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**
- If possible, in カタカナ:

**Passport #**

**Date of birth / Age**

**Allergies, etc.**

**Do you speak Japanese?**
- Yes (level:  )
- No

**Address**

**Telephone #**

**Email address**

**Dates of stay**

**Group members**

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**Comments:**

**Check-in/-out time**
- (-in: from 3 pm, -out: till 10 am)

**Scheduled check-in (  :  )
- out (  :  )

**Pick-up/drop-off at Odate station / bus stop in Odate?**
- Yes, please
- No, thank you

**If “no”, how will you get to the farm?:**

**Optional 2nd day activities (for 2-nights-stay)**
- Farm Experience Activity
- Tonjiru Soup & Onigiri Making Activity (lunch)

**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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