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# IHATOV SUMMER PROGRAM

18 - 31 AUGUST 2026

2026

## Why our program?

- Study Japanese and experience authentic culture in Iwate
- Connect and build lasting friendships with Japanese students
- Experience the beautiful nature of rural Japan
- Hands-on cultural activities and weekend field trips
- Small classes with two levels from beginner to advanced
- Safe, supportive campus housing
- Great value with many costs included



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## INTRODUCTION



The Iwate University IHATOV Summer Program (IUIS) is a new 2-week initiative for students from overseas universities to learn Japanese language and culture. It offers an introductory and an intermediate Japanese course, along with cultural activities and field trips in Iwate, while participants stay at the campus's International House.

## PROGRAM DATE



**18 - 31 AUG 2026**

13 nights  
& 14 days

## VENUE & ACCOMMODATION

- Iwate University and facilities in Morioka, Iwate Prefecture
- Iwate University International House (shared rooms, or single rooms in some cases)

## PROGRAM TYPES

Japanese classes (morning), Japanese culture classes (afternoon), and field trips (weekends)

## TARGET PARTICIPANTS

Students enrolled in overseas universities (including partner universities)



Japanese level

- ① Beginner / No experience in Japanese
- ② Intermediate & Advanced speaking Japanese / N3 or higher

## PARTICIPATION FEE

For students enrolled in one of our partner universities	<b>180,000 JPY</b>
For students not enrolled in one of our partner universities	<b>220,000 JPY</b>

※The participation fee above is partially subsidized by Iwate University for students enrolled in one of our partner universities.

※ If the total number of participants exceeds 16, the participation fee will be reduced by approximately 20,000 JPY.

※Participation fee includes ① Registration fee ② Japanese classes tuition ③ Accommodation fee (for 13 nights during the program) ④ Course materials fee ⑤ cultural experience expenses (afternoon) and ⑥ Field trip fee.

Does not include ① Travel expenses to Morioka (round-trip air tickets and domestic transportation expenses) ② Food expenses, and ③ Overseas travel insurance.



## NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Minimum 10 students | Maximum 20 students

### Course A : Max. 10

Introductory Japanese / No Japanese experience

### Course B : Max. 10

Intermediate & Advanced speaking Japanese / N3 or above

※ If the number of applicants exceeds capacity, priority will be given to students from partner universities.

## INSURANCE



Participants **must** purchase overseas travel insurance before coming to Japan.

## PAYMENT METHOD



### Pay by credit card

Iwate University will contact you about payment after your participation is confirmed.

## CREDITS

No credits will be granted. A Certificate of completion will be issued to the participants.

## Program Video

Check out last year's program, available now on our YouTube channel!

<https://youtu.be/lhQKJlc106A>



## APPLICATION

### For Students:

1. Apply via Microsoft Forms using the following QR code:

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/Q4qd5Du8xz>



※The application form is available in Japanese, Chinese, Korean, and English.

2. Please send an email to [iuic@iwate-u.ac.jp](mailto:iuic@iwate-u.ac.jp) with the following documents attached:

- a. A Certificate of Enrollment (PDF)
- b. The ID page of your passport (PDF)

## APPLICATION DEADLINE



**19 June 2025**

FRIDAY (JAPAN TIME)



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