School Nominations Direct Admission Scheme (SNDAS) Programme and Admission Requirements of Designated Programmes in the 2025/26 Academic Year

I. Programme information

(a)	University	The Chinese University of Hong Kong
(b)	Programme	Japanese Studies
(c)	JUPAS programme code	JS4068
(d)	Programme duration	4 years

II. Programme admission requirements

	Admission requirements		
(a)	(a) Top 10% in class ranking in Secondary 5 and Secondary 6 (1st term)		
(b)	Outstanding academic result in English	Mandatory	
(c)	Outstanding academic result in Chinese		
(d)	Predicted grade of Level 5 or above in English Language of HKDSE Examination		
(e)	Predicted grade of Level 3 or above in Chinese Language of HKDSE Examination	1	
(f)	Received awards / prizes in international / regional competitions in the academic or	Preferred	
	non-academic fields		
(g)	g) Received scholarships due to outstanding academic performance		
(h)	Nominees should possess good communication and analytical skills.		
(i)	Achieved outstanding results in tertiary-level courses / summer courses in the field		
	of Japanese language at post-secondary institutions	Optional	
(j)	Engagement in community services		

III. Application requirements

	Application requirements			
(a)	JUPAS application			
(i)	Band A choice in nominee's JUPAS application			
(ii)	Submission of Other Experiences and Achievements in Competition / Activities (OEA)	Mandatory		
(iii)	Submission of Student Learning Profile (SLP)			
(b) Other application materials				
(i)	Nominees may demonstrate in a personal statement in no more than 300 words			
	why they are interested in the programme.			
(ii)	Recommendation letter			
(iii)	School reports showing the nominees' academic performance and class ranking	Mandatory		
	in Secondary 5 and Secondary 6 (1st term)			
(iv)	v) School's assessment on the nominees' predicted grades in the 2025 HKDSE			
	examination			

IV. Assessment of application

Assessment			
	(a)	Nominees should demonstrate outstanding performance in the interview.	Mandatory

V. Enquiry and nomination submission channel

(a) Enquiries from schools / students on the programme can be addressed to:

Name: Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, CUHK

Telephone: 3943 8947 / 3943 0324

Email: sndas@cuhk.edu.hk

(b) Nominations from school principals should be submitted via:

Online system (URL link: https://admission.cuhk.edu.hk/jupas/sndas.html)