



Hirosaki University

(Aomori Prefecture)



Trainees can attend Japanese language classes throughout the Program.

◇ University overview

○ Characteristics and history

·Hirosaki University is the only National University in Aomori Prefecture. It is now comprised of 5 faculties and 7 graduate schools.

·Established : 1949

Number of students : 6,790

Undergraduate : 5,898

Graduate : 892

International students : 207 (Total)

○ International exchange

• Number of international students

AY 2019: 207

AY 2018: 200

AY 2017: 156

• Number of Teacher Training Students

AY 2019: 3

AY 2018: 1

AY 2017: 0

◇ Outline and characteristics of the course for Teacher Training Students

○ Characteristics of the program

Foreign students will be assisted in their studies by advisors from a broad range of fields: the humanities, social sciences, natural sciences applied science, arts and crafts, physical education, pedagogy, and education for the handicapped.

○ Number of students to be accepted: 3 students

○ Outline of the course

• Japanese language education

Students are required to take Japanese classes for 6 months offered by Hirosaki University Department of International Education and Collaboration (called International Exchange Courses). Depending on the students' Japanese abilities and taking their special subjects into consideration, make-up classes are also offered 12-14 hours per week.

• Specialized training

Students take specialized training, which is mainly research project with their advisor, after Japanese language education for a year. Lectures in faculty department are available for trainees

• Practical training, participatory subjects such as field trips and regional exchanges

Students can take classes for Japanese cultures including hands-on learning offered by International Exchange Courses.

• Others

Japanese conversation study by Japanese tutors is available.

◇ Follow-up for graduates

Consultations for graduates about their career development.

◇ Accommodations

There are no specific accommodations for national scholarship students. The Department of International and Collaboration will help the students find apartments, it takes approximately ¥20,000 to ¥35,000 per month.

○ Information for daily life

There are hospitals, banks, post offices and supermarkets nearby Hirosaki university. Would not have big problem through the life and be able to focus on studying.

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