

COOL JAPAN Program 2017 winter

Touch and explore contemporary JAPAN



The programs provide an opportunity to explore contemporary Japan, by experiencing and learning about traditional as well as modern aspects of Japanese culture.

Participants not only take part in Chiba University lectures held by experts, but also join exciting activities, workshops and day trips.

Japanese Pop Culture ~ A view from the edge ~

This course invites you to examine Japan's transition from the world's leading manufacturer of consumer electronics into an innovative media exporter.

To better understand this shift, we will travel across Tokyo, visiting key sites of cultural production and consumption as we also examine works of contemporary Japanese cinema, literature, music, and otaku culture.





**Applications for this program are now open.
Please join us!!**



~ Schedule ~

*This program contents may be subject to change.

	12/17(Sun)	12/18(Mon)	12/19(Tue)	12/20(Wed)	12/21(Thu)	12/22(Fri)	12/23(Sat)
AM	Arrive at Airport 	Orientation Walk around Akihabara and find Otaku culture	Japanese contemporary literature : from Murakami to Manga	Japanese contemporary literature : from Murakami to Manga	Field trip to Chiba 	Exploring the evolution of Cool Japan and "Weird Japan"	Check-out at Hotel
Lunch	Free	at a restaurant	at Cafeteria	at Cafeteria	Move to Tokyo after lunch	at Cafeteria	Free
PM	Check-in at Hotel  	Visit Meiji Shrine Walk around Harajuku	Japanese cinema : from Anime to the avant-garde 	Japanese cinema : from Anime to the avant-garde 	Visit Nakano Broadway Dinner at a restaurant Visit Koenji and see Japanese music performance 	Cool Japan and "Weird Japan" Award Certificate End of the Program	Leave for Airport 

*Japanese Students from Chiba University will join some lectures and excursions during the program.

Blue : Lecture at Chiba University Campus

Red : Activity at off campus

Duration Monday, 18 Dec - Friday, 22 Dec, 2017

(You will be requested to check in at the hotel on 17 Dec, and check out the hotel on 23 Dec.)

Application Deadline By Tuesday, 10 Oct, 2017

Program Fee 130,000 JPY per person

(Includes tuition, admission, accommodation, school supplies, field studies and educational materials)

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Place Nishi-Chiba Campus, the nearest station is JR Nishi-Chiba Station

Access; <http://www.chiba-u.jp/e/about/location/index.html>

Accommodation Participants will stay in a budget hotel located in Chiba city

Application Procedure Please fill out and send us the application form by the deadline

(Carefully read the instructions on our web site before you apply)

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