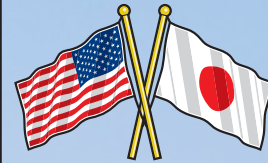


Have you ever thought about studying abroad?

The Bloomington-Normal Sister Cities Committee is offering one high school student the opportunity to live and study for 10 months in our sister city, Asahikawa, Japan. The selected student will receive an introduction to Japanese language and culture before departure. This scholarship includes transportation to and from Japan, cost of living, high school tuition and fees, and a monthly stipend. **The student will depart in August 2023 and return in June 2024.***



If selected you will:

- Attend a Japanese high school
- Live with host families
- Learn the Japanese language and culture
- Form friendships that will last a lifetime

To be eligible, you must be entering high school as a sophomore, junior, or senior in August 2023, and must live in Unit 5 or District 87 school districts.

**Applications are Due
Monday, October 17, 2022**

***Are you interested in this amazing opportunity?
Please attend:***

**Informational Meeting for Students & Parents
October 2, 2022 (Sun), 2-3:30pm
Central Illinois Regional Airport Terminal
Conference Room (2nd level)**

Please use 2-hour parking

Any questions? Please contact:

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*Date may vary depending on the Japanese high school student will attend.