## ESTIMATE OF STUDENT EXPENSES

## FALL 2022 JAPAN STUDY GROUP: August 29 – December 10, 2022

## Revised June 3, 2022

What follows is an *estimate* of study group costs and expenses. Actual figures will vary depending upon exchange rates,<sup>1</sup> student spending habits, discretionary travel, and other individual considerations. It is the student's responsibility to understand costs and develop a budget. Financial aid will be based upon the total estimated cost of the study group. Questions about individual aid should be directed to the Office of Financial Aid at finaid@colgate.edu.

COST SUMMARY	
Total estimated cost (see below) of a semester on F22 Japan Study Group	\$43 <i>,</i> 889
Total estimated cost of a fall 2022 semester on Colgate campus	\$41,800
The F22 Japan Study Group is estimated to cost \$2,089 more than the fall 2022 semester	\$2,089
on campus.	

COST BREAKDOWN		
Costs billed by Colgate to student account:		\$36,984
TUITION & FEES: Colgate fall 2022 tuition (\$31,952) & Student Activity Fee (\$193) <sup>2</sup>	\$32,145	
ROOM & BOARD: Homestay room with breakfast and dinner in Kyoto (¥370,600) + room (¥96,750) and some meals (¥80,500) on study group excursions	\$4,269	
TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip Tokyo – Kyoto train (\$400)	\$400	
PERSONAL EXPENSES: Required international health insurance – CISI (\$1.55/day)	\$170	
Expenses paid directly by student:		\$6,905
ROOM & BOARD: Food and meals beyond homestay meal plan	\$1,500	
TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip airfare JFK – Tokyo Airport <sup>3</sup> (\$1,800) + local transportation around Kyoto, including daily commute from homestay location <sup>4</sup> (\$800)	\$2,600	
PERSONAL EXPENSES: Visa (\$30); other estimated expenses including personal travel, toiletries, laundry, cell phone plan & other incidentals.	\$2,530	
BOOKS & SUPPLIES: books, maps, stationery	\$275	
Total estimated cost of the F22 Japan Study Group:		\$43,889

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Estimated costs based upon exchange rate of US\$.0078 to ¥1 on 4/28/22 www.oanda.com.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Half of the Student Activity Fee will be put toward a student-directed study group activity in Japan.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Students may choose to pay for airfare by using their credit card or billing their student account. Itinerary and purchasing options will be reviewed during required pre-departure meetings.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Daily travel costs from homestay location to classroom building varies.