

Global Collaboration – International Workcamp (Outbound service tour) Information Sheet

Global Collaboration offers you immersive opportunities overseas. You will be engaging in the local cultures through service learning and/or cultural exchange. In the International Workcamp, students will work with people in different background and/or ethnicities, not only the local communities, but also volunteer from different countries. Let's embrace with diversity as a global citizen.

	Workcamp A	Workcamp B	Workcamp C	Workcamp D
Destination	Shikoku, Japan	Songkhla, Thailand	KlonglaKlonghoikhong Songkhla, Thailand	Reykjavik, Iceland
Tour Period	22-30 Dec 2023	18-30 Dec 2023	18-30 Dec 2023	27 Dec 2023 to 5 Jan 2024
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aged 18 or above • Basic English communication skills 			
Quota	• 1 team (2 students) in each workcamp			
Programme fee*	HKD 5,850			HKD8,500
Accommodation	Local farmhouses home staying			
Meals	Meals cooked by participants			
Financial support	Each student will receive a subsidy of maximum 50% of the tour programme fee, subject to the availability of the student's GLEF [^] .			
ELAT[#]	Global and Cultural Enrichment			

**The programme fee included the cost of the workcamp and HKD 1,000 refundable deposit (will be refund, while air ticket is not included. For the travel arrangement, please refer to the [guidelines and flow chart](#) provided by Financial Office (FO).*

[^]For the general principles governing GLEF and application procedures, please refer to their [website](#).

[#]To find out more about Experiential Learning and Achievements Transcript (ELAT), please visit their [website](#).

Workcamp Summary

Workcamp A - Shikoku, Japan

- To experience rural lifestyle
- To support harvesting and shipping seasonal plants
- To assist in brochures or signs in the village for pilgrims from overseas

Workcamp B - Songkhla, Thailand

- To experience English teaching for primary school students
- To experience organic farming and rural livelihood
- To share environmental knowledge with the locals through cultural exchange

Workcamp C - KlonglaKlonghoikhong Songkhla, Thailand

- To prepare English lessons and materials for local students through creative teaching
- To share cultural differences while meeting campers diverse background

Workcamp D - Reykjavik, Iceland

- To experience nature photography
- To explore cultural natural sightseeing attractions
- To exchange ideas on environmental issues in different regions or countries

Schedule

Date	Activities
29 Nov 20:00	First Encounter @Kwun Tong
30 Nov 18:30	Pre-departure briefing @ EdUHK
Mid Dec – Early Jan	Tour
11 Jan 18:30	Debriefing and sharing session @ EdUHK
24 Jan 09:00	Submission of ePortfolio and all financial documents for reimbursement

All sessions are compulsory.

List of documents to be submitted

1. Bank-in slip or transaction record
2. Copy of travelling document and HKID
3. Roundtrip Boarding Passes/ train tickets
4. Activity Evaluation Form
5. ePortfolio
6. Post-tour sharing materials
 - a. Photos and videos

Terms and Conditions

1. You are required to fulfill 100% attendance of all sessions, coming in late and leaving early will be considered as absent. You will be assumed to have withdrawn from the activity should you fail to fulfil the attendance requirement.
2. You are required to settle the programme fee and submit all required documents on time.
3. Withdrawing from the activity at any point in time or failing to depart, any of the payment made will NOT be refunded.
4. You are responsible for keeping yourself up-to-date with the immigration policy and requirements in the destination and Hong Kong (wherever applicable).
5. You are responsible for checking their own validity of travelling documents and VISA, and your own GLEF balance before application.
6. You are required to submit and complete the application of the Global Learning Enhancement Fund (GLEF) for the activity, and observe the [GLEF User Guide for Students](#).
7. Deposit will be refunded, upon your successful completion of the activity, within two months after the activity end date.
8. SAO may exercise their right to terminate the activity in the event of emergency, including but not limited to political instability, social problem, natural disaster, environmental hygiene, widespread of an epidemic, the World Health Organization or The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Government issuing a travel warning of the destination before departure or during the tour, or international travel becoming restrictive.
9. You are required to exhibit appropriate manners and behaviours during the tour as I will be representing the EdUHK.
10. The breach of the abovementioned terms and condition can lead to activity hours not recorded on the Experiential Learning and Achievements Transcript (ELAT), deposit being withheld, and/or immediate termination of my participation in the activity.
- 11. By submitting your application, you indicate your acceptance and agreement with the abovementioned terms and conditions.**