

Program Description:

UAA is offering students in the UAA Languages Japanese program the opportunity to participate in the exchange program at Iwate University in Morioko, Japan. *Students have the option of going on exchange for fall, spring, or the academic year.* Students will be provided an official transcript from Iwate University.

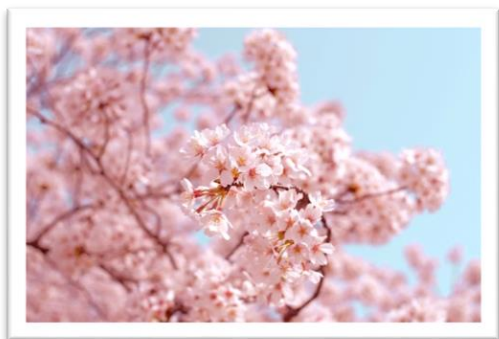
While improving their Japanese language skills at Iwate University, students will deepen their understanding of their areas of interest such as Japanese history, culture, society, arts and environment centered on the Iwate area.

All students take a Japanese language proficiency test, which is administered by Iwate upon arrival to the university. *Students must score N3 or higher.*

Application Information:

Students must meet academic eligibility requirements of the UAA Languages program to qualify for this program. *Students must have taken JPN 302 to qualify and be approved by Dr. Hiroko Harada.* (Priority will go to students majoring in Japanese or those with a higher GPA when more than two applicants apply.)

Students must apply to UAA's exchange program first and be accepted before applying to Iwate University.



Cherry Blossoms in Japan

Program Dates:

Academic Year: October to August
Fall: October to February
Spring: April to August

*Program dates based on Japanese academic year. Please consult the Iwate University website for specific program start/end dates.

Costs:

- Students pay UAA lower-division tuition for 12 credits plus the UA network fee.
- Students pay the host institution for non-tuition related fees.
- Students are responsible for all travel fees and other expenses including, but not limited to passport, visa, and other insurance fees.
- *Most Financial Aid can be used to pay for exchange program fees.*

Information Sheet

Minimum Required GPA	3.0
Housing Options	On-Campus Student Housing
Class Status Eligibility	Junior, Senior
Area of Study	Japanese Language and Culture
Program Features	Traditional In-Person Classes

Program Contact

- UAA Education Abroad Coordinator, uaa.oiaa@alaska.edu
- For academic information, please contact Dr. Hiroko Harada, hharada@alaska.edu

Deadline to Apply: March 1