



OTUMOETAI COLLEGE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAMME

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Goal: To Learn English



1) Why did you choose New Zealand to study?

Because I heard that New Zealand has good security and that, the environment is good for learning English.

2) What is the best thing about studying at Otumoetai College?

It is the subject Physical Education because I like exercise. New Zealand Physical Education is harder than Japanese Physical Education

3) What do you enjoy most about being in New Zealand?

I enjoyed swimming at Bay Wave because the wave pool was such fun.

4) Do you enjoy living with a New Zealand homestay family?

Yes, they took me water skiing, which was fun for me.

5) What would you say to a student from your country considering coming to New Zealand to study?

I would say that at Otumoetai College there is nothing to worry about, as everyone is kind and helpful.

6) What are your career aspirations?

I am not sure what I would like to do after University

7) What do you plan to do after your New Zealand education is completed?

I will finish school in Japan and then I want to go to University and study History