

Katherine Lady Berkeley's School (Language College)



Katherine Lady Berkeley's School in Gloucestershire has developed strong links with Hikawa High School in Yamanashi prefecture, just west of Tokyo. The exchange has been taking place for 9 years, and the last group of students went to Japan in October 2006. During their visit to Japan Japanese lessons took place every morning and afternoon activities included various martial arts, other traditional arts such as calligraphy and flower arranging, and participation in English and PE lessons. On trips out of school, the group visited Lake Kawaguchi at the base of Mt Fuji, the contrasting Asakusa and Harajuku districts of Tokyo, a modern shopping mall and an ancient temple in Narita, and even tried out karaoke. Both students and teachers are looking forward to entertaining 25 pupils and teachers from Hikawa in March and are planning their next visit to Japan at the end of October next year.

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