



## Archbishop Jordan Catholic High School



## 2016 Japanese Exchange

Each April, approximately 160 - 200 Yamate students come to Alberta for two weeks. During this period they are billeted with Alberta families and attend classes in their host school (April 15 - 29, 2016).

In July, (July 20 – August 4, 2016) Alberta students pay a return visit to Japan and stay with Japanese families. Yamate Gakuin, the school in Yokhama, Japan, organizes some special day tours for the visiting students.

The only costs to the Alberta student are airfare, ground transportation, insurance and spending money. (approximately \$3000 for the 2016 exchange excluding spending money)

This year, Edmonton and Area schools will participate in this exchange. 160 Japanese students will be hosted by Archbishop Jordan, John Paul II, Jasper Place, Strathcona Composite, Louis St. Laurent, Sturgeon Composite, St. Peter the Apostle (Spruce Grove), Lamont, and Salisbury Composite.

Our Japanese guests will arrive Friday April 15, 2016 and will stay with us until Friday April 29, 2016.

If your family is interested in hosting/travelling, please contact Ms Hallonquist at Archbishop Jordan High School, email <a href="margeh@eics.ab.ca">margeh@eics.ab.ca</a> or phone (780) 467-2121 Ext 2110

We are still looking for hosting/travelling families and will consider students from  $Grade\ 9-12$ .

We meet Thursdays at lunch in Room 211