

(For the overseas dispatch program by funds from Yokohama National University)

Yokohama National University
To Director of the International Strategy Organization

Written Oath

As a participant in the overseas dispatch program (hereinafter referred to as "program") connected to Yokohama National University, I pledge to comply with the following items and act responsibly with regard to my own safety. I understand that if I am unable to receive support from Yokohama National University due to violating the following items, I will not appeal to Yokohama National University.

I, the undersigned, shall:

1. Conduct myself sensibly and responsibly as a representative of Yokohama National University.
2. Familiarize myself with the latest overseas safety information issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Japanese embassies and consulates.
3. After having been selected as a scholarships etc. fund recipient, not withdraw from the program, except for reasons approved by the university.
4. Actively participate in all events during the program period, physical health allowing. If my attitude or behavior during the program means I am asked to return home or refused participation by the host institution, I will concur with this decision. I will be responsible for all expenses incurred in such an event, including damages and return travel costs.
5. Observe the laws and regulations applicable in Japan and overseas destinations, and ensure my behavior complies with public order and morals. I will not purchase, possess, or use illegal drugs, weapons, or fake goods prohibited by laws and regulations applicable in Japan and/or the host country / region.
6. Take out travel insurance covering the full travel period, and crisis management service designated by the university before departure.
7. Submit program reports and feedback (questionnaire etc.) by the stipulated deadline.
8. Provide emergency contact details (e.g. parents).
9. Understand and respect the culture, customs, and manners of the destination country/region.
10. Take reasonable precautions with regard to personal safety. For example, I will not take out cash in the way that others can see the contents of your wallet when paying, or carry valuable items in crowds such as cameras, smartphones, personal computers, etc.
11. Avoid, as much as possible, going out alone or going to unsafe areas, especially at night.
12. Avoid, as much as possible, solitary use of taxis and public transport.
13. Guard valuables and personal belongings, keeping aware of pickpockets, bag-snatchers, etc.
14. Refrain from carrying luggage or the goods of strangers.
15. Obey if the university decides to cancel the program, or recommends returning home in the middle of the program (e.g. for reasons of safety).
16. Maintain physical health, and eat and drink in moderation.
17. Be punctual.

Year / Month / Day:

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Undergraduate / Graduate / Grade:

Student ID (number):

Year / Month / Day:

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Student's signature:

Contact person's signature (Parents etc.):