

Criteria Etc. for Commendation in the University Regulation
on the Commendation of Students

(Determined at the Health and Welfare Guidance Committee meeting
held on December 16, 2008)

1. Criteria for commendation

(1) Students of the Undergraduate School

Two or three students in each grade with the highest ranking GPA (grade point average) for all courses they have completed, among the students who have earned, or are expected to have earned the standard number of academic credits.

When students under consideration for commendation have the same GPA, a judgment shall be made, taking into account the total number of academic credits etc.,.

Among senior students to be commended, the student ranked first shall be granted the President's Award, and the students ranked second and third shall be granted the Award of Excellence.

(2) Students who have completed the Master's Program of the Graduate School

One student of the Master's Program, with the best results from comprehensive evaluation among the students whose papers have been accepted for publication in academic journals and those who are expected to present their papers in Japan or overseas, shall be commended through presentation of the President's Award, and the student receiving the second-best results shall be granted the Award of Excellence.

2. Deliberation on the commendation

Deliberation regarding item 1, (2) above shall be made referring to the opinions made by the University President and the Dean of the Graduate School.

3. Commendation period

(1) Students in their freshman year through junior year of the Undergraduate School shall be commended immediately after the decisions for commendation are made.

(2) Seniors of the Undergraduate School and students who have completed the Master's Program at the Graduate School shall be commended on the day of the Degree Conferment Ceremony.

4. Public announcement

Public announcement regarding commendations shall be conducted through articles on the University Gazette, the University Web page, and materials to be distributed at the Degree Conferment Ceremony as well as posting of the information on the electronic bulletin board on campus.