



**Program Overview - High School Summer Program 2018**  
**August 1, 2018 – August 9, 2018**

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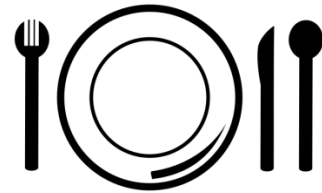
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**ABOUT THE PROGRAM**

TUJ presents its annual High School Summer Program. The 8-night program gathers students from around the world to experience the language and culture of Japan. Students take Japanese language courses and one of four electives at TUJ, followed by adventures in Tokyo, an overnight excursion to Nikko, and a trip to DisneySea.

**BUYING YOUR PLANE TICKET**

Students are responsible for arranging and purchasing their own flights to and from Narita International Airport.

	<b>Date</b>	<b>Airport</b>	<b>Time frame</b>
<b>ARRIVAL DAY</b>	Wednesday, August 1 (Japan Standard Time)	NRT	Arrive anytime between 10:00-16:00
<b>DEPARTURE DAY</b>	Thursday, August 9 (Japan Standard Time)*	NRT	*See below for details



Flights must be to and from Narita International Airport (**not Haneda Airport**).

- NRT = Narita International Airport
- We ask that students refrain from arriving after 16:00 on August 1.
- Students arriving in Narita on August 1 will be greeted by TUJ staff outside of customs at the airport and escorted to the hotel accommodation.
- No assistance will be provided to students arriving at or departing from airports other than Narita.
- Students arriving prior to August 1 must arrange their own transportation to the hotel accommodation at 17:00 on August 1.

\*On August 9, all students will be escorted to Narita International Airport by 12:00 noon at the latest. (Note: Students with later departure times will be shown where to check in and asked to self-check in, as TUJ staff will not be present after 13:00). We recommend you choose a flight departing early that day.

Families who are staying in Tokyo after the program ends will be asked to meet students at Narita International Airport. Further details to be shared later.

All other program-related transportation will be arranged by TUJ.

## BUYING TRAVEL INSURANCE



Travel insurance is mandatory. By agreeing to participate in the program, students agree to independently purchase comprehensive travel insurance to cover emergency medical expenses, trip cancellation coverage and personal effects etc.

### Travel insurance companies used by past participants include:

- [www.worldnomads.com](http://www.worldnomads.com)
- Allianz

### FAQ about Travel Insurance

1	What does travel insurance cover?	<i>Emergency medical expenses <b>AND</b> trip cancellation coverage along with personal effects etc.</i>
2	I have health insurance in my home country. Isn't this enough?	<i>As health insurance in your home country may not apply to incidentals while traveling, we require all participants to independently purchase travel insurance.</i>
3	Where can I buy travel insurance for my child?	<i>Travel insurance can be purchased through travel agents, airline services or online direct with insurance providers.</i>

## VISA INFORMATION

Most participants will not need a visa to enter Japan for this program. However, any participants from countries which do not have visa waiver agreements with Japan are responsible for securing their own visa through a travel agent, or the nearest Consulate, before attending this program. TUJ cannot sponsor any visas for this program, but can provide a letter to the Japanese Consulate in your area to support your tourist visa application. It's important to understand the application process before making arrangements. Give yourself ample time to prepare.

MOFA VISA EXEMPTION LIST: [http://www.mofa.go.jp/j\\_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html](http://www.mofa.go.jp/j_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html)

## MEDICATION

TUJ staff is unable to issue students any form of medication—including pain relievers. It is the responsibility of students to bring their own medications. Students must consult with the nearest Japan embassy or consulate regarding restrictions on bringing certain types of medication to Japan.

## ACCOMMODATION

All accommodation throughout the program is arranged by TUJ. All rooms are shared with one or more roommates. Bathrooms and lounge are shared. Sheets and towels are provided but students should bring their own toiletries. TUJ staff will be on-hand 24 hours a day.

Students who plan to be in Japan prior to, or after the program, must arrange their own accommodation for such periods.

## MEALS

Meals will be provided from the evening of Wednesday, August 1, through the morning of Thursday, August 9. Breakfast will be provided at all program accommodation. Lunch and dinner will include meals at TUJ and restaurant outings.

Temple cannot guarantee an allergy-free environment, all food is provided by third-parties and Temple does not assume any liability for adverse reactions to foods consumed, or items one may come in contact with while on the program. Students with allergies should consider this carefully and ensure they have the appropriate medication, insurance, and money reserves should they need medical treatment while on the program.

The program will include a mix of western and Japanese food. Japanese traditional food often contains, but is not limited to: rice, fish, meat, and soy sauce.

## MONEY







Cash is the most widely used form of payment in Japan. We recommend exchanging money to Japanese yen **before** coming to Japan. While ATMs at certain convenience stores and post offices accept overseas ATM cards, there have been past cases of students' cards not working. We recommend bringing cash. Credit cards are not as widely used in Japan, though department stores and many mainstream shops and restaurants will accept them. Be sure to notify your bank in advance that you are visiting Japan if bringing credit cards.

Depending on their spending habits, students should prepare approximately 30,000-50,000 yen in spending money for the duration of the program.

## TELEPHONES AND COMPUTERS

Pay telephones may be available at the program accommodation and near campus. Rental cell phones are not necessary and are typically expensive. Note: Providers do not allow minors to rent a cell phone or pocket-wifi without prior reservation made by a parent/ guardian. Students may bring their own laptops/smartphones to access Wi-Fi at program accommodation and on campus.

**SAMPLE SCHEDULE**

		Wednesday 8/1	Thursday 8/2	Friday 8/3	Saturday 8/4	Sunday 8/5
		Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
		Arrival Day! (TUJ staff to meet students at Narita Airport)	Japanese class Lunch Elective class Activity	Japanese class Lunch Elective class Activity	 Overnight trip to Nikko	
		Dinner and Welcome Party	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner
Monday 8/6	Tuesday 8/7	Wednesday 8/8	Thursday 8/9			
Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast			
Japanese class Lunch Elective class Activity	Japanese class Lunch Presentation Activity	 DisneySea	Departure from Narita Airport 			
Dinner	Dinner	Dinner				

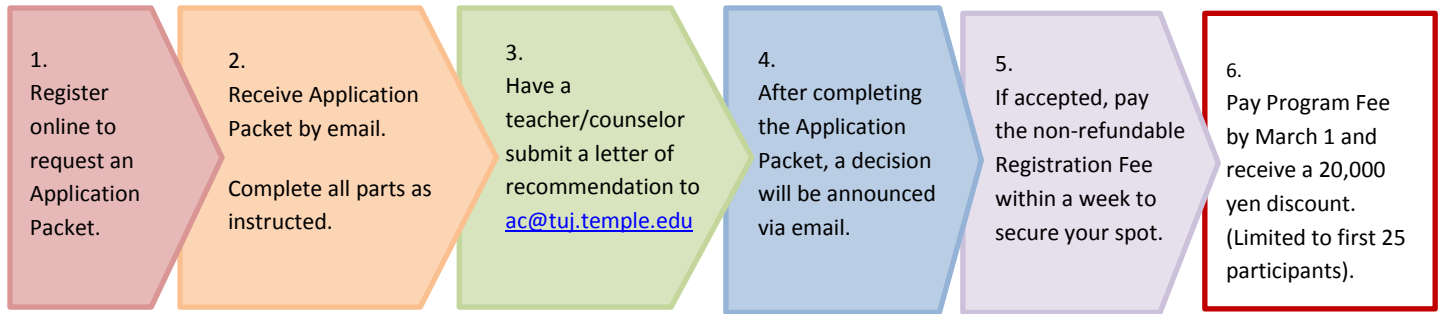
*\*Schedule is tentative and subject to change*

**CLASS INSTRUCTION**

**Japanese class** -- Accepted students will be required to complete a Japanese survey to give instructors an idea of their current language level. No previous Japanese instruction is required to participate.

**Elective class** – TUJ will endeavor to place students in their preferred electives, however availability and content is subject to change. Priority is given to students who complete all payments. If a course reaches full capacity, every effort will be made to place students in their next preferred elective.

**HOW TO APPLY**



TUJ will process your application once the Application Packet (application form, letter of recommendation and waiver/release forms) is received. Accepted students must pay a non-refundable registration fee of 10,000 yen, payable online, within one week. Your registration is confirmed upon receipt of payment. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis and students are encouraged to apply early to secure their spot.

**Payment deadlines**

<b>Registration fee - 10,000 yen</b> non-refundable	<b>Due within a week of acceptance.</b> <i>Please do not pay before receiving your acceptance notice.</i>
<b>Early bird discount- 189,000 yen</b> non-refundable	<b>March 1, 2018*</b> <i>*Limited to first 25 participants. Any delinquent payments will be charged the full program fee.</i>
<b>Final Program Fee – 209,000 yen</b> <i>refundable until June 1, 2018</i>	<b>June 1, 2018**</b>  <i>**Final payment deadline is May 1, 2018, for students requiring a visa to enter Japan. If your country of citizenship/passport is <b>not</b> listed here, you will need a Japan visa: <a href="http://www.mofa.go.jp/j_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html">http://www.mofa.go.jp/j_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html</a></i>

Please contact us with any questions. We look forward to seeing you in Tokyo!

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