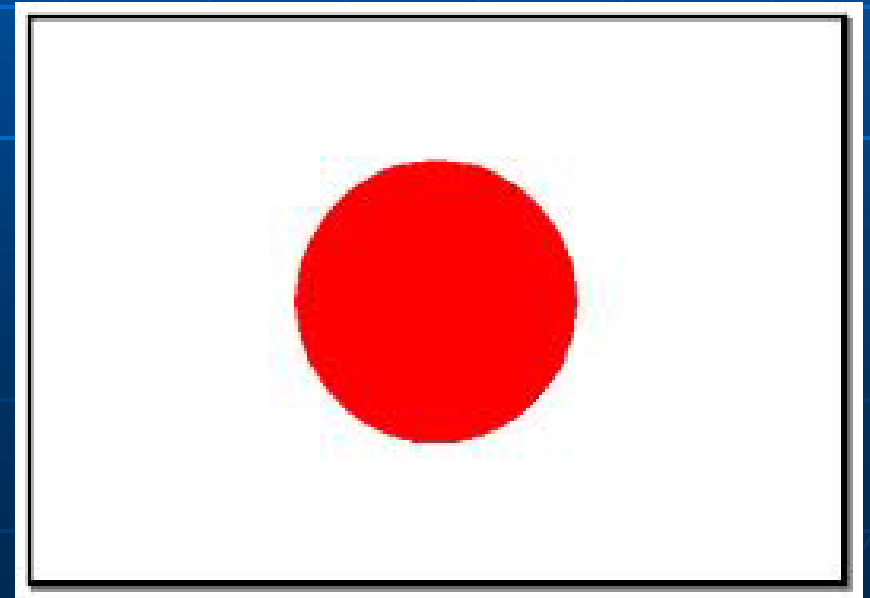


Study in Japan



What Types of Study Abroad?

TYPE	PURPOSE	INSTITUTION	DURATION
Degree and Title	Bachelor's Degree	University	4 years~6 years
	Master's Degree	Graduate School	2 years~
	Doctorate	Graduate School	3 years~
	Associate Degree	Junior College	2 years~3 years
	Diploma	Professional Training School	2 years~3 years
	Advanced Diploma	Professional Training School	4 years~
Short-term Study	Short-term study	Japanese language institution, short-term university program	Few months~1 year
	Exchange Program	University	Less than 1 year
Japanese language proficiency	Language Proficiency	Japanese language institution	Few months~2 years
	Further study	Preparatory Japanese language at private university	1 year~2 years

Where do I Find Programs?



http://www.jasso.go.jp/index_e.html

- Student Guide to Japan (pdf)
- Examination Information
- Scholarship Loan Programs and Fellowships



<http://www.jpss.jp/eng/index.html>

- Student Guide on Life in Japan
- Multiple Search Engines:
 - Graduate School
 - University
 - Junior College
 - Degree Courses in English
 - Special Training College
 - Japanese Language School
 - Scholarship



<http://www.studyjapan.go.jp/en/>

- Monbukagakushō guidelines and past tests
- General Q&A
- Visa/Immigration procedures
- Guide to looking for work

http://www.jasso.go.jp/study_j/asso_asx/english_300k.asx

What are the Unique Benefits of Studying in Japan?

- Quality of Educational Institutions
- Diversity of Educational Institutions
- Rich Culture
- Safe Secure Environment
- Beautiful Environment
- Employment Opportunity
- **Availability of Scholarship**

Government Scholarship Monbukagakusho/MEXT

Category	Maximum Duration
■ Research.....	■ 2 years
■ Undergraduate.....	■ 5 years
■ Special Training Collage.....	■ 3 years
■ Japanese Studies Students.....	■ 1 year
■ Teacher Training....	■ 5 years

Requirements

Research students:

- * Under 35 years of age
- * College graduate (includes prospective graduates)

Requirements

Undergraduate University Students

- * At least 17 and under 22 years of age
- * Completed high school

Requirements

Special Training Collage Students

* Be at least 17 and under 22 years of age

* Majoring in a specialty, i.e.

Telecommunication, Tourism, Design, etc.

List of specialty areas available on web site

Requirements

Japanese Studies Students

- * At least 18 and under 30 years of age
- * Undergraduate at a non-Japanese university majoring in a field related to the Japanese language or culture at the time of arriving in and leaving Japan

** Note: in principle, applicants must have studied at a non-Japanese university for at least one year to be eligible*

Requirements

Teacher Training Students

- * Under 35 and graduate of a collage or teacher training collage.
- * You must have at least five years of active experience as a teacher in your country.

Application Process

Japanese, Teacher Training	Research, Undergraduate, Special Training
Application Dead line: Feb 2010	Application Dead Line: May 2010
Interview/Testing Date: March 2010	Interview/Testing: Jun 2010
Announcement: July 2010 Recipients Departs: September or October	Announcement: December 2010 Recipients Departs: April/September or October

The Award

- National Universities tuition is waved
- Public & Private Universities tuition is Paid by MEXT
- Roundtrip Air fair is provided
- Medical Fee Assistance (health insurance) provided
- Monthly Living stipend

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