



TOKYO METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY

Japanese Summer Program

June 09–26, 2020

This summer, experience Japan!



Tokyo Metropolitan University (TMU) offers a 3-week Japanese program this summer. It aims at providing a comprehensive introduction to students about the Japanese language and culture.

Students will develop their language skills, experience traditional and current cultural Japanese customs and better their understanding of Japanese society through field studies and Japanese home visit experience.

This program provides international students an opportunity to gain essential workplace skills through practical career workshops.

Program Contents

The 3-week program consists of the hands-on experiences such as field trip, career workshop and home visit, as well as lectures, Japanese language learning and Japan studies. Students will be evaluated based on their class participation through a verbal presentation and quizzes. A certificate will be issued upon completion of the program.

■ Japanese Language (40.5H)

Three levels of Japanese language classes are set for students who have just begun learning Japanese or want to accelerate their learning process.

■ Field Trip (6H)

A variety of issues concerning traditional and contemporary Tokyo and Japan will be studied outside the classroom. Kabuki show in Ginza and kimono experience in Asakusa are planned.

■ Home Visit (6H) + Japan Studies 1 (1.5H)

Spending time with a Japanese family having lunch or tea. After learning about Japanese customs in lectures, students visit a Japanese home and experience real life in Japan.

■ Career Workshops (3H)+ Japan Studies 2,3 (3H)

The Career workshops are designed to deliver information to international students for their understanding of the recruitment process. Lectures will be held in mainly English and partly in Japanese, and students will need to discuss or give presentations in English.

Program Length

Tuesday, June 9 – Friday, June 26, 2020

Program Fee

120,000 JPY (incl. accommodation)

Tuition fee is waived according to the exchange agreement. The program fee does not include meals, airfare, travel insurance, transportation from university to accommodation, and daily expenses. Program fees should be paid by overseas remittance no later than March 25, 2020. Details regarding the payment method will be sent after the application is accepted.

Eligible Participants

All undergraduate or graduate students from our partner universities who can attend the program full-time are eligible.

Number of Participants

36 students

Accommodation

Hashimoto Park Hotel
3-4-4 Hashimoto, Sagamihara,
Kanagawa 252-0143 Japan
TEL: +81-42-774-6112
FAX: +81-42-774-6119
<http://www.hashimoto-park.co.jp/>

Students will be provided a private single room with a semi-double bed, private shower, and toilet. The room is furnished with an air-conditioner, chair, desk, closet, refrigerator, TV, and Wi-Fi connection. Keio Hashimoto, the closest station, is 5 minutes away from Minami-Osawa.



How to Apply

Students must apply and send the following documents to the program coordinator at the home university by **March 6, 2020**.

In addition, all the application documents should be uploaded to the online system. TMU Japanese Summer Program Application Form:

https://reg18.smp.ne.jp/regist/is?SMPFORM=n_cqa-rhqbo-5e8984fe0c72495e83f88a97385335ba



Selections will be done by the TMU committees. Applicants will be informed about the application results, payment procedures, and pre-arrival information via e-mail by March 18. Selected applicants' payment must be done by **March 25**.



Application Documents

- 1 Questionnaire for the Japanese Course
- 2 Home Visit Application Form
- 3 Visa support request form
- 4 Official transcript
- 5 J-CAT results *except for Survival Japanese
- 6 A copy of the photo page of the passport
- 7 ID Photo (PDF data up to 500 kb)

*Assessing your level

Take the online J-CAT test for free at <http://www.j-cat.org/>

Score around 50 → Level: Basic

Score around 100 → Level: Pre-intermediate

**Passport expiration date must be no earlier than 6 months after the end of the program.

Cancellation Policy

Please be advised that once the application has been accepted and the fees have been paid, the following cancellation policy will apply:

A maximum of 50% of the program fee will be forfeited in case of cancellation on or before May 8.

A maximum of 100% of the program fee will be forfeited in case of cancellation on or after May 9.

Notes

- ✧ Admission could be competitive. Due to the limited capacity of the program, only selected applications will be accepted.
- ✧ The program schedule may be subject to change.
- ✧ Participants are required to purchase their own travel insurance to cover medical costs incurred during their stay and must submit a copy of the insurance certificate before arrival.
- ✧ The university is not responsible for delays, cancellations, or any issues related to the program due to force majeure or reasons beyond its control such as but not limited to inclement weather, natural disasters, labor disputes, national emergencies, or other circumstances beyond the control of the university.
- ✧ Students must earn a minimum score to be awarded a certificate of completion. Students who do not meet all the requirements will receive a certificate of participation, which is not equivalent to a certificate of completion.

Schedule (tentative)

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	8-Jun	9-Jun	10-Jun	11-Jun	12-Jun	13-Jun
AM	Arrival Check In	Orientation Opening Ceremony	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	Home Visit
PM		Japanese		Calligraphy	Japan Studies 1 (Japanese customs & manners)	
	15-Jun	16-Jun	17-Jun	18-Jun	19-Jun	20-Jun
AM	No Classes	Japanese	Field Trip Ginza and Asakusa (Kabuki & Kimono)	Japanese	Japanese	No Classes
PM		Japan Studies 2 (Japanese culture and job market)			Career Workshop I Career Workshop II	
	22-Jun	23-Jun	24-Jun	25-Jun	26-Jun	27-Jun
AM	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	Japanese	Check Out Departure
PM	Japan Studies 3 (Career design in Japan)			Japanese	Presentation	

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