Tokyo Metropolitan University (TMU) offers a 3-week summer Japanese course in 2019. The program aims at providing a comprehensive introduction to Japanese language and culture. Students will develop their language skills, experience traditional Japanese culture such as classic tea ceremony, and increase their understanding of the Japanese society through field studies.

Program Contents
The 3-week program consists of Japanese language study, Japan Studies, and field trips. Students will be evaluated according to class participation, oral presentation and quizzes. A certificate will be issued upon completion of the program.

Japanese Language (3 Levels)
The Japanese language classes at three levels (Survival Japanese, Basic Japanese, and Pre-intermediate) are designed for those who have just started learning Japanese or want to accelerate their language study.

- **Survival Japanese** (total beginner)
  For those who have no previous knowledge of Japanese language.

- **Basic Japanese**
  For those who can understand and use familiar everyday expressions and very basic phrases. (JLPT N5; CEFR A1)

- **Pre-intermediate**
  For those who can communicate in simple and routine tasks requiring a simple and direct exchange of information. (JLPT N4 preparatory level; CEFR A2-B1)

How to check the level
Take the online J-CAT test which is free of charge. [http://www.j-cat.org/]
- score around 50 → Basic Japanese
- score around 100 → Pre-intermediate

Japan Studies + Field Trips
A variety of issues regarding traditional and contemporary Tokyo and Japan will be studied inside and outside of the classroom. Lectures will be held in English and students will need to discuss or give presentations in English.

Program Length
Tuesday, July 2, – Friday, July 19, 2019

Program Fee
120,000 JPY (incl. accommodation fee)

Tuition fee is waived according to the exchange agreement. Not included in the program fee are meals, airfare, traveler's insurance, transportation between the University and accommodation, and daily expenses. Program fees should be paid by overseas remittance no later than May 17. Details regarding the payment method will be sent after your application is accepted.

Eligible Participants
Undergraduate or graduate students from our partner universities, and those who can fully attend the program.

Number of Participants
48 students

Housing
Hashimoto Park Hotel
3-4-4 Hashimoto, Sagamihara, Kanagawa 252-0143
TEL +81-42-774-6112 FAX +81-42-774-6119
[http://www.hashimoto-park.co.jp/]

A nice private single room with semi-double bed, private shower and toilet. The room is furnished with an air-conditioner, chair, desk, closet, refrigerator, TV and Wi-Fi connection. Keio Hashimoto, the closest station, is 5 minutes away from Minami-Osawa.

You will experience Japan next summer!
How to Apply
Please apply and send the following documents to the program coordinator at your home university by [Date].

In addition, upload all the application documents to the Online System “TMU Japanese Summer Program Application Form 2019” https://reg18.smp.ne.jp/regist/is?SMPFORM=ncqa-rhqbo-5e8984f0ec74495e83f88a97385335ba

After the selection process by the TMU committees, applicants will be informed of the application result, the payment procedures and pre-arrival information via E-mail by May 8. The payment has to be completed by May 17.

Application Documents
1. Application Form for TMU Japanese Summer Program
2. Pre-course Questionnaire for TMU Japanese Summer Program 2019
3. Visa support request form
4. Official transcript
5. J-CAT result *except for Survival Japanese
6. A copy of the photo page of your passport
7. ID Photo (PDF data up to 500KB)

*Your passport’s expiration date must be no shorter than 6 months prior to the end of the program.

Cancellation Policy
Please be advised that once your application has been accepted and you have paid the fee, the following cancellation policy will apply:
Maximum 50% of the program fee will be forfeited in case of cancellation on and before June 1.
Maximum 100% of the program fee will be forfeited in case of cancellation on and after June 2.
The cancellation policy applies for any reasons. Any handling or service fees incurred for refunding the fee will be borne by the applicant. It will take two to three months to reimburse the program fee.

Notes
❖ Admission could be competitive and not all applicants are admitted due to the limited capacity of the program.
❖ The program schedule may be subject to change.
❖ Participants in the program are required to purchase traveler’s insurance to cover medical costs incurred during the period of the stay in Japan at their own expense. Please submit the copy of insurance certificate before arrival.
❖ The university is not responsible for delays, cancellations or any issues related to the program for reasons of force majeure or for reasons beyond its control such as but not limited to inclement weather, natural disasters, labor disputes, national emergencies, or other force majeure or circumstances beyond the university’s control.
❖ Students must earn a minimum score to receive a certificate of completion. Students who do not meet all the requirements will receive a certificate of participation, which is not equivalent to a certificate of completion.

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