University Fellowship Creation Project for Innovation in Science and Technology/Support for Pioneering Research Initiated by the Next Generation

Tohoku University has been selected by MEXT's "University Fellowship Creation Project for Innovation in Science and Technology," and the JST's "Support for Pioneering Research Initiated by the Next Generation" and provide support for doctoral students.

The project is aimed at excellent PhD students with a strong desire to pursue studies/research in interdisciplinary, international, or academic/industry collaborative areas. It provides financial aid sufficient for living expenses, diverse training programs to increase their research abilities, and research grants. It also seeks to improve their research environment by offering an international showcase for their activities. Furthermore, it will accelerate career building with an eye toward expanding their range of activity after graduation. It will promote quantitative expansion and radical restructuring of PhD curricula, leading to enhanced research capacity for the university overall.

Implementation year	Project Title	Maximum number of students to support
FY2021 - FY2026	Advanced Graduate School Doctoral Fellowship	360
FY2021 - FY2026	Advanced Graduate School Pioneering Research Support Project for PhD Students	511