



**Come explore...**

# JAPAN in 2011

**with Ohio 4-H!**

**Who:** Ohio Youth ages 12-18 (on date of travel)  
**What:** Travel to Japan with 4-H youth from across the U.S. (American Adult Chaperones will be on international flights and in Japan.) Live with a Japanese host family during your stay!

**When:** **July 6 to August 4, 2011**

**Where:** One night Departure Orientation in Seattle prior to flight to Tokyo where there will be an Arrival Orientation to introduce you to Japan. One night in Tokyo prior to your return home.

**How:** This exchange is coordinated with the Labo Foundation in Japan, which has been exchanging with Ohio 4-H since 1979.

**Cost:** Approximately \$ 4,000 (depends on airfare). Price Includes:

- Administrative Support from Ohio 4-H, the Australian Exchange Network and the "States' 4-H International Programs" office from start to finish
- Round-Trip Airfare
- Orientations in Columbus, Seattle & Tokyo
- Pre-return De-Briefing in Tokyo
- Medical Insurance
- Round-Trip Airfare
- In-Japan expenses (transportation, lodging, meals, Labo Camp, etc.)
- Adult Chaperone Accompaniment beginning in U.S. gateway city

## Optional Add-On "Nihongo": 1-Month Language Program

**What:** Learn Japanese language in a classroom setting and explore Japanese culture on excursions.

**When:** **June 9 – July 6, 2011**

**Cost:** \$1,100 plus weekday lunches

**Scholarships:** **\$600 and up will be awarded to all youth selected for this program**  
**Application Deadline:** **January 19**  
**Required Selection Interviews:** **January 22, 23 or 30 in Columbus** (hold all dates) (one parent must accompany)  
**Required Orientation:** **May or June, 2011, in Columbus** (one parent must accompany participant)

**2011 Payment schedule:** *(Fuel Surcharge & Air Taxes are estimated and will be adjusted when ticketed on 3/1.)*

- January 19 - Application with \$850 deposit + \$50 application fee (contact us for payee information)
- March 1 - Airfare
- May 1 - Remaining Balance

**Cancellation Policy:** (Cancellations must be made in writing)

- Payments are non-refundable after each payment deadline, except for \$500 of the January deposit, which is refundable until April 1.
- Airfare is non-refundable once issued.
- For exceptional circumstances, other refunds are made on a case-by-case basis

**For more information or application materials, please contact:**

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