

# Hirosaki University Winter Program 2021

## About this Program

- Online classes made available on-demand
- Available from Jan 13<sup>th</sup> to Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 2021
- Conducted on Microsoft Teams
- An exciting opportunity to experience study abroad at Hirosaki University online without worrying about time differences!

## Program fees

Application and tuition fees are waived. This program is only for full-time students at our partner universities.

## Number of participants

Around 10 students in total.

Participants will receive a notification regarding the results of their application through their home university.

## Credit recognition

Participants who successfully complete the program will earn 3 credits as follows;

Japanese Language: 1 credit  
Japanese Culture: 2 credits

Successful participants will also be issued a certificate.

## Application deadline

Application documents should be submitted via email (to [d-iec@hirosaki-u.ac.jp](mailto:d-iec@hirosaki-u.ac.jp)) by the application deadline. Applications must be submitted by coordinators of partner universities.

Application Deadline: **December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

## Program Contents

**\*Subject to change**

### ◆Japanese Language

By Associate Prof. Nobuko Oyama

3 levels: Introductory (A1)

Basic (A2)

Elementary (A2)

Course level will be determined by each participant's preference and interview with Ms. Oyama.

チャプターごとに、課題提出があります。  
You will be required to submit assignments per chapter.

Introductory (A1): 自己紹介、食べ物、部屋、等

Self-introduction, My favorite food, My room, etc.

Basic (A2): 天気、町、でかける、等

Weather, My town, Going out, etc.

Elementary (A2): 店で食べる、旅行、日本まつり、等

Eating out, Travel, Japan Festival, etc.

### ◆Japanese Culture

By Associate Prof. Junichiro Suwa

Archaeology: Korekawa Jomonkan and the Komakino Site

Culture and Tourism: Kuroishi Kokeshikan, Nuruyu Onsen Spa, the Tsugaru Ujoyaki Kiln, Aoni Onsen Spa, and the Garden of Josenji Temple

Contemporary Culture: Lecture on Transformation and Lecture on Consumption

### ◆Japanese Culture

By Associate Prof. Hannah Sawada

Archaeology: Sannai Maruyama Settlement Site, Takayashiki Date Settlement, Namioka Castle, and Horikoshi Castle Sites

History: Hirosaki Castle, Samurai Dwellings, and Zenringai Temple Area

Beliefs: Sai No Kawara Jizoson and Aomori Kyodokan

Art: Aomori Prefectural Art Gallery

Literature: Cultural Motifs

Final reflections on modernization and the recreation of cultural traditions



## Hirosaki University



- ◆ National University
- ◆ 5 Faculties, 8 Graduate Schools
- ◆ Establishment : 1949
- ◆ Undergraduate: About 6,000 students
- ◆ Graduate: About 900 students
- ◆ International: About 200 students
- ◆ Global Partnerships:  
52 universities/institutions



## Hirosaki City



- ◆ Castle town (Used to be ruled by the Tsugaru clan)
- ◆ Population : About 170,000
- ◆ Four distinct seasons: Spectacular cherry blossoms in spring, Energetic Neputa festival in summer, Gorgeous colored leaves and tasty fresh apples in fall, and Beautiful snow-covered city in winter

## Contact Information

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