

February 11, 2018

Dear Sempai Applicants:

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Sempai for the Nakayoshi Gakko 2018 summer session. We are excited to begin the selection process and believe you will find the experience rewarding. We seek enthusiast, committed and mature students who want to help make our summer program fun and successful.

The Nakayoshi Gakko 2018 session dates are **Monday**, **June 18 through Friday**, **June 29**. If selected, you will be required to attend an orientation meeting on **Saturday**, **June 9th**. Sempai **must be available for the full two weeks** of the program.

While the Sempai position is fun, it is important to remember that you are there to help the Sensei and participants have a successful program. The students look up to you and learn from your example. We expect you to conduct yourself as a leader and a role model. Sempai applicants must be at least incoming high school sophomores for fall 2018. The Sempai can choose to receive volunteer community service hours <u>or</u> an *orei* (monetary gift) from the school.

You must submit the online application and have 3 references submit the online reference form (send the link below to your reference to complete by March 10). The application and references must be submitted by **Saturday**, **March 10**. Upon receipt of your application and references, we will contact you to schedule an interview. The **interview dates** will be the weekend of **March 17 & 18** (actual date to be determined based on number of applicants) **and Tuesday**, **March 20**. We will check references and/or request information from Nakayoshi Gakko staff if necessary.

If you have any questions, please contact me at yumi_higa@yahoo.com or 408-421-4106. Thank you again for your interest in being a Sempai.

Sempai Application:

https://goo.gl/forms/J27DgU29MtIGIApi1

Reference form (3 References required): https://goo.gl/forms/UTxS0LZH03E85QUK2

Sincerely,
Yumi Higa

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