

Long-Term Plan V RYUKOKU VISION 2020

Ryukoku University: Pursuing harmony with the world through a pioneering spirit and *Tomoiki* (symbiosis)

Long-Term Plan V (FY2010 - 2019) is a University-wide action plan dedicated to achieving self-sustained growth by adapting to changes in the environment in which the University operates.

Basic Policy

● Basic Policy on Education

In addition to cultivating abundant humanity and a spirit of *Tomoiki* (symbiosis) that is founded on a deep understanding of the meaning of Equality, Independence, Self-reflection, Gratitude, and Peace in accordance with our founding philosophy, we will train graduates to contribute to human society through broad scholastic achievement and a pioneering spirit.

● Basic Policy on Research

We will take advantage of our diversity and interdisciplinary character as a comprehensive university to undertake distinctive research based on our traditions and the needs of the local community, pursue world-class research in areas in which we enjoy a competitive advantage, improve international scholarship and foster the development of technology, and contribute to our local community.

● Basic Policy on Community Service

In addition to providing a variety of lifelong learning opportunities to adults and others in partnership with industry, government, NPOs, NGOs, and other organizations in a way that meets the needs of society, we will contribute to the formation of a sustainable society through research and social action.

