

**National Association of Japanese Canadians**

**and Suzuka University, Suzuka, Mie, Japan**

**Scholarship Program**

The National Association of Japanese Canadians (NAJC) and Suzuka University (SU) have established a scholarship program for university students to participate in a 4-month program of study at Suzuka University in Japan to improve their Japanese language proficiency and to experience Japanese culture and education. This opportunity will also strengthen NAJC relationships with Japan to develop greater understanding of Japan and for Japan to understand the Japanese Canadian history and culture.

The selection criteria are as follows:

* A university student of 18 years or older
* Studying Japanese Language at a level 3 or higher
* Interest in Japan and Japanese Canadian history, culture, and education
* Provision to follow up with NAJC on return to Canada after the completion of the program

The Japan Study Scholarship Program includes:

* Return airfare upon completion of the program
* Accommodations nearby the Suzuka University campus
* Admission to Suzuka University from September to December 2017
* Land transfer from airport to Suzuka and return

The recipient will be responsible for:

* Student VISA
* Medical and Travel Insurance
* Meals
* Books if you wish to keep them
* Travel between accommodations and Suzuka University
* Personal expenses

Directions are given on the application form to complete and return to [national@najc.ca](mailto:national@najc.ca) by: June 1, 2017