

Expand your Horizons with the Labo/Texas Global Exchange

Welcome the World into your Home

Become a Host Family

Open your home and your hearts to a Japanese student for four weeks during the summer! Share your culture, your values and your family's life, and learn about Japan. Labo students aged 12 - 18 are anxious to experience the daily life of a typical American family, learn English, and make friends with US children.

Host families must have a child of the same sex and similar age to act as host sister or brother, but do not need to plan special activities or trips. Rather, host families must be willing to welcome their Japanese exchangee into their home as a family member. Students travel with a chaperone, and have complete insurance coverage and bring their own spending money.

The four-week homestay begins in late July.

There are also two- and four-week hosting opportunities for adults.

Discover Japan

Summer Homestay in Japan

American students spend a month living with a typical Japanese family. With their host sister or brother, they try Japanese foods, visit schools, see local sights, and take part in local festivals. Students also visit Labo Clubs and attend a four-day camp in the mountains. All travel within Japan is chaperoned.

Depart Texas July 8, 2010

Return August 5, 2010

For program costs, please contact the Texas State Coordinator

Please address all questions to

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