



UNITED
SCHOOL
OF TOKYO

International School with a conscience





Welcome to UST

Located in the heart of Tokyo with great access to a variety of parks and public sporting facilities



What makes UST unique



- Truly international school
- Child-centric, balanced curriculum
- Experiential education
- Outdoor education
- Daily Japanese classes
- Small classes
- Strong sense of community and family-like atmosphere
- Community service and charity
- Affordable tuition



Truly International School

**220 students from 40
different countries**



**40 faculty and staff
members from 12
countries**

Child-Centric Curriculum



- Meet children at their level
- Personalized approach
- Celebrate achievements
- Build on strength and help overcome weaknesses
- Focus on confidence building
- Instill life-long love for learning
- Provide emotional support

Experiential Learning

Hands-on learning



Role Play



Field Trips

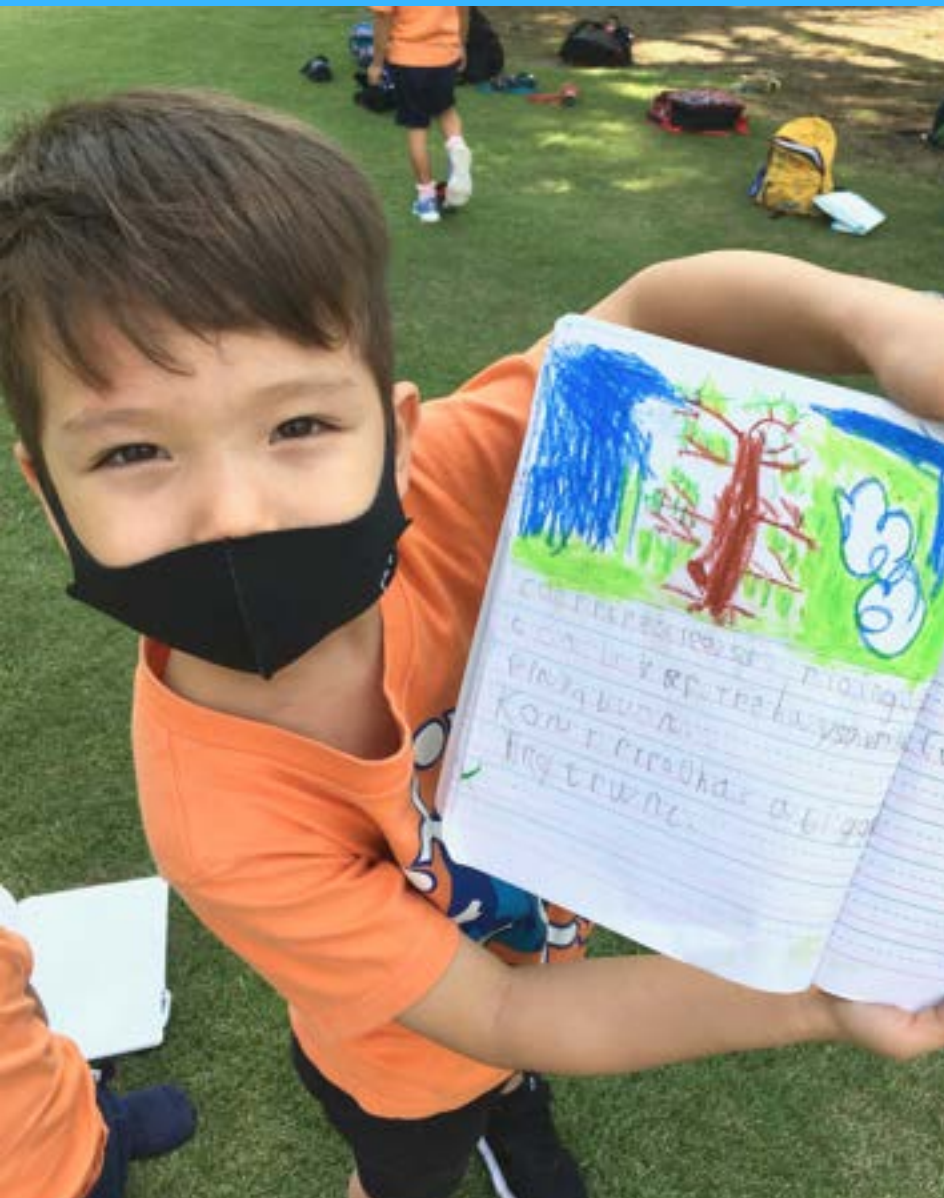


Monthly Events



Outdoor Education

Outdoor classes



Residential trips



Team buidling



Weekend trips



Small classes: 16 students per class



**One class per grade in Early Years
Two classes per grade in Elementary
One class per grade in Middle School**

Strong sense of community



Family-like atmosphere



Well-balanced holistic curriculum designed to better serve the academic, social-emotional, athletic and creative needs of our students

Art



P.E.



Music



Swimming





Dance



Art Fair

UST

School Concerts



Drama



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Ability-based Japanese classes

- **K1&K2: twice a week**
- **K3: 3 times a week**
- **Elementary and Middle School: every day**

Cultural events and guest speakers



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- **ESL**
- **Learning support**
- **Afterschool tutoring**
- **Counseling services**

UST's well-balanced holistic curriculum is designed to support the social-emotional development of our students through Guidance classes and Counseling support

Our Guidance & Counseling focus on:

- Social-emotional development
- Social skills and character building
- Morals and core values of a global citizen
- Community oriented mindset
- Equality and inclusion
- Global issues
- Non-violent communication and peaceful conflict resolution
- Making amends
- Anti-bullying



Values-based education that promotes inclusivity, global mindset community service and charitability



Fundraising

Charity



Community Service

Sports & Recreation





Athletic meets



**Athletic field
trips**

Annual Ski Trip



Sports Day





Wide variety of ECAs; Daily Extended Care service

Extra-Curricular Activities: Mon-Th, 3:15 pm-4:15 pm

Athletic Clubs

Soccer
Field hockey
Boot camp
Track & Field
Swim Team
Karate
Yoga & Fitness
Yoga & Mindfulness
Touch Rugby

Performing Arts

Choir
Drama
Ukelele Club
Jazz Dance
Hip Hop Dance
Polynesian Dance
Indonesian Dance

Visual Arts

Beginner Sketching
Fun Crafts
Collage
Advanced Art

Miscellaneous

UST News Station
Student Council
Coding
Movie Making
Script Writing
Construction and Lego Club
Chess Club
Catan Club
Cooking Club
Daily Homework Clubs

Extended Care: every day until 5 pm

Communication Tools



- Target setting and reviews with students
- Weekly feedback via the School Portal
- Behavior management via Class Dojo
- Academic progress feedback via Edsby
- Teacher emails
- Student-led PTCs
- Termly report cards

How to get Involved



- Become a class parent
- Become actively involved in PTA
- Volunteer to help with library, at school events
- Serve as mystery readers/guest speakers
- Serve as chaperones on school trips
- Teach an ECA class or a weekend workshop
- Serve on the school Advisory Board

Sample Daily Schedule

AM

Doors open at 8:15 am

Start of the Day
8:30 am - Elementary
8:45 am - Kinder

Homeroom time

ELA/Math
10 am Snack
Japanese
12-1 pm Lunch

PM

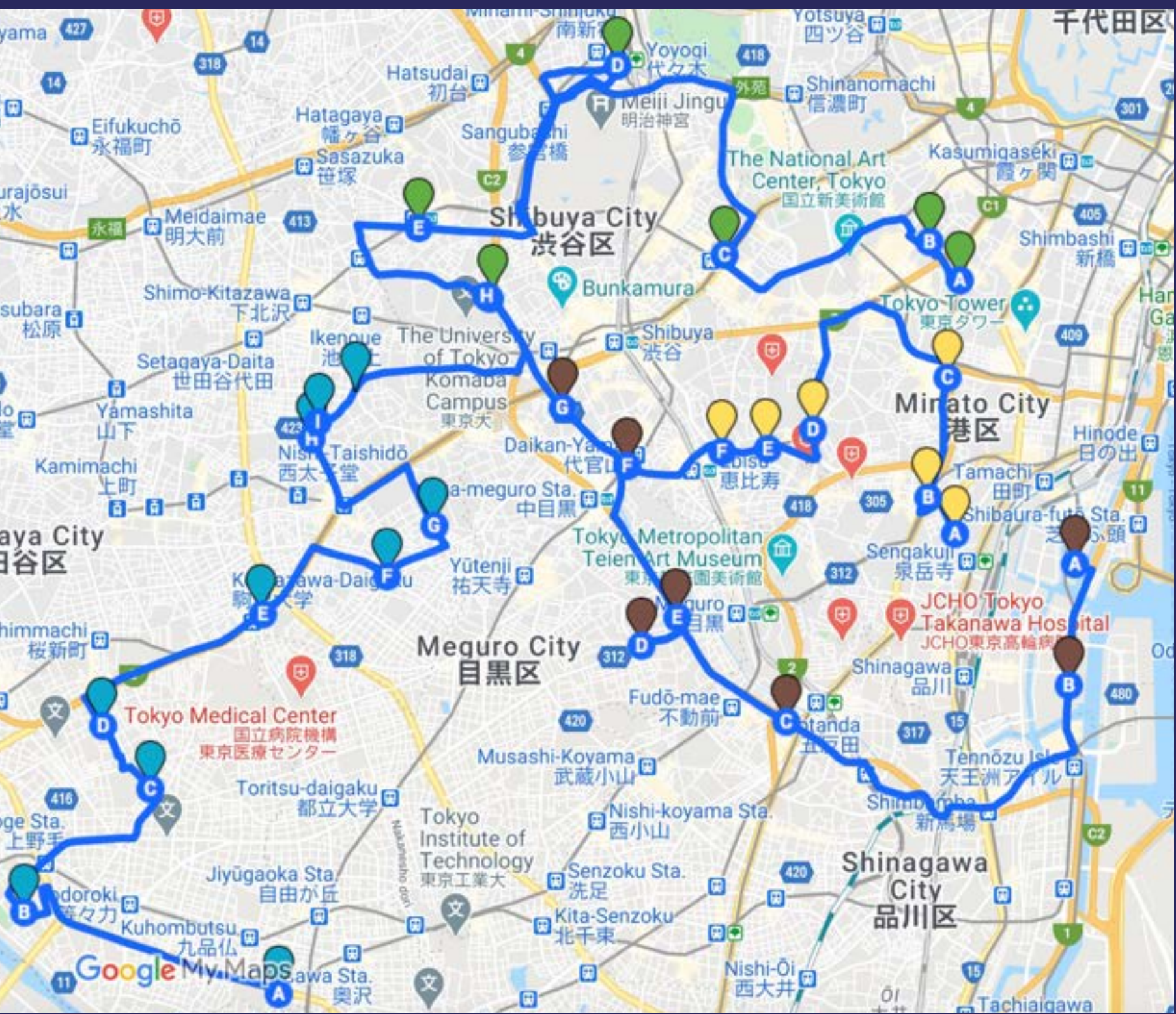
Recess/Park
Nap (K1-K2)
Music/Art/Guidance
PE/Swimming
Science/Social Studies

Regular school ends
3 pm - Kinder
3:15 pm - Elementary

3:15-4:15 pm - ECAs
4:15-5 pm - Extended Care



Bus Service



UST Graduates



UST graduates successfully proceed to international schools in Tokyo and around the world, as well as Japanese private schools with international courses.

Admission Criteria

- English language proficiency
- Overall balance of nationalities, genders and academic levels
- Academic preparedness
- Positive attitude towards learning
- Commitment to international education
- Overall fit for the school's philosophy and culture
- Parents' language proficiency



Admission Priority



- Foreign nationals who are native speakers of English
- Near-native speakers who are transferring from other international schools
- Siblings of current UST students
- Foreign nationals with beginner level of English who demonstrate strong need for international education

Note: the same priority criteria will apply to students placed on the Waiting List.

Admission Procedures

- School tours and family interviews:
 - October-mid December
- Applications forms due:
 - by first week of January
- Screening and trials:
 - January - mid March
- Acceptance announcements:
 - late March - beginning of April
- Joining fees due date:
 - beginning of May
- Fall term tuition due:
 - beginning of June



Fees & Tuition

- **UST's tuition is 50-60% of other schools**
- **Annual or termly payments**
- **Annual and sibling discounts**
- **Need-based scholarships available for elementary students**





Thank you for your interest in our school!

If you are interested in applying to UST, please [Contact Us](#) to check space availability, view Virtual Tour links and schedule an interview with our Principal to learn more about the school.

