The Univ. COOP was funded by a group of students, which is based on the values of self-help, self-responsibility, democracy, equality, equity and solidarity. That is to say, COOP is operated by the members.

Univ. COOP provides many services to our members and distributes the store-earned profits to them. This is our successive activity and we will go on doing this.

Becoming a member enables you to enjoy Coop benefits.
You need to pay a ¥25,000 investment fee (short-term international students: ¥5,000), which will be fully refunded upon graduation or withdrawal from Tohoku university.

How to join/withdrawal membership: Please come to the nearest COOP shop!

Our Services

Tohoku University Coop will support your satisfying campus life in Sendai. On campus, we have stores, cafeterias, and bookstores that provide many goods and services for you.
Shops/Bookstores

- Food, Beverage, School Supplies, and other necessities for campus life
  1. Japanese Comic, Book and Magazine 10% discount (some items are excluded)
  2. CD, DVD, and Blue-ray 15% discount
  *Only members of Tohoku Univ. COOP can get a discount.
- Applying for the TOEIC (Test of English for International Communication) and other qualifications

Dining Services

- Healthy and tasty meals at low price for members.
  We are pleased to offer a variety of menu choices, dining times, and meal plans.

Kawauchi-no-Mori Dining

Bee ARENA Cafe

Kitchen Terrace Couleur

bush clover cafe

Vegetable Curry

=We also serve HALAL FOODS at Kitchen Terrace Couleur (Kawauchi Kita Campus) and Aobayama Central Dining (Aobayama Campus). This mark means the food is Halal.
Travel Services

In “Travel Coop”, you can receive various services.
=Domestic/International Packages
=Air/JR Tickets
=Rental Car Service
=Highway Bus Tickets
=Driving School
= International Student Identity Card

You can also use “Student Discount Card at JR, Japan”
You can apply for some tickets in English!
(There are English-speaking staff!)

Housing Services

=Apartement-hunting
=Car Parking

Kyosai(UNIV. Coop Student Mutual Insurance)

Insurance of wide coverage with only a little premium money
=Mutual Life Insurance
=Mutual Fire Insurance
=Personal Liability for Students

If you wish to enroll in Kyosai insurance, just visit our shop.

Facebook & Twitter

Please follow me! (Sorry, they are Japanese pages only)
• Twitter : 東北大生協広報室 @THUv_COOP_KOHO
• Facebook : search: tohoku.univcoop

What is O3

O3 is a COOP association for international students.
Its aim is to support international students.
Of course you know, the member is almost international students.
If you are interested in this association, please join the excursion.

【O3 Autumn Excursion】
Date/Time : 8th October / 13:00-16:00
Meeting place : Entrance of Kawauchi Hagi Hall
*Please bring your Tohoku University student identification card
What forms of payment can I use for purchases?
-You may pay with cash, HagiCo Card or TUO Card (VISA).

What is a HagiCo Card?

-Coop members can get a prepaid membership card, which is called “HagiCo Card”. When you use HagiCo card for purchases, you will get 1 point by ¥100! When you earn 100 points, ¥100 will be deposited automatically. Purchasing with HagiCo card is faster, more convenient and no more fumbling with cash!

(*Members are not allowed in any way to transfer their privilege or to make purchases on their HagiCo card in the interest of others. The misuse of a coop number and card will mean the cancellation of their membership.)

【How to add funds? 】
-ask at COOP shop register
-use a deposit machine

What is a TUO Card?

-This is a kind of Credit card (VISA). This is derived from Sumitomo Mitsui Card Co.Ltd. VISA. TUO is the only type of credit card accepted in COOP shops. (First of all, join Tohoku Univ. COOP. Only members can apply for Tuo card!)

But you can use this card not only in Coop shop, but also in daily life. Furthermore, as other Credit Cards, you can use it all over the world. Caution: The Tuo card is not available to the students who will stay in Japan for less than 6 months.

In detail, please check the TUO Card guide or join the orientation held at Kawauchi campus. (The date of orientation will be announced soon. Please check the date at the Kawauchi shop.)

How to get TUO Card

Step 1
Join Tohoku Univ. COOP
You need ¥25,000 for investment found (short-term international students : ¥5,000).
If you are a student of FGL, JYPE, COLABS, DEEP or DEEP-Bridge program, you have already finished the Coop membership application procedure. Please report that to the Coop shop staff to avoid double application.

Step 2
Get your COOP membership card (HagiCo Card)
You can get your membership card at the shop, 2 weeks after the application.

Step 3
Apply for TUO Card
The Tuo card is not available to the students who will stay in Japan for less than 6 months.

Step 4
Get your TUO Card
If you passed the examination, TUO Card will be delivered to your home around 1 month after the application.