

Fuji Seal Foundation 2026 Application Guideline in Thailand and Vietnam

1. Purpose

Fuji Seal Foundation was established to contribute to the development of the economy and industry by promoting the functional and display roles of product packaging, while nurturing human resources and encouraging and supporting research and development.

2. Overview

- The scholarships are grant-type scholarships. Applicants are not obliged to repay the scholarships.
- Applicants are completely free to determine their own post-graduation plans or future careers.

3. Eligibility

1. Applicants who have an interest in packaging.
2. Applicants who pursue studies in applied chemistry (especially plastic product), mechanical engineering, electrical or electronic engineering, polymer science, packaging or design related field.
3. Junior (3rd year) undergraduates as of September 2026 in Thailand and Vietnam
4. Applicants need to have recommendation from university.
5. Applicants who are able to write essays in either English or in Japanese.
6. Applicants shall give priority to attend the events of the Foundation.
7. Highly motivated, academically talented, and serious applicants.
8. Applicants who have high motivation to take on new challenges and have global understanding and high potential to contribute to international friendship.

4. Number of students to be accepted

8 students in United States of America and Europe

5. Scholarship Amount and Payment

Amount of Scholarship

30,000 yen per month.

We will convert Japanese currency into foreign currency with the exchange rate of the transfer date, and the amount of money fluctuates depending on the status of the exchange rate.

Duration of Scholarships

2 years; 3rd and 4th year of undergraduate school

Renewal of scholarship will be determined by annual eligibility screening.

Scholarship Payment

Unless otherwise agreed, scholarship money will be transferred directly to the student's bank account: by the end of July, November, and February.

6. Reasons for Suspension and Termination of Scholarship

The scholarship will be suspended or terminated, if any of the following conditions applies to the scholarship recipient:

1. Withdrawal from school
2. Leave of absence or a long absence from school
3. Failure to advance or possibility of postponed graduation
4. Difficulty in continuing to study due to illness or other health problems
5. Poor academic performance or inappropriate behaviors
6. Occurrence of a reason for not needing the scholarship
7. Failure to fulfill obligations designated by the Foundation
8. Occurrence of any other reason for the recipient as inappropriate

7. Application Procedure

1. Documents to be submitted

- I. Application Form (Use the form designated by the Foundation)
- II. Letter of Recommendation by university
- III. Student registration certificate
- IV. Transcript of Academic Records
- V. Essay designed by applicants

Essay Theme

Please choose one theme from below and write an essay on 1 or 2 pages of A4 paper.

Manner of writing and / or format is free, uniqueness of idea and expression method will also be evaluated.

Theme 1: Improvement idea for already existing package

Theme 2: Idea for innovative / future package

In your report, please reflect your background (major, hobby, interests, etc.) and also consider market trend such as increase of E commerce, SDGs, environmental issues, etc. and how it is related to functionality and / or fundamental role of packaging.

2. **How to submit**

Create a PDF containing your application documents and email to the address below;

fsfoundation@fujiseal.or.jp

3. **Application Deadline**

Application documents need to be received by March 29th, 2026.

4. **Others**

- Personal information provided by applicants for the purpose of applying for our scholarship will not be used for any other purposes than for the scholarship selection process.
- Applicants must submit all required documents listed above in PDF format as a single file. Incomplete documents will result in disqualification.

8. **Selection and Result**

1. The recipients will be decided by the chairperson based on nominations from the Selection Committee. Applicants will be notified of the result.
2. The selection and decision-making process shall not be disclosed.
3. Notification of selection results is scheduled for early June 2026.

9. **Required activities of recipients**

1. Recipients must submit activities reports, essays or designed works (one or two pages on A4 paper) 4 times a year to the Foundation without delay.
2. Recipients must attend workshop held by the Foundation. The Foundation provides transportation expenses.

10. **Contact information**

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