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in **SAPPORO**



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Welcome to Sapporo!

The 25th JCI Academy in Sapporo pre-program begins today on Thursday, July 5.

On July 4, many overseas delegates landed on New Chitose Airport one after another without showing fatigue after a long trip but with much excitement for the coming days in Sapporo.

From today, delegates will work diligently to learn much about how they can contribute themselves better to actualizing the everlasting world peace beyond nationality, race and gender, and good messages they learn will be transmitted from this city Sapporo throughout the world by those delegates.

We hope that all the overseas delegates will bring back "hope" can from this Sapporo and share it with people back home to make more differences.

「第25回国際アカデミーin札幌」が本日7月5日(木)に開幕します。昨日7月4日(火)までに、多くの海外デリゲイツが札幌入りしました。旅の疲れも見せず、各国を代表するメンバーが元気に新千歳空港へ続々と降り立ちました。

今日から8日間、国籍・人種・性別を超えた恒久的世界平和実現へ向けた取り組みが、ここ札幌から発信されます。

海外デリゲイツの皆様が、この札幌から一つでも多くの“希望”を母国へ持ち帰ってくれる事を願っています。



About Sapporo

Basic Information about Sapporo



Sapporo is the capitol of Hokkaido and the fifth largest city in Japan in terms of population. The city is best known as host of the 1972 Olympic Winter Games and the city's name is synonymous with the Sapporo Beer brand. The city's name is derived the language of the Ainu, the indigineous people of Hokkaido. Possible derivatives include "Sari-Poro-Pet" (River lined with large reed bed) or "Sat-Poro-Pet" (Large dried-up river). The city was established in 1922.

Population: 1,919,959

*Now Sapporo has the 5th largest population in Japan.

Area: 1,121km² (432.87 sq mi)

Location: 43°11' N, 141°30' E

Mayor: Fumio Ueda, Mr. (2003-Present)

Sister Cities:

Portland, Oregon, United States (since 1959)

Munich, Germany (since 1972)

Shenyang, China (since 1980)

Novosibirsk, Russia (since 1990)

Daejeon-Gwangyeoksi, Korea (since 2010)

main sightseeing spot

Sapporo TV Tower

Address	Nishi 1, Odori, Chuo-ku (011-241-1131)
Hours	April 1 – May 31: 9:30 – 21:30 June 1 – October 12: 9:30 – 22:00 October 13 – March 31: 9:30 – 21:30
Closed	November 4 (Wed), January 1 – 2, February 22 (Mon.) * Business hours and days closed vary yearly.
Admission fee	Adults: 700 yen High school students: 600 yen Junior high school students: 400 yen Elementary school students: 300 yen Children (3 years of age or older): 100 yen
Access	Close to Odori Subway Station[T09,N07,H08]
Description	The view from the observation deck 90.38 m above the ground affords a panorama of the symbol of Sapporo, Odori Park, the mountains around Sapporo and the Sea of Japan.
URL	http://www.tv-tower.co.jp/en



Sapporo Hitsujigaoka Observation Hill

Address	Hitsujigaoka 1, Toyohira-ku (011-851-3080)
Hours	May – June: 8:30 – 18:00 July – September: 8:30 – 19:00 October – April: 9:00 – 17:00
Closed	Open all year
Admission fee	500 yen for high school students and older 300 yen for elementary and junior high school students
Access	From Fukuzumi Subway Station (Toho Line[H14]), take the Chuo Bus (Fuku 84) to the Hitsujigaoka tenbodai bus stop. Sheep graze on the hill, which affords a view of Sapporo over the grassland. There is also a famous statue of Dr. Clark (one of the founders of Sapporo Agricultural College, the predecessor of Hokkaido University) in the area, in addition to the following highlights:
Description	A rest house where you can enjoy genuine griddle-cooked lamb. The Australian pavilion (shop), which was built for the Winter Olympic Games in Sapporo in 1972, was then moved in its entirety to its present location. Romantic wedding hall, Sapporo Blanc Birch Chapel (011-859-1112), which is surrounded by beautiful nature Monument to the song "Koi no Machi Sapporo" Sapporo Snow Festival Museum Hokkaido Nippon-Ham Fighters Monument http://www.sta.or.jp/hitsujigaoka/



JR Tower Observation Deck T38 (Tower Three Eight)



Hours	10:00 – 23:00 (Last admission: 22:30)
Closed	Open all year
Admission fee	Adults 700 yen, junior high and high school students 500 yen, children 300 yen
Access	Connected to JR and Subway Sapporo Station[N06,H07]. Buy a ticket at the 6th floor (Observatory Entrance Floor) of JR Tower and take a special elevator to the 38th floor.
Description	This observation deck (160 m above the ground) on the top floor (38F) is the highest viewing room north of the Kanto region, and visitors can enjoy marvelous scenery.
URL	http://www.jr-tower.com/t38/



What's Happening Today?

Thursday, July 5

7:00	Wake up
7:30	BreakFast
8:30	Check-out Hotel
9:00	Registration for Overseas delegates Sapporo Prince Hotel
10:00	-Transfer to schools by bus
11:00	SAPPORO PROGRAM 1
	-Transfer to hotel by bus
15:00	BreakTime

After the Sapporo Program 1, overseas delegates who already finished registration will proceed to meet their host family and enjoy the homestay program.

The homestay program will continue for 3 nights until Sunday, July 8th. During the period, in addition to cultural exchange at each home, delegates will enjoy excursions at Sapporo Satorand and the Central Fish Market, in which delegates will have an opportunity to interact with Sapporo citizens. On the early morning of July 8th, delegates are to say good-bye to their host family at Sapporo Prince Hotel and meet Japanese delegates. All the delegates are expected to join in the ceremony, in which the participants altogether will pray for the success of the entire Academy. After that, everyone will meet at the opening ceremony, which is immediately followed by a few modules. 2012 JCI Academy will begin soon!

今後のスケジュール

7月5日(木)に登録を済ませた海外デリゲイツは、札幌プログラム1に参加した後、ホストファミリーとのマッチングを経てホームステイへと移行します。ホームステイは8日(日)まで3泊の日程で行われ、その間は、各家庭での交流のほか、札幌さとらんどや中央卸売市場でのエキスカーションなどを開催し、札幌市民との交流を深めます。

8日(日)は、早朝に札幌プリンスホテルでホストファミリーとお別れ後、国内デリゲイツと合流し成功祈願祭や開講式を経て、本格的なモジュール受講へ移行していきます。

Friday, July 6

all day	Homestay
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Saturday, July 7

all day	HomeStay
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Weather Forecast for The Week

Sapporo

	05日 (木)	06日 (金)	07日 (土)	08日 (日)	09日 (月)	10日 (火)	11日 (水)
a rainfall probability	-	20%	20%	30%	20%	20%	20%
	26℃	27℃	26℃	26℃	26℃	26℃	25℃
	19℃	19℃	19℃	19℃	19℃	18℃	18℃



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