

Intensive Japanese Language and Culture

Summer 2016: 9 Week Session (Classes Start June 6)

or: 4 Week Session (also starting June 6)

Up to 12 credit hours in Japanese Language and Culture



Stay in the beautiful city of Hikone!

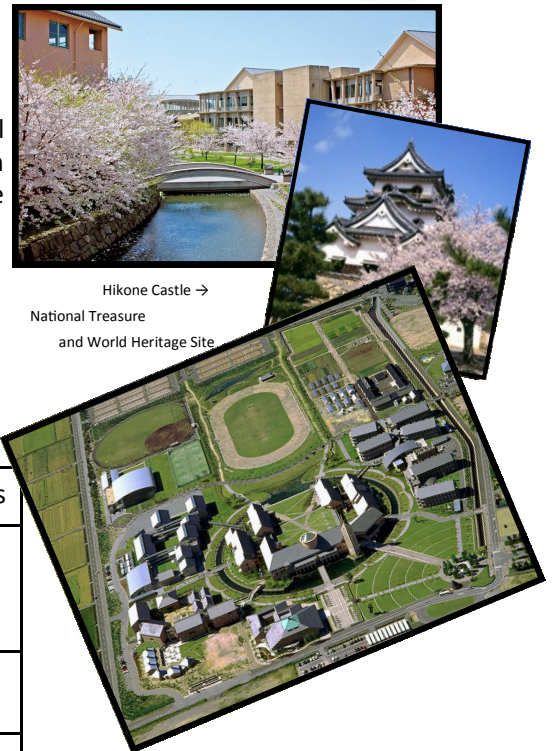
USP is located in one of the most historic and culturally rich areas of Japan, Hikone City. While the location of the university may seem somewhat remote in comparison to "big city" universities, Shiga Prefecture enjoys easy and quick and easy access to Nagoya, Kyoto, and Osaka.

Earn credits in Language and Culture!

180 contact hours of Japanese language Culture and History. There will be several excursions, cultural events, and daily opportunities to mix, mingle, and study with our regular Japanese students. Not only will you get optimal exposure to the language, but you will also have lots of time to explore Japan as well.

Excursions include: Castle Visit (Hikone) Ninja Village (Koka), Ancient Nara, Kyoto in Kimono, Shigaraki Traditional Pottery, Ancient Capitals (Otsu/Shigaraki).

Cultural Activities: **Flower Arrangement, Tea Ceremony, Calligraphy, Japanese Sweets, Fireworks Festival, Kimono Festival, Birdman Competition... and more**



Hikone Castle →
National Treasure
and World Heritage Site

USP's architecture is among the nation's top 100 unique buildings →

Weekly Study Schedule

9 weeks	Day	Time	Hours
Japanese Language + Guided Study Sessions	Tuesday + Thursday	9:00	95
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	Tuesday+ Thursday	2:50	
1. Medieval Japan 2. Medieval Japan and the World	Mondays	1:10 - 2:40 2:50 - 4:20	27
Culture Activity/Field Trip With USP Students	(Usually Fridays)	To be scheduled	30+

Program Costs:

9 Week Program: ¥ 350,000 (\$2,900)*

4 Week Program: ¥ 160,000 (\$1,328)*

Prices are for current and potential exchange partners

☆ Includes: Program/Activity fees and Lodging

Not included: Airfare, food, and personal expenses

* USD exchange rates as of 9/17/2015

Accommodations: Students will stay in furnished apartments room with a loft, kitchen, bedroom and bath.

☆ **Participants will also do a weekend homestay with a Japanese family.**

* Credits awarded depend on the articulation of the home institution

* Start dates for the 4 week program may be subject to change based on occupancy



← Flower Arrangement Class



↑ Weekend Homestay ↓ Nara



↑ Making Japanese Sweets (Omihachiman: Taneya-Club Harie)

← Tea Ceremony Class



Kyoto in Kimono → (Kiyomizu Temple)

Contact your Study Abroad office or Japanese Language Department on how to apply!

Apply by 12/31/2015

