2 Those who cannot arrive in Japan during the period designated by MEXT or the accepting university;
- (3) An applicant who is a previous recipient of a Japanese government scholarship;
- 4 Those who are currently also applying to another program (Research Students, College of Technology Students, Specialized Training College Students programs) under the Japanese Government (MEXT) scholarship system.
- (5) Those who are already enrolled in a Japanese university with a residence status of "Student," or who are enrolled, or plan to enroll, in a Japanese university as a privately-financed international student from the time of application to the MEXT scholarship program in the applicant's country until the commencement of the period of the MEXT scholarship. However, this stipulation does not apply to those who, even though they are currently studying as a privately-financed international student in Japan, verifiably complete their studies within the end of the fiscal year and return to their home country;
- 6 Applicants who are expected to graduate at the time of application and cannot satisfy the qualifications and the conditions related to academic background by the deadline given;
- 7 Those who are planning to receive scholarships from an organization other than MEXT (including a government organization of the applicant's country) on top of the scholarships provided by MEXT after the arrival in Japan;
- (8) Holders of dual nationality at the time of application who cannot verify that they will give up Japanese nationality by the time of the arrival in Japan;
- (9) Those who change their residence status to that of other than "Student" after their arrival in Japan.