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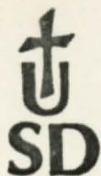
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44 JAPANESE STUDENTS VISIT CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY

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Forty-four women students from the University of the Sacred Heart, Shibuya Campus, Tokyo, attended a special summer session at the University of San Diego, in San Diego, California, USA. The Shibuya Campus is under the direction of the Religious of the Sacred Heart, the same Society of nuns stationed at the University of San Diego.

The students, under the direction of Sr. Helen McHugh, followed an intensive English course and supplemented their studies by attending plays and concerts, visiting art galleries and being entertained by American families. Alumnae of the Sacred Heart who live in San Diego invited the students in groups of four to dine with their families.

Tours of San Diego's historical sights were included in the study program. San Diego is the oldest and second largest city in California. It is the birth place of the Missions founded by Junipero Serra.

The University of San Diego is a private, Catholic university open to persons of all creeds. The 160 acre campus is situated high on a hill overlooking the Pacific Ocean and Mission Bay. The Spanish Renaissance buildings are visible from many parts of the city.

The campus consists of a College of Arts and Sciences and four professional schools: School of Business Administration, School of Education, School of Law and a two year program for registered nurses (RN) who study

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for a Bachelor of Science degree in the Philip Y. Hahn School of Nursing and Allied Health Science. There are attractive residence halls on the campus.

Upon their arrival, the Japanese students were greeted by the President of the University, Dr. Author E. Hughes. Honorary Consul General of Japan at San Diego, Will Hippen, Jr., visited with the students in August.

Upon completion of their studies, the students visited San Francisco, USA, and Vancouver, Canada, before returning to Japan.

Students interested in attending the University of San Diego must first go to a test center and take the TOEFL examination to demonstrate their knowledge of English. With a minimum score of 450, they may apply to the University where they will receive additional classes in English as a second language. To inquire, please write to the Admissions Office, University of San Diego, Alcala Park, San Diego, California 92110, USA.

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