



Hokkaido Japanese Language School

# SPRING COURSE 2020

Monday

Friday

**6th April ▶ 15th May**

**36,200JPY / 1week**

# — Features of the Spring Course

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## 3 HOURS OF JAPANESE LESSONS PER DAY

At Hokkaido JaLS you can receive attentive support from teaching staff with classes of no more than 8 students.

This spring, learn Japanese and experience real-life Japanese conversation!

## 2 CULTURAL LESSONS PER WEEK

We offer a full program of authentic cultural experiences, including Japanese tea ceremony, sushi making, flower arranging, calligraphy, and Japanese sweet making.

\* Price is included in the course fee.

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## 3 ACTIVITIES PER WEEK

After studying Japanese in the mornings, we use the afternoons to join with local Japanese people for social activities. Hokkaido offers many unique seasonal and fun activities, and in addition there are also chances to practice your Japanese through regular language exchange.

\* Activities price is not included in the course fee.

# — Spring Course Schedule

The culture lessons, marked in orange, are included in the course fee. The social activities, marked in yellow, are not included in the course fee and will require a separate entrance fee. All activities are offered at the best rates possible for JaLS students and include high quality and good value for money.

We advise early registration because of high demand for some activities.

## Week 1

	6/4/20	7/4/20	8/4/20	9/4/20	10/4/20	11/4/20	12/4/20
09:30-10:20	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Noboribetsu Onsen Tour! Let's experience the famous 'hell valley' (not scary!!)	—
10:30-11:20							
11:30-12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	JaLS Welcome Lunch Party!	Japanese Conversation Class! Make local friends.	Kimono Experience	Curling Match	Soba Making		

## Week 2

	13/4/20	14/4/20	15/4/20	16/4/20	17/4/20	18/4/20	19/4/20
09:30-10:20	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Hokkaido Historical Village and Nanporo Monument Tour - experience real Hokkaido!	—
10:30-11:20							
11:30-12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Hokkaido University Museum Tour	Sushi Making Experience	Mount Moiwa Night View - one of the most beautiful scenes!	Indigo Dyeing Experience		

## Week 3

	20/4/20	21/4/20	22/4/20	23/4/20	24/4/20	25/4/20	26/4/20
09:30-10:20	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Niseko Rafting! Now is the best season!	—
10:30-11:20							
11:30-12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Japanese Pop Culture Activity Maid Café and Anime Visit	Karate Experience	Japanese Fan Printing Experience	Hokkaido's famous BBQ Lamb! Let's go for dinner!		

# — Spring Course Schedule

## Week 4

	27/4/20	28/4/20	29/4/20	30/4/20	1/5/20	2/5/20	3/5/20
09:30-10:20	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Nikka Whiskey Factory and Otaru City Tour – a beautiful seaside town!	—
10:30-11:20							
11:30-12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	JaLS Welcome Lunch Party!	Tea Ceremony	Takoyaki Party!	Japanese Conversation Class! Make local friends!	Taiko Drum Experience		

## Week 5

	4/5/20	5/5/20	6/5/20	7/5/20	8/5/20	9/5/20	10/5/20
09:30-10:20	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Let's BBQ under the cherry blossom! Delicious food and great friends!	—
10:30-11:20							
11:30-12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Kitano Tamayura! We can go to the onsen!	Japanese Sweet Making	Flower Arranging Experience!	Animal Café Trip! Meet and touch rare animals!		

## Week 6

	11/5/20	12/5/20	13/5/20	14/5/20	15/5/20	16/5/20	17/5/20
09:30-10:20	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Japanese Lesson	Park Golf Tournament! Who will be the champion?	—
10:30-11:20							
11:30-12:20							
Lunch							
After School Activity	—	Round One Sports and Games Centre	Kendo Experience	Chopstick Crafting	Spring Course Graduation Party!		



# — Japanese Cultural Lessons Included in the course fee.

Hokkaido JaLS Spring Course Cultural Lessons, include tea ceremony, sushi making, flower arranging, sushi making and Japanese drumming!

**IMPORTANT**  
Please note that some cultural lessons or activities are subject to change or cancellation due to unforeseen circumstances, weather or attendance. Where this happens, activities or cultural lessons will be replaced with an alternative activity.

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## Wednesday 8th April KIMONO EXPERIENCE!

Try traditional Japanese clothing for yourself. Take photos out and about around the town!



## Friday 10th April SOBA MAKING!

Let's learn how to make one of the most delicious Japanese dishes from scratch! So good to eat after!



## Wednesday 15th April SUSHI MAKING EXPERIENCE!

Let's learn how to make sushi from a real-life sushi chef.... And then let's enjoy eating together!



## Friday 17th April JAPANESE INDIGO DYEING!

Use traditional Japanese coloring dye to create unique fabric! Make your own head scarf or handkerchief!



**Wednesday 22nd April  
KARATE EXPERIENCE!**

Experience a lesson in the most famous of the Japanese martial arts. Have you ever tried karate before?



**Thursday 23rd April  
JAPANESE FAN MAKING!**

Design and stamp a traditional Japanese fan with your family crest! A great souvenir to take home!

**Tuesday 28th April  
TEA CEREMONY EXPERIENCE!**

One of the most famous parts of Japanese Culture! Let's try to practice our own tea ceremony!



**Friday 1st May  
TAIKO DRUM EXPERIENCE!**

Test your rhythm and learn real Japanese traditional drumming techniques from a professional!







**Wednesday 6th May  
JAPANESE SWEET MAKING!**

Japanese sweets are amazing they both look and taste incredible! How beautiful are yours?



**Thursday 7th May  
JAPANESE FLOWER ARRANGING!**

Experience the beautiful art of Japanese flower arranging, and get to know a deeper part of Japanese culture.

**Wednesday 13th May  
KENDO EXPERIENCE!**

Experience an authentic Japanese martial art lesson, and be introduced to the methods and thinking behind kendo!



**Thursday 14th May  
CHOPSTICK CRAFTING EXPERIENCE!**

Make a memory that you can keep forever, with our own crafting workshop. Design your own to use!!

# — Activities

## Not included in the course fee

You can enjoy so many fun activities in Hokkaido this spring!

Eat delicious food, make Japanese friends and take part in many seasonal and fun activities with Hokkaido JaLS!

Although some of these activities have an additional participation cost, we have endeavored to get the most reasonable price possible for JaLS students to make this as affordable as possible.

We advise early registration to guarantee a place on popular activities!

### Registration

Please register for activities at the school reception or with a member of office staff. Some activities have a limited capacity so we advise early registration. Prices are subject to change so please also check this when you sign up.



### Monday 6th April and Monday 27th April JALS WELCOME LUNCH PARTY! <FREE>

Let's eat lunch together and get to know new students from different classes!



### Tuesday 7th April and Thursday 30th April JAPANESE CONVERSATION CLASS <FREE>

Let's speak Japanese and make friends with local Japanese volunteers!



### Thursday 9th April CURLING! <2,000JPY>

Try a classic winter sport and enjoy having a mini-tournament against JaLS friends!!





**Saturday 11th April**  
**NOBORIBETSU-ONSEN TOUR! <4,380JPY>**

Let's experience the famous  
'hell valley' !  
(Not scary – just an amazing landscape!)



**Tuesday 14th April**  
**HOKKAIDO UNIVERSITY MUSEUM TOUR <Actual cost>**

Let's take a behind the scenes look at  
Japan's most beautiful campus!



**Thursday 16th April**  
**MOUNT MOIWA ROPEWAY <1,440JPY>**

Let's take the ropeway to check out  
Sapporo's most scenic view spot.  
Beautiful in spring!



**Saturday 18th April**  
**HOKKAIDO HISTORICAL VILLAGE <1,740JPY>**

Let's take a tour of the historical village  
and see Nanporo Monument afterwards!





**Tuesday 21st April  
MAID CAFÉ EXPERIENCE <1,800JPY>**

A recent pop culture experience in Japan – let's visit a maid café, eat some food and take pictures.



**Friday 24th April  
BBQ LAMB DINNER <3,800JPY>**

Enjoy famous BBQ Lamb – one of Hokkaido's local specialities!

**Saturday 25th April  
NISEKO RAFTING <5,300JPY>**

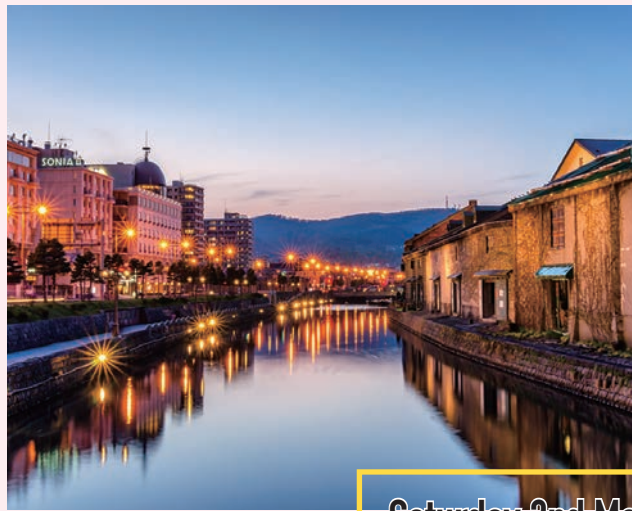
This is the fastest time of year to take part in Niseko rafting! Let's enjoy!!



**Wednesday 29th April  
TAKOYAKI PARTY <800JPY>**

Let's enjoy making takoyaki together! How good are you at this Japanese speciality?





**Saturday 2nd May**  
**NIKKA WHISKEY FACTORY**  
**AND OTARU CITY TOUR <2,070JPY>**

Enjoy a day trip to the beautiful town of Otaru, and take a tour of the Nikka Whisky factory!

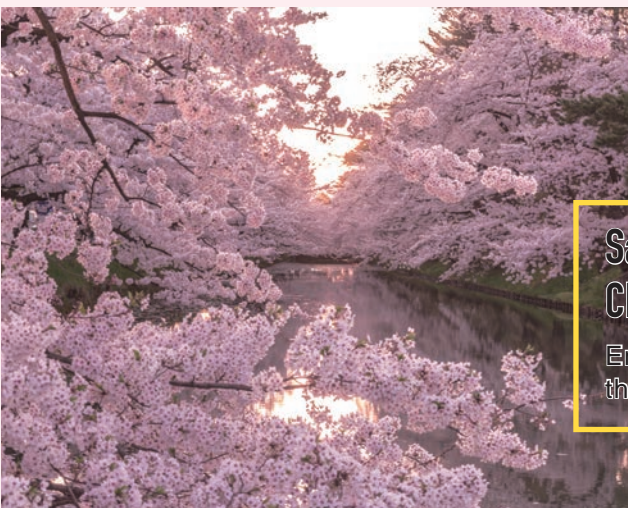


**Tuesday 5th May**  
**KITANO TAMAYURA! <1,800JPY>**

Enjoy Japanese onsen at Kitano Tamayura!

**Friday 8th May**  
**ANIMAL CAFÉ TRIP <1,300JPY>**

You can enjoy the relaxation of a café...  
With real life rare animals! Hold and  
take photos if you want to!



**Saturday 9th May**  
**CHERRY BLOSSOM BBQ! <2,000JPY>**

Enjoy a relaxing BBQ with friends under  
the fresh Hokkaido cherry blossom!





**Tuesday 12th May**  
**ROUND ONE SPORTS CENTRE! <2,180JPY>**

Let's take part in a variety of sports and games in a huge local games centre!

**Friday 15th May**  
**SPRING COURSE GRADUATION PARTY!**  
**<2,980JPY>**

Enjoy a final night making memories with new friends from Hokkaido JaLS.



**Saturday 16th May**  
**PARK GOLF TOURNAMENT! <900JPY>**

Let's have a final day in the Spring sunshine, playing park golf and relaxing in the great outdoors!

# — Course Fee

At Hokkaido JaLS you can participate for as little as one week. Students participating for more than 4 weeks will receive a 10% discount, commencing at week 5. You can also join us for study on a regular course before or after the spring schedule and be eligible for discounted study. Please contact us for more information.

**Fee 36,200 JPY per week**

\* There is a 10% discount for students participating for more than 4 weeks, commencing at week 5.

Fee Example: Participating in the spring course for 6 weeks, and continuing to study on the standard course to make a total of 8 weeks.

		Tuition Fee
Spring course	Week 1	¥36,200
	Week 2	¥72,400
	Week 3	¥108,600
	Week 4	¥144,800
	Week 5	¥177,380
	Week 6	¥209,960
Standard Course	Week 7	¥242,540
	Week 8	¥275,120

10% OFF

Please contact us for other details at [jals@hokkaido-jals.com](mailto:jals@hokkaido-jals.com).

- In addition to the weekly fee noted above, there is an additional registration fee of 21,000 yen and a textbook fee of 4000 yen.
- If you require accommodation for the duration of your stay, please inform us at the time of registration and we will explain a variety of options to suit your needs.