

Yokohama National University Summer Program 2017

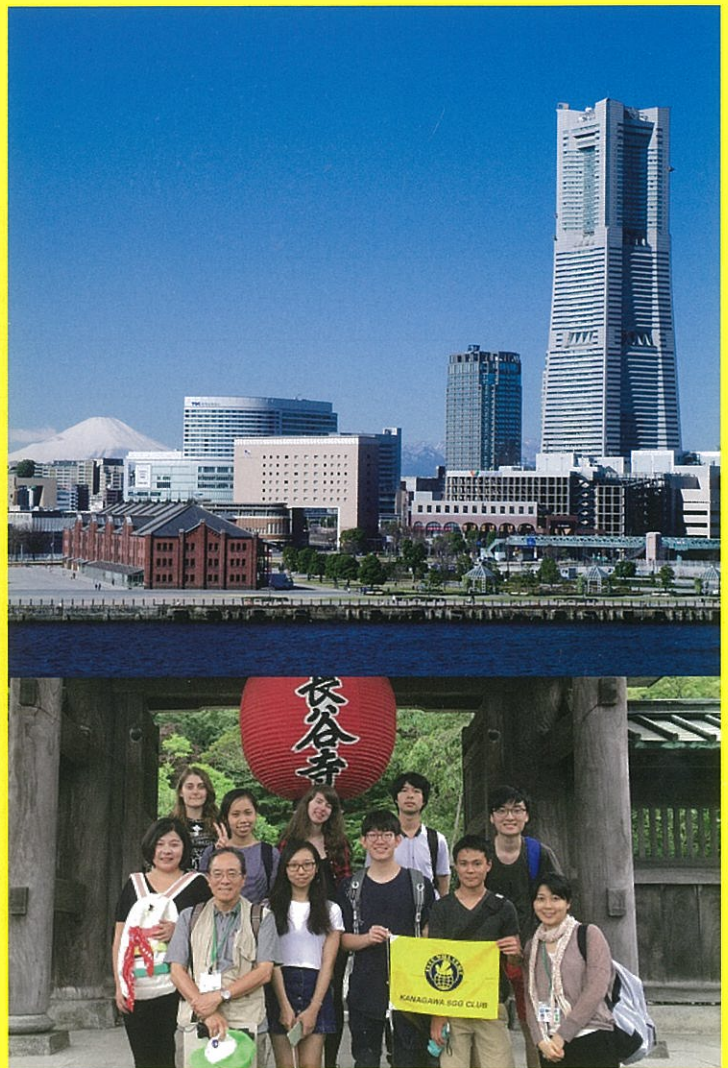
July 3rd >> 14th, 2017
in Yokohama, Japan

Your Future Starts Here!

This is a two-week intensive program in Japanese language and culture, designed for highly motivated students mainly from our partner universities around the world. Academic counseling is available for participating students who wish to take graduate courses at Yokohama National University (YNU) in the future. If you are interested, don't miss this chance to be a part of our Summer Program.

Yokohama National University (YNU)

Yokohama, the home of YNU, is widely known as an important base for international business in Japan, having a long history of international trade since 1859, when Yokohama became one of the first trading ports in Japan. Reflecting the history and international atmosphere of the city, YNU has been committed to playing a global role and promoting international exchange activities. It has also been widely recognized as one of the leading universities in Japan for its high quality of education.



Why Choose the Summer Program at YNU?

- 1 Opportunities to improve your communication skills in Japanese with our experienced instructors
- 2 Attending lectures on Japanese culture and society to gain a deeper understanding of Japanese life and culture (e.g., calligraphy, Japanese animation, summer kimono wearing, modern business)
- 3 • **Visiting labs on campus** to learn about ongoing projects in fields such as engineering, social sciences, and information sciences
• **Academic counseling** for participating students who wish to pursue graduate studies at YNU in the future
- 4 **In-class and out-of-class support, including pre-arrival assistance, by Japanese students**
- 5 Weekend homestay experience with a Japanese family
- 6 Excursion tours to study Japan's past and present, including a **visit to world-leading Japanese companies** in the Yokohama area

1 Duration

July 3rd – July 14th, 2017

*Participating students will be requested to arrive in Japan by July 2nd.

2 Course Schedule

Program Timetable (Tentative)

	July 3rd (Mon)	July 4th (Tue)	July 5th (Wed)	July 6th (Thu)	July 7th (Fri)	July 8th (Sat)	July 9th (Sun)
8:50-10:20	Orientation	All day Excursion	Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class	Homestay (With Japanese Family)	
10:30-12:00	Japanese Language Class		Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class		
12:00-13:00	Lunch Break		Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break		
13:00-14:30	Japanese Language Class		Japanese Culture Class	Japanese Culture Class	Japanese Culture Class		

	July 10th (Mon)	July 11th (Tue)	July 12th (Wed)	July 13th (Thu)	July 14th (Fri)
8:50-10:20	Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class	All day Excursion	Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class
10:30-12:00	Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class		Japanese Language Class	Japanese Language Class
12:00-13:00	Lunch Break	Lunch Break		Lunch Break	Lunch Break
13:00-14:30	Japanese Culture Class	Japanese Culture Class		Japanese Culture Class	Wrap-up

*Translation will be provided for the Culture Classes and All day Excursions, if necessary.

3 Eligibility

This program is designed mainly for students from our partner universities, but we are open to considering applicants from other schools.

The applicants must have the equivalent level of Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) N4 or higher. They will be divided into two classes according to their proficiency levels.

*Selection will take place after screening the application documents.

4 Program Fee

JPY 70,000 *Includes tuition, course material, excursion fees

5 Cancellation Policy

If the enrolled student cancels before the 1st day of the course, YNU will make a partial refund of JPY 50,000. JPY 20,000 (Admission/Enrollment fee and bank charges) will not be refunded.

6 Payment

The procedure for payment will be informed from YNU to the students individually after their enrollment has been confirmed.

7 Accommodation

- Accommodation during the course duration, including +1 day before and after (Jul.2–Jul.15) will be arranged by YNU.
- Accommodation fee is to be borne by each student.
- The students will stay at a budget hotel on weekdays, and stay with a Japanese host family on weekends.
- Estimated accommodation fee will be JPY 4,000-8,000 per night.
*Accommodation fees may vary according to hotel room vacancy.

8 Minimum Number of Participants

Ten *This course may be cancelled if the number of applicants is less than the number stated here.

9 Visas

All participants are responsible for obtaining on their own expense a "short term stay visa" valid for the duration of the program prior to entering Japan.

In case any supporting documents are required from YNU for visa application, please contact us.

*Citizens of countries and regions with visa exemption agreement with Japan are not required to obtain a visa. For more information, please refer to the following website.

http://www.mofa.go.jp/j_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html

10 Documents required for application / Application period

Other details for application will be publicized around February – March 2017 on our website updated as necessary.



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