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INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS

(Edmonds – WA) The Edmonds Sister City Commission has extended the deadline for applications for the 2014 Student Exchange program with Hekinan Japan. The Commission plans to send 15 students and 2 chaperones to Hekinan in July 2014 for a two week stay. Students selected pay just their roundtrip airfare plus \$300.00 toward chaperone expenses. While in Japan students will stay with Japanese families enjoying a unique cultural immersion.

To be eligible and considered for the student exchange program, a student must be between the ages of 14 and 18 in July 2014 and submit all necessary student application materials by the new deadline of **March 11, 2014**. Application materials can be found on the Commission's webpage at www.escc.edmondswa.gov under Exchange programs in the left hand menu. Edmonds residency is not a requirement to participate.

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