



Study Abroad

... at *Komazawa University*
Setagaya, Tokyo, Japan

Application Deadlines:

First Semester (April to July) – September 1

Second Semester (September to January) – February 1

“If we expect students to navigate international waters, we need to give them an international education that meets the highest standards...” –U.S. Secretary of Education Rod Paige



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Cumulative GPA 3.0
- Good Standing (Academic, Personal and Financial)
- CSULA student at the time of participation
- Upperclassman standing at the time of participation
- Successful completion of one year of college level Japanese language at the time of placement

Students participate in order to...

- Broaden perspectives
- Explore new cultures
- Widen boundaries
- Explore new areas of study
- Learn from different professors
- Access new courses
- Break out of their comfort zones
- Experience growth
- Meet new people
- Live in a different area
- Investigate graduate schools
- Seek future employment
- Become more independent

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For more information about this program, please visit the IPS website or schedule an appointment with the Study Abroad Advisor:

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To continue to compete successfully in the global economy and to maintain our role as a world leader, the United States needs to ensure that its citizens develop a broad understanding of the world, proficiency in other languages, and knowledge of other cultures.” –William J. Clinton, Former President of the United States

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THE UNIVERSITY

Komazawa University is one of the oldest universities in Japan. Its history starts in 1592, when a seminary was established to be a center of learning for the young monks of the Soto sect, one of the two main Zen Buddhist traditions in Japan.

The university is located in Komazawa, Setagaya which is well known as a University and residential area and is about 20 minutes from the center of Tokyo, one of the biggest cities in the world. The university is also next to the Tokyo Olympic Memorial Park, so the campus is very quiet and peaceful, surrounded by trees and other plant life.

Students can work or read books between classes here so the campus environment is a very suitable place for university life.

For more information about the university, please visit their website at: www.komazawa-u.ac.jp/english

THE EXCHANGE

This is a Japanese language program. You may apply for a one term or one year exchange.

University courses are available with advance fluency of Japanese language.

Most of the classes are taught in Japanese. Some classes in Global Media Studies are taught in English. It is your responsibility to obtain the course descriptions and discuss them with your CSULA academic advisor prior to the start of your program.

Application Materials:

- Exchange Program Application
- Official Transcripts
- Copy of Financial Aid Award Letter
- 2 recommendations/references (one must be from a faculty member)
- Language Evaluation
- Course Parallel Form
- Budget/Resource Worksheet
- Program of Study Statement
- \$150 application fee payable to “NSE”

Cost of Program (per semester):

Tuition at CSULA:	\$1218.00
Room and Board:	\$1300.00
Books:	\$ 250.00
Insurance:	\$ 150.00
Airfare:	\$1400.00
Local Transportation:	\$ 250.00
Personal:	\$1250.00
TOTAL:	\$5818.00*

*All fees are subject to increase. The cost of the program is an estimate. Actual cost will vary from student to student.

