

### **STATES' 4-H INTERNATIONAL**

## 2020 SUMMER OUTBOUND PROGRAMS COMPARISON

	2020 Dates	Program Fee	Airfare Estimate	Age	Program Details
Costa Rica	June 18 – July 17	\$1,775 plus airfare	\$800-\$1,300	15 – 18	*Homestay with a Costa Rican 4-S family, with a host sibling of same age/gender *Sightseeing and cultural excursions in San José *Two-day visit to Arenal Volcano National Park – including lodging in La Fortuna *Overnight departure debriefing
Japan 4-week	July 8 – August 6	\$2,725 plus airfare	\$1,700-\$2,600	12 – 18	*Homestay with a Labo/LEX Japanese family, with host sibling of same age/gender *Urban exploration in Tokyo *Labo Camp or LEX cultural excursion *Visit Labo or LEX clubs with host family
Japan 8-week	June 10 – August 6	\$3,875 plus airfare	\$1,700-\$2,600	12 – 18	*1 <sup>st</sup> Month: Intensive language-learning program in Tokyo, including Cultural excursions in and around Tokyo to facilitate "learning by doing." Host sibling not guaranteed. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Month: All the same components as the Japan 4-week program (see above)
Norway	June 24 – July 24	\$2,200 plus airfare	\$1,300-\$2,000	15 – 18	*Homestay with 1 or 2 Norwegian 4-H families *Host Sibling of same age and gender not guaranteed *Urban exploration in Oslo *Overnight departure debriefing and cultural excursions
South Korea	July 15 – August 13	\$2,430 plus airfare	\$1,300-\$2,300	12 - 18	*Homestay with 1-2 Korean 4-H families *Urban exploration in Seoul *4-H International Exchange Camp *Host sibling of same age and gender not guaranteed
Taiwan	June 28 – July 28	\$2,200 plus airfare	\$1,300-\$2,300	12 - 18	*Homestay with Taiwanese 4-H families *Sightseeing and cultural excursions in Taipei *Participate in Taiwan 4-H Activities and Clubs *Host sibling of same age/gender not guaranteed
Romania	June 24 – July 24	\$1,775 plus domestic airfare	\$1,300 - \$2,000	15 - 18	*Homestay with 1-2 Romanian families *Cultural sightseeing and educational tours in and around Cluj *Host sibling of same age/gender not guaranteed *Program includes a four-day trip to the Black Sea

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## Payment Schedule

- December 1, 2019: First deposit due with application for the following programs:
  - \$2,000 for Japan 8-week
  - \$1,500 for Japan 4-week, South Korea, Taiwan, Norway, Romania
  - \$1,000 for Costa Rica
- > February 1, 2020: Second deposit due for the following programs:
  - o \$2,000 for Japan 8-Week
  - \$1,500 for Japan 4-Week, South Korea, Taiwan, Norway, Romania
  - o \$1,000 for Costa Rica

- March 1, 2020: Medical form and passport copy due to States' 4-H Office
- > April 15, 2020: Remaining balance due for all programs

## **Program Conditions**

- Airfare costs vary depending upon your departure city and your destination.
- Airfare is non-refundable and non-transferrable once issued. Tickets are issued in mid-February. Unaccompanied Minor fees may apply to delegates under the age of 15 (*\$150 each way*).
- Cancellation Policy:
  - Before January 31, 2020: \$300 cancellation fee. The remaining amount of first program deposit will be refunded
  - January 31 February 15, 2020: Cancellation will equal 100% of first program deposit
  - After February 15, 2020: No refund of paid deposits

- Only fully-paid delegates will be permitted to travel or attend the national orientation prior to international departure.
- No donor checks are accepted by the States' 4-H office; donors must write checks directly to the delegate. Consult States' 4-H for additional information.
- Two participants of the same gender could be sharing a Double/Queen-size bed during the orientation program.
- Host family placement details could be announced as late as a few days before departure.

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