

## The 23rd World Students GO OZA Championship Championship Details

- [Name]** The 23rd World Students GO OZA Championship
- [Organizers]** Nikkei Inc.  
<https://www.nikkei.co.jp/nikkeinfo/>
- PANDANET INC.  
<https://www.pandanet.co.jp/>
- The All-Japan Students GO Association  
<https://zennihongakusei15renmei.com/>
- [Supported by]** The Nihon Ki-in  
International GO Federation
- [Date]** February 10 – 13, 2025
- [Venue]** The Nihon Ki-in  
Address: Nihon Ki-in Bld. 1F, 7-2 Gobancho Chiyoda-ku Tokyo, Japan  
<https://www.nihonkiin.or.jp/>
- [Hotel]** ARCADIA ICHIGAYA SHIGAKU KAIKAN  
Address: 4-2-25, Kudankita, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan  
TEL: +81-(0)3-3261-9921  
<https://www.arcadia-jp.org/>
- [Hotel Access]** 2-minute walk from Ichigaya Station on JR Sobu Line.  
2-minute walk from A1 or A-4 exit of subway Ichigaya station on Tokyo metro Yurakutyo Line, Tokyo metro Namboku Line, and Toei Shinjuku Line.
- [Schedule]** Events are scheduled as follows.

Date	Time	Event
Feb. 10, 2025	-3:00 pm	Check in at the Hotel
	7:00 pm	Reception party
Feb. 11	9:30 am	1st Round
	0:30 pm	Lunch break
	1:30 pm	2nd Round
Feb. 12	9:30 am	3rd Round
	0:30 pm	Lunch break
	1:30 pm	4th Round
	5:00 pm	Award Ceremony
Feb. 13	-10:00 am	Check out

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- [Eligibility]**
1. Must be an amateur player; those who have ever qualified as a professional player are not eligible, even if they are retired.
  2. Must be a university student under 30 years of age excluding graduate students and must submit student ID card.
  3. Be able to participate face-to-face in championship held in Japan.
  4. Be able to communicate in English or Japanese via e-mail.

- [Regulations]**
1. Japanese GO rule is applied.
  2. 4-round Swiss system is applied.
  3. The 1st to 3rd players are awarded.
  4. All games are played on even with black giving 6.5-point komi.
  5. The time control is 60 minutes followed by 30 seconds byoyomi for 3 times.
  6. First round matchups are made so that players from the same country/region do not play each other.
  7. Use of smart phones, smart watches, wireless earphones and any other communication devices during the match is prohibited.

**[Player's slot]**

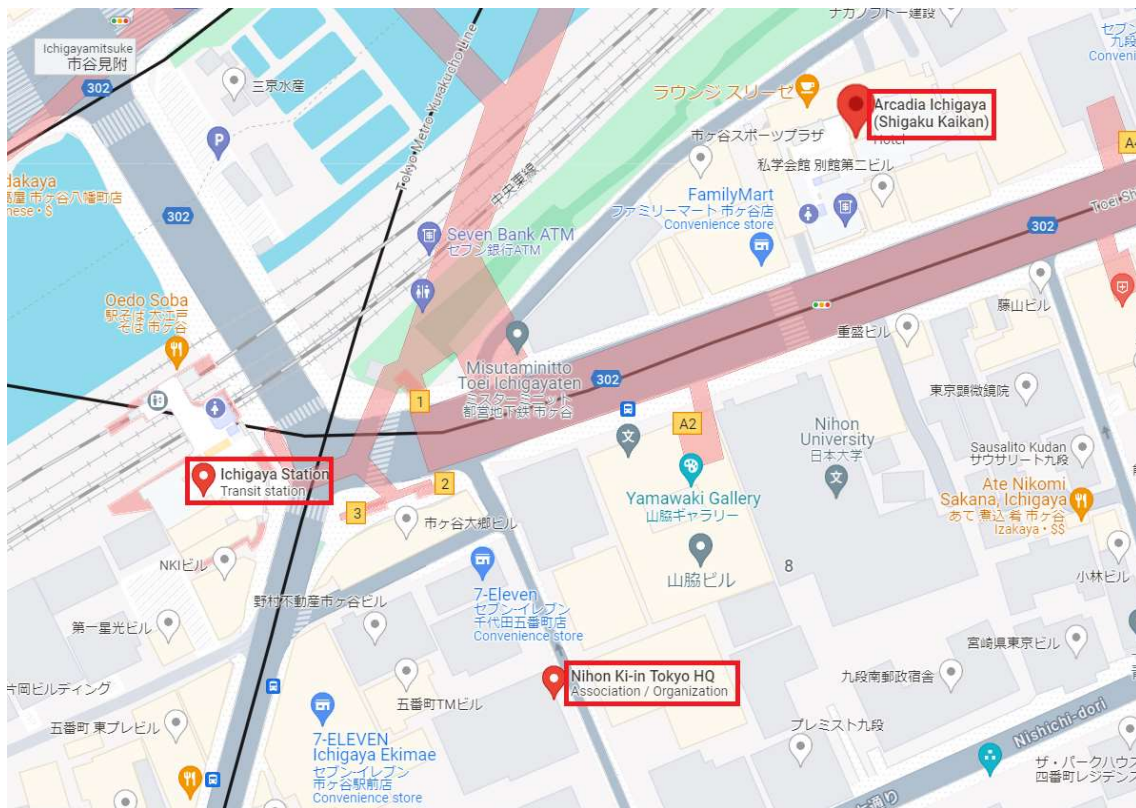
Country/Region	Slot	Male	Female
Japan	2	1	1
China	2	1	1
Chinese Taipei	2	1	1
Korea	2	1	1
Asia	3	-	-
Europe	3	2	1
North America	1	-	-
Oceania	1	-	-

“Asia” players to be selected from Thailand, Singapore, and Malaysia.

Players to be registered in the country or region where their university located.

International students participate in the country or region where they study abroad.

[Map]



For more information, please click on the link below.

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/udL7i7Hx5jUCYYueA>

NOTES

**1. Transportation subsidy**

Subsidies will be provided for players' transportation expenses. The transportation cost for one way from player's home country to Ichigaya station will be provided in Japanese Yen in exchange for the receipt. The amount to be paid will be calculated based on the **Mizuho bank exchange rate on February 3, 2025**. No subsidies will be provided without a receipt or a certificate of the airfare.

**2. Accommodation**

We will cover the accommodation charges during the championship if you stay at ARCADIA ICHIGAYA; hotel designated by the organizers. The accommodation includes breakfast on February 11 to 13. If you wish to stay at other accommodations, you are responsible for your accommodation expenses. Accommodation expenses for accompanying persons are at your expense.

**3. Meals**

We will provide lunch on the 11th and 12th. Please let us know if you have any allergies or special diet. Dinner on the 11th and 12th will not be provided.

**4. Reception Party**

A reception party is scheduled for the evening of the 10th. We will contact you for details as soon as possible.

**5. Responsibility**

If you cause damage to the hotel rooms, facilities or to the venue, you will be responsible for the cost of repairs. We will not be responsible for any liability.

**6. Contact**

If you have any questions, please contact us at the following address. E-mail should be in English or in Japanese. Mail; [world.sgo.oza@gmail.com](mailto:world.sgo.oza@gmail.com).