



Hirosaki University

(Aomori Prefecture)

Trainees can attend Japanese language classes throughout the program.

◇ University overview

① 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	: 7,153
Undergraduate students	: 5,962
Graduate Students	: 1,003
International students	: 188 (Total)

② International exchange

- Number of international students

AY 2023:	188
AY 2022:	159
AY 2021:	152

- Number of Teacher Training Students

AY 2023:	2
AY 2022:	2
AY 2021:	2

◇ Outline and characteristics of the course for Teacher Training Students

① 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.

② Number of students to be accepted: 3 students

③ Period of scholarship

October 2024 – March 2026

④ Requirement for program completion

1. The students must take 4 credits (60 hours) of research instruction.
2. The student must prepare and submit a report on the completion of training, etc. after consulting with his/her supervisor.

⑤ Outline of the course

- Japanese language education

Students would 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. They can attend Japanese language classes throughout the Program.

- 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

Based on the interests of students, they go on a field trip of classes and international exchange activities at schools (kindergartens, primary schools, junior high schools, and special needs schools) attached to Hirosaki University, and institutions and facilities related to school and social education. 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 currently no accommodations for government-sponsored international students (including teacher training students).

We will introduce you to apartments with rent ranging from 30,000 yen to 40,000 yen.

Initial expenses of approximately 100,000–150,000 yen will need to be paid at the Hirosaki University Co-op after your arrival in Japan. (Breakdown: rent, common service fee, cleaning fee, mutual aid subscription, subscription to a guarantee company, etc.)

○ 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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