Saitama University

SUMMER PROGRAM 2019

Japan
June 11 - July 8, 2019

Let’s Try “日本研究”
Japanese Studies
Japanese Studies Summer Program at Saitama University

This 4-week intensive Japanese Studies Program provides international undergraduate students who have an interest in Japanese culture, a good opportunity to study various aspects of Japan -- traditional, modern and contemporary. You can choose from weekday courses which may be of interest to you, as well as the chance to go on weekend excursions in and around the Saitama/Tokyo area.

All classes will be conducted in English, and an introductory Japanese language class will also be available for those who wish to start leaning this interesting and unique language.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

June 11 (Tue) – July 8 (Mon), 2019 (4-week program)
◆ Each course is 1 credit / 12 hours or 2 credits / 24 hours.
◆ All students are required to take a minimum of 2 courses from the following list.

Courses
① History of Traditional Japan through Film (2 credits)
② Contemporary Visual Art and Design in Asia and Japan (2 credits)
③ Japanese Material Culture (2 credits)
④ Global Agenda and International Development in the Japanese Perspective (1 credit)
⑤ Economic Policies in Japan (1 credit)
⑥ Japanese Language class for absolute Beginners (the first half of A1 of CEFR) or Beginners (A1 of CEFR) (1 credit)
◆ Field/culture trips and a homestay program will be arranged on weekends.

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS
◆ Minimum English test scores required:
  TOEFL PBT 550; TOEFL iBT 79; IELTS 6.0 (Non-native speakers of English only)
FEE

- Registration and tuition fees:

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<td>Registration*</td>
<td>JPY38,000</td>
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<td>Tuition*</td>
<td>4 credits JPY59,200 ~ 10 credits JPY148,000</td>
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* Applicants enrolled in any of our exchange partner institutions will be exempted.

- At student's own expense

  1. Insurance: Please obtain full insurance coverage for yourself.
  2. Domestic travel expenses:
     - Transportation between the airport and SU (one-way about JPY 3,000 to 4,000)
     - Commuting cost between SU and your accommodation

ACCOMMODATION

- Arrangement fee JPY19,440+ Homestay fee JPY3,780 / night
  * If you pay via international bank transfer, JPY2,500 will also be charged.
    e.g.) 30nights (Jun. 9 - Jul. 8): JPY132,840
  - Around 60-minute commute by public transportation to JR Kita-Urawa station or JR Minami-Yono station (the nearest station from SU)
  - Includes 2 meals (breakfast, dinner)

You can also make your own arrangements for hotel, hostel or some accommodations.

HOW TO APPLY

Application Deadline: February 22, 2019

Number of students to be admitted: 30

Please submit the following documents to your International Office.

- [S-1] Application Form in a MS-Word format along with one color photo which will be suitable for a student ID card.
- (Applicants for the scholarship) [S-2] JASSO Scholarship Application Form
- An official transcript from the applicant's home institution
- (Non-native speakers of English) An official English test score
- A passport copy

* You may need a short term visitor visa to enter Japan, depending on your nationality. Please check the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan.
  http://www.mofa.go.jp/j_info/visit/visa/index.html

ABOUT SAITAMA UNIVERSITY

- Established in 1949
- National university with 9,000 students with low teacher-student ratio
- About 160 partner universities/institutions from around 50 countries
- Located in Saitama City, easy access to Tokyo Metropolitan Area
We are looking forward to seeing you at Saitama!

Access

Access To Saitama University

From Narita Airport

Narita Airport | Nippori | Kita-Urawa | Saitama Univ
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Keisei Line | 45min (skyliner) | 20min. | 10min.
Narita Airport | Omiya | Saitama Univ
Bus | 100min. | Taxi | 25min.

From Haneda Airport

Haneda Airport | Hamamatsucho | Kita-Urawa | Saitama Univ
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Tokyo Monorail | 23min. | 40min. | 15min.
Haneda Airport | Omiya | Saitama Univ
Bus | 80min. | Taxi | 25min.

From Tokyo

Tokyo | Kita-Urawa | Saitama Univ
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JR Line | 40min. | 15min.

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