

Showa University of Music (昭和音楽大学)

Evaluation summary

This university has demonstrated satisfactory compliance with the standards of the Japan Institution for Higher Education Evaluation.

Standards	Evaluation result
Standard 1. Mission and Objectives, etc.	Satisfied
Standard 2. Students	Satisfied
Standard 3. Educational Curriculum	Satisfied
Standard 4. Faculty and Staff	Satisfied
Standard 5. Management, Administration and Finance	Satisfied
Standard 6. Internal Quality Assurance	Satisfied

Good practices

- Since the 2020 academic year, the university has been taking careful measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19, such as implementing online selection of entrants in addition to the usual face-to-face selection of entrants and setting up a working group to carry out simulations ahead of entrant selection under the guidance of the health care center with jurisdiction. These initiatives are worthy of high evaluation.
- In addition to a 100 yen breakfast menu created from the perspective of food education as a tie-up between the university and graduate organization, the university also provides a 200 yen dinner menu as a means of financial support for students amid the COVID-19 pandemic. Students are highly satisfied with these initiatives, which are worthy of evaluation as a unique means of student support that is in sync with the times.
- The library has introduced a points system and developed various services that ease borrowing conditions for students who use library facilities frequently while also promoting library use and improvement in usage manners. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.

Recommendations for improvement

None.