



Hokkaido Japanese Language School

SUMMER COURSE 2024

Monday
15th July ▶ Friday
23rd August
44,800JPY / 1 week

— Features of the Summer Course

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3 HOURS OF JAPANESE LESSONS PER DAY

At Hokkaido JaLS you can receive attentive support from teaching staff with classes of no more than 8 students. This summer, learn Japanese and experience real-life Japanese conversation!

2 CULTURE LESSONS PER WEEK

We offer a full program of authentic cultural experiences, including Japanese paper making, Japanese drumming, flower arranging, Karate, and Kimono wearing.

* Price is included in the course fee.

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3 ACTIVITIES PER WEEK

After studying Japanese in the mornings, we use the afternoons to join with local Japanese people for social activities.

Hokkaido offers many unique seasonal and fun activities, and in addition there are also chances to practice your Japanese through regular language exchange.

* Activities price is not included in the course fee.

— Summer Course Schedule

The cultural lessons, marked in orange, are included in the course fee.
The social activities, marked in yellow, are not included in the course fee and will require a separate entrance fee.

All activities are offered at the best rates possible for JaLS students and include high quality and good value for money.

We advise early registration because of high demand for some activities.

Week 1

	July 15	July 16	July 17	July 18	July 19	July 20	July 21
09:30 -10:20	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Furano Lavender Tour	—
10:30 -11:20							
11:30 -12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	JALS Welcome Lunch	Japanese Sweets Making	Round One Sports Centre	Kimono Experience	—		

Week 2

	July 22	July 23	July 24	July 25	July 26	July 27	July 28
09:30 -10:20	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Otaru Sightseeing & Ushio Festival	—
10:30 -11:20							
11:30 -12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Japanese Conversation Class	Karate Experience	Sapporo Beer Museum & Lamb BBQ	Yukata Experience		
					Fireworks Festival		

Week 3

	July 29	July 30	July 31	August 1	August 2	August 3	August 4
09:30 -10:20	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Asahiyama Zoo & Sunflower Field	—
10:30 -11:20							
11:30 -12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Japanese Paper Making	Rock Climbing	Japanese Dying Experience	Susukino Festival		

— Summer Course Schedule

Week 4

	August 5	August 6	August 7	August 8	August 9	August 10	August 11
09:30 -10:20	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Rusutsu Resort Amusement Park	—
10:30 -11:20							
11:30 -12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Kendo Experience	Sapporo Beer Garden	Chopstick Crafting	International Exchange Party		

Week 5

							Hokkai Bon-Odori		
	August 12	August 13	August 14	August 15	August 16	August 17	August 18		
09:30 -10:20	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Shakotan Blue Sea Tour	—		
10:30 -11:20									
11:30 -12:20									
Lunch									
After School Activity	Japanese Drum Experience	Hokkai Bon-Odori	Japanese Flower Arrangement	—	Japanese Conversation Class				

Week 6

	August 19	August 20	August 21	August 22	August 23	August 24	August 25
09:30 -10:20	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Japanese Lessons	Relax at Hoheikyo Onsen (Hot Spring)	—
10:30 -11:20							
11:30 -12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Baseball Wtaching	Stamp Family Crest On Japanese Fan	Soba Making	Summer Course Graduation Party		

— Japanese Culture Lessons

Included in course fee

IMPORTANT

Please note that some culture lessons or activities are subject to change or cancellation due to unforeseen circumstances, weather or attendance. Where this happens, activities or cultural lessons will be replaced with an alternative activity.

Hokkaido JaLS Summer Course Culture Lessons will give you the opportunity to learn about many Japanese traditions, such as karate experience, kimono wearing, flower arranging, Japanese drumming, and much more.



Tuesday 16th July JAPANESE SWEET MAKING!

Japanese sweets are amazing; they both look and taste incredible! How beautiful are yours?



Thursday 18th July KIMONO EXPERIENCE!

Try traditional Japanese clothing for yourself. Take photos out and about around the town!



Wednesday 24th July KARATE EXPERIENCE!

Experience a lesson in the most famous Japanese martial arts. Have you ever tried karate before?

Friday 26th July
YUKATA EXPERIENCE!

Let's all go out wearing traditional Japanese summer outfits and have a great time together!



Tuesday 30th July
JAPANESE PAPER MAKING!

Let's make Washi (Japanese paper) from wood fibers using a traditional Japanese method!

Thursday 1st August
JAPANESE DYEING EXPERIENCE!

Let's try dyeing with the colors of plants in a traditional Japanese way!



Tuesday 6th August
KENDO EXPERIENCE!

Experience an authentic Japanese martial art lesson, and be introduced to the methods and thinking behind kendo!



Thursday 8th August
CHOPSTICK CRAFTING EXPERIENCE!

Make a memory that you can keep forever, with our own crafting workshop. Design your own to use!!

Tuesday 12th August
JAPANESE DRUM EXPERIENCE!

Test your rhythm and learn real Japanese traditional drumming (Wadaiko) techniques from a professional!



Thursday 14th August
JAPANESE FLOWER ARRANGING!

Experience the beautiful art of Japanese flower arranging, and get to know a deeper part of Japanese culture.

Wednesday 21st August
STAMP FAMILY CREST ON JAPANESE FAN

Design and stamp a traditional Japanese fan with your family crest! A great souvenir to take home!



Thursday 22nd August
SOBA MAKING!

Let's learn how to make one of the most delicious Japanese dishes from scratch! So good to eat after!

— Activities

Not included in the course fee

You can enjoy so many fun activities in Hokkaido this spring!

Eat delicious food, make Japanese friends and take part in many seasonal and fun activities with Hokkaido JaLS!

Although some of these activities have an additional participation cost, we have endeavored to get the most reasonable price possible for JaLS students to make this as affordable as possible.

We advise early registration to guarantee a place on popular activities!

Registration

Please register for activities at the school reception or with a member of office staff.

Some activities have a limited capacity so we advise early registration.

Prices are subject to change so please also check this when you sign up.



Monday 15th July

WELCOME LUNCH PARTY! <FREE>

Let's eat lunch together and get to know new students from different classes!

Wednesday 17th July

ROUND ONE SPORTS CENTRE! <2,490 JPY>

Let's take part in a variety of sports and games in a huge local games centre!



Saturday 20th July

FURANO RAVENDER TOUR! <5,200 JPY>

Let's go see the best time to view lavender, when people from all around the world come to see it!



**Tuesday 23rd July, Friday 16th August
JAPANESE CONVERSATION CLASS <FREE>**

Let's speak Japanese and make friends with local Japanese volunteers!

Thursday 25th July

SAPPORO BEER MUSEUM & LAMB BBQ <4,580 JPY>

Let's learn about the history of Sapporo Beer and enjoy a Hokkaido specialty, Jingsukan (lamb meat) BBQ!



Friday 26th July

TOYOHIRA-RIVER FIREWORKS FESTIVAL <Actual Cost>

Sapporo's biggest annual fireworks festival! Let's create summer memories together.



Saturday 27th July

OTARU SIGHTSEEING & USHIO FESTIVAL <Actual Cost>

Let's experience the traditional parade festival in the historic town of Otaru and take a stroll through its historic streets, feeling the foreign influences!

Wednesday 31st July ROCK CLIMBING <3,000 JPY>

Let's take on the challenge of rock climbing, something enjoyable for beginners to veterans alike!

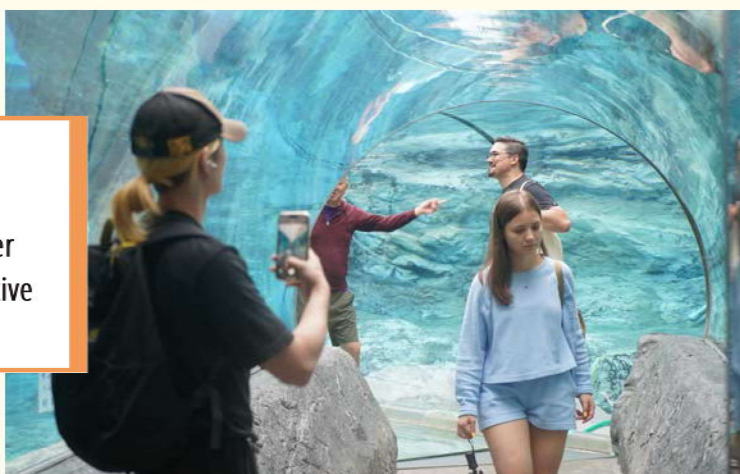


Friday 2nd August SUSUKINO FESTIVAL <Actual Cost>

Let's go see the town's festival held on the main road of the bustling downtown area turned into a stage!

Saturday 3rd August ASAHIYAMA ZOO & SUNFLOWER FIELD

Let's visit a sunflower field in the midst of summer and a zoo known for its globally popular "interactive exhibits" featuring animals!



Wednesday 7th August SAPPORO BEER GARDEN

Let's enjoy beer and food outdoors in the heart of Sapporo during the summer!

Friday 9th August

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PARTY! <1,500 JPY>

JaLS students and Japanese people who are learning English, let's have fun talking in each language!



Saturday 10th August

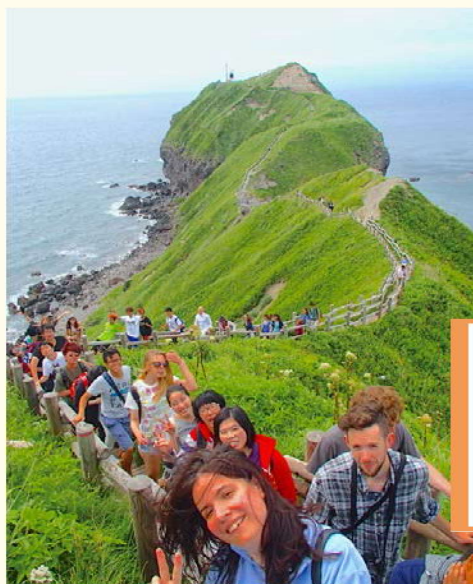
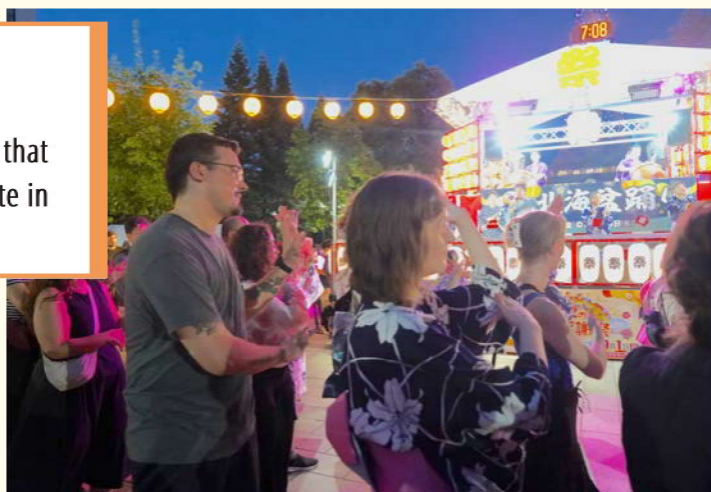
RUSUTSU RESORT AMUSEMENT PARK <6,800 JPY>

Let's have fun at Hokkaido's largest amusement park, riding roller coasters and taking a ropeway to the top of the mountain!

Tuesday 13th August

HOKKAI BON-ODORI <Actual Cost>

Let's take on the challenge of Bon dance, a dance that anyone from Hokkaido can join! Let's all participate in the dance circle together!



Saturday 17th August

SHAKOTAN BLUE SEA TOUR <5,200 JPY>

Let's go see the refreshing summer beauty of the crystal-clear blue sea, known as "Shakotan Blue"!



Tuesday 20th August
BASEBALL WATCHING AT
HOKKAIDO BASEBALL PARK! <3,000 JPY>

Let's watch a baseball game at the ballpark that was just opened in 2023!



Friday 23rd August
SUMMER COURSE GRADUATION PARTY! <3,000 JPY>

Enjoy a final night making memories with new friends from Hokkaido JaLS.



Saturday 24th August
RELAX AT HOHEIKYO ONSEN! (HOT SPRING)

Enjoy delicious Indian curry made by Indian people and an open-air bath with a splendid garden.