

## Daily Itinerary for 2023 Community building through meaningful collaboration of Ainu and Japanese in Hokkaido Group Study Program

### Pre departure activities

Date	Activity	Comments
March 24, F	Online meeting with Hokkaido communities (2 hours)	Community people and we introduce ourselves before we actually meet them. (both for Nibutani and Shiraoi people)
May 1, F	Online meeting with Hokkaido communities (2 hours)	Community people and we introduce ourselves before we actually meet them. (both for Nibutani and Shiraoi people)
May 8, M	Lecture and discussion ,9AM – 3 PM (5 hours)	Theoretical review on Community Development
May 10, W	Lecture and discussion ,9AM – 3 PM (5 hours)	Ainu in Japan and Indigenous Peoples in the northern regions
May 12, F	Lecture and discussion ,9AM – 3 PM (5 hours)	Reading, Discussion, and group work, in-class exam

### In field activities

Day	Date	Location	Logistical comments and connection to academic content
0	June 3, Sat	Calgary	(use this for your departure day unless departure and arrival are on the same day)
1	June 4, Sun	Tokyo	<b>Logistic:</b> Arrive in Tokyo in the evening of the following day because of a 15-hour time difference <b>Academic:</b> N/A, It is late for Heading to Hokkaido, and so, we will stopover in Tokyo
2	June 5, M	Tokyo	<b>Logistic:</b> Tokyo <b>Academic:</b> Visit the Central Wholesale (fish) Market at Toyosu, Tokyo, in the morning/ Visit Asakusa Buddhist temple, the Sky Tree Tower, and other historic sites
3	June 6, T	Tokyo to Nibutani, Hokkaido	<b>Logistic:</b> Fly to Shin-Chitose, Hokkaido; Move to Nibutani by bus <b>Academic:</b> N/A
4	June 7, W	Nibutani	<b>Logistic:</b> Visit the Ainu Museum/ Town tour <b>Academic:</b> To learn about the Ainu's history particular to Nibutani Town
5	June 8, R	Nibutani	<b>Logistic:</b> Visit Chikornay (a National Trust forest) <b>Academic:</b> To learn and experience (Ainu/non-Ainu) people's activities to maintain the forest and the local culture
6	June 9, F	Nibutani	<b>Logistic:</b> Visit historic sites <b>Academic:</b> Learn and experience Ainu culture
7	June 10, Sat	Nibutani to Shiraoi	<b>Logistic:</b> Move to Shiraoi in the afternoon, <b>Academic:</b> Explore Nibutani in the morning/ Meet with Community in Shiraoi; Learn about the town's community building activities
8	June 11, Sun	Shiraoi	<b>Logistic:</b> Walk in town <b>Academic:</b> Explore town's history, lifestyle, and culture
9	June 12, M	Shiraoi	<b>Logistic:</b> Participate in community activities such as fishing and edible herb picking <b>Academic:</b> Learn local livelihood through meeting with town people/ Cooking class with town people
10	June 13, T	Shiraoi	<b>Logistic:</b> Visit the Ainu National Museum (including some activities such as traditional craft-making, playing music, and dance) <b>Academic:</b> To learn about Ainu culture and experience some traditional activities/ Student short presentations to townpeople
11	June 14, W	Shiraoi to Sapporo	<b>Logistic:</b> Move to Sapporo by train/ Walk in Sapporo city <b>Academic:</b> Learn about a history of Sapporo

12	June 15, R	Sapporo	<b>Logistic:</b> Visit Hokkaido University <b>Academic:</b> Workshop at the Center for Ainu and Indigenous Studies at Hokkaido University
13	June 16, F	Sapporo	<b>Logistic:</b> Visit Hokkaido University <b>Academic:</b> Workshop at the Arctic Research Center at Hokkaido University; Student presentations; Farewell banquet in the evening
14	June 17, Sat	Sapporo to Tokyo to Calgary	<b>Logistic:</b> Fly to Tokyo; Fly to Calgary via Vancouver (Arrive in Calgary on the same day due to 15 hours time difference) <b>Academic:</b> N/A