

秋田県大館市 Odate City, Akita

Free!!
this year
too!

Meet and interact with locals at a FARM STAY
and find a home away from home in Odate!

Spend a night at a local FARM

Accepting applications now!!

Period : August 21, 2018 ~ March 18, 2019

Application Deadline : March 7, 2019

○ Duration of stay: 1 - 2 nights

※ Location of stay will be arranged by this committee

※ Due to demand, requested days may not be available

※ Application period will close if number of applicants surpasses the limit

● Conditions

- Must apply a week in advance
- Hold a foreign passport
 - ※ Include a passport copy with your application.
- Must be 18+ to apply (kids as group members are welcome!)
- Groups of up to 5 welcome
- Completion of survey required
- Photos taken during stay will be used for promotional purposes
- Japanese skill not required. Farm owner speaks only Akita dialect, so you may need a translation app etc. during stay.
- Participants of this project last year can apply also this time, but they will stay in different farm from last time.

~ About Farm stay ~

- Check-in: from 3PM, Check-out: till 10AM
- 1-2 rooms available. Rooms may be shared.
- Pick-up and Drop-off service at Odate station or bus stop in Odate
- Please bring your own pajamas & toiletries
- Bring your own alcohol if desired
- During stay please help the host in the kitchen if required
- Participants can enjoy Kiritampo cooking, Farm experience, Local cuisine cooking, local hot spring visit, and Akita Dialect Stretching.

MAFF Supported Project

Odate Cultural Activity Promotion Committee



Application Form for Free Farm Stay

Name	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F				Nationality:	
	If possible, in カタカナ:					
Passport #			Date of birth / Age			
Allergies, etc.			Do you speak Japanese? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (level:) <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Address						
Telephone #			Email address			
Dates of stay	- (night(s))					
Group members	M/F	Date of birth / Age	Nationality	Passport #	Allergies, etc.	
Total	Male		Comments:			
	Female					
	Total					
Other	Pick-up/drop-off at Odate station / bus stop in Odate?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please <input type="checkbox"/> No, thank you If "no", how will you get to the farm?:			
	Check-in/-out time (-in: from 3 pm, -out: till 10 am)		Scheduled check-in (:) -out (:)			
	Optional 2nd day activities (for 2-nights-stay)					
	Farm Experience Activity				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	Tonjiru Soup & Onigiri Making Activity (lunch)				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
For guests staying 2 nights who do not intend to participate in an optional activity, please tell us how you plan to spend the 2nd day. (ex.) 10AM~4PM Visit Lake Towada by own car						

Example Itinerary

Day1

15:30 Arrive at Odate sta.
 16:00 Arrive at farm
 16:30 Visit local hot spring
 17:30 Kiritampo cooking lesson
 18:30 Dinner
 22:00 Go to bed

Day2

7:00 Wake up, Radio calisthenics & Breakfast.
 9:00 Farm Experience Activity
 11:30 Tonjiru & Onigiri Making & Lunch
 13:30 Farm Experience Activity
 15:30 Visit local hot spring
 17:00 Authentic cooking lesson
 18:30 Dinner
 22:00 Go to bed

Day3

7:00 Wake up, Radio calisthenics & Breakfast.
 10:00 Check out

Please include a copy of the passport photo page for each group member!

Contact: Odate Cultural Activity Promotion Committee (Secretariat in Odate City Migration & Exchange Division)

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