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STUDY DESTINATION



JAPAN

Japan, a captivating island nation in Asia, harmoniously blends timeless tradition with cutting-edge innovation. Renowned for its rich cultural heritage, stunning natural landscapes, and technological advancements, From serene temples and gardens to vibrant futuristic cities, it invites you to embark on an enchanting journey where the past and present intertwine.

CLIMATE IN JAPAN

Eastern

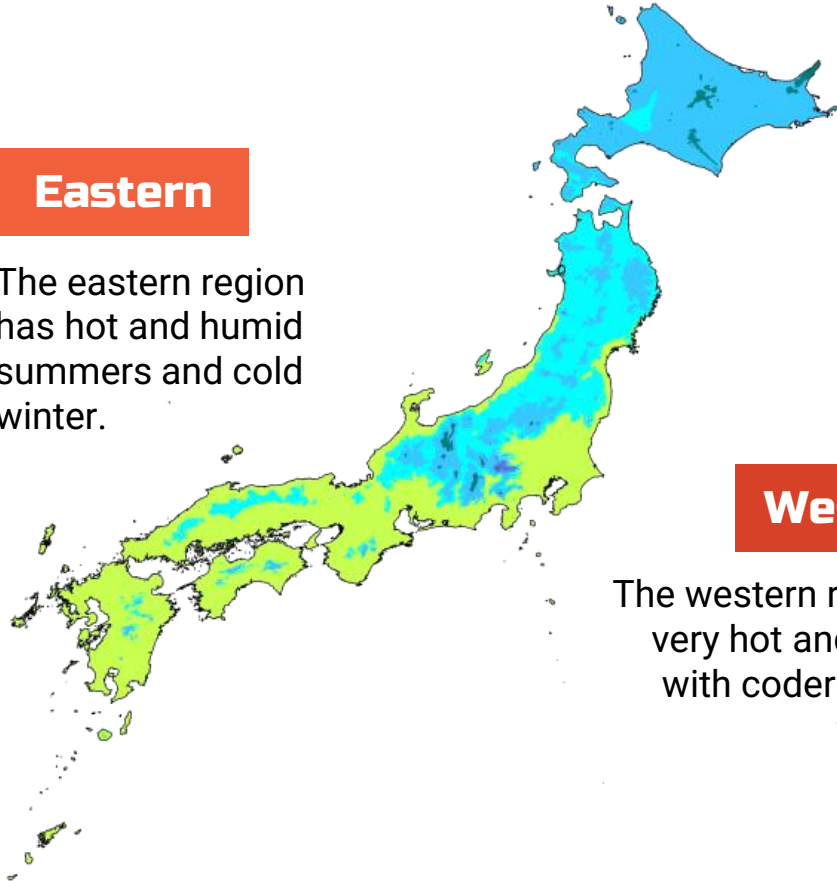
The eastern region has hot and humid summers and cold winter.

Northern

Northern regions are cooler than the southern ones.

Western

The western region is very hot and humid with moderate cold winters.





Culture and Heritage

Japan's culture and heritage are a captivating blend of ancient traditions and rich heritage. With a profound appreciation for beauty, discipline, and attention to detail, Japan showcases its distinct arts, traditional customs, tea ceremonies, exquisite gardens, and historic temples. From the elegant art of geisha to the mesmerizing performances of Noh theater, Japan's culture is a testament to its enduring legacy and a source of inspiration for the world.

SOCIAL SETUP



Japan's social setup emphasizes harmony, respect, and collectivism.

Etiquette, strong work ethic, and traditional gender roles are notable aspects.

The aging population and influential pop culture also shape society. Japan's social dynamics continue to evolve.

Social Class System

Japan's social structure is influenced by factors such as occupation, education, income, and family background.

Japan is socially a very homogenous country but welcomes foreign nationals.

However, Japan values social harmony and emphasizes equality.





Enconomic Structure

Japan has a developed export-oriented economy, with a focus on manufacturing and technology. The service sector is also significant.

Challenges include an aging population and labor market constraints. The government implements policies for growth. Overall Japan has strong global trade relationships



Education Model

The education model in Japan prioritizes academic excellence, discipline, and holistic development.

It includes compulsory education from ages 6 to 15, a rigorous curriculum with emphasis on core subjects, and a strong focus on examinations.

Teachers are highly respected, and there is an emphasis on character education and co-curricular activities.



Specialised Collages

Japan has specialized colleges in various fields such as technology, fashion and design, culinary arts, fine arts, performing arts, sports, and medical and health sciences.

These institutions offer focused education and training in specific areas to prepare students for careers in their respective fields.

How to reach the colleges:-

1. Research and identify colleges of interest.
2. Check admission requirements.
3. Prepare application materials.
4. Submit the application by the deadline.
5. Take any required entrance exams.
6. Attend an interview if necessary.
7. Apply for a student visa.
8. Plan finances for tuition and living expenses.
9. Make travel arrangements and follow college instructions.

Note: Requirements may vary, so check college websites for details.



Basic Documents Required to apply:-



Application form.



Academic transcripts.



Letters of recommendation.



Statement of purpose.



Resume



Language proficiency test scores



Portfolio



Passport-sized photographs.

Note: Specific document requirements may vary

Eligibility Criteria for admission

Eligibility criteria for specialized colleges in Japan typically include:-

- Completion of secondary education
- Language proficiency
- Subject-specific requirements (if applicable)
- Entrance examinations (if applicable)
- Portfolio or audition (for arts programs)
- Personal statement.



Intake and Duration



The main academic intakes for specialized colleges in Japan are in April and September/October.

The academic duration in specialized colleges in Japan varies. Diploma/certificate programs typically last 1-2 years, undergraduate programs last 4 years, and graduate programs range from 2-5 years.

Top Universities

Some of the top universities in Japan according to the QS World Ranking 2023 includes:

- University of Tokyo
- Kyoto University
- Osaka University
- Tokyo Tech
- Tohoku University





Benefits from studying here

**Quality education
with globally
recognized
universities.**

**Cultural immersion
and exposure to a
new, unique and
vibrant culture,
different from India.**

**Enhanced career
opportunities in
Japan's thriving
industries.**



Currency

Japan's currency is the Japanese yen (JPY), while India's currency is the Indian rupee (INR). The exchange rate between these two currencies can be easily done.

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Average fee structure

The average fee structure for colleges in Japan varies. Public universities have lower tuition fees, ranging from around 500,000 to 800,000* JPY per year for undergraduate programs.

Private universities have higher fees around 800,000 to 1,500,000** JPY per year. Keep in mind that these figures are approximate and can vary depending on the institution and program of study.

*approx. 335,000-536,000 INR

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Cuisine

Japanese cuisine is renowned worldwide for its unique flavors, artful presentation, and emphasis on fresh, seasonal ingredients. It is renowned for its diversity and meticulous preparation

Some famous Cuisines are Sushi, Ramen, Miso Soup, Tempura etc.

Traveling Needs



Passport

Passport is a must for international travel as it is a very valid identification.



Visa

Visa would be necessary for a student.

Scholarship Programme



**Monbukagakusho
Scholarship (MEXT)**



**University-specific
scholarships**



**Japan Student Services
Organization (JASSO)**



**Private
scholarships**



Options of working while studying



International students in Japan can work part-time for up to 28 hours per week during regular school periods and full-time during designated school holidays.

Opportunities include part-time jobs off-campus, on-campus positions, internships, and career programs.

Accomodation

Accommodation options for international students in Japan include:

- University dormitories
- Off-campus apartments/flats
- Homestays
- Share houses
- Private dormitories/student residences



Key Challenges

While studying in Japan can be a rewarding experience, there are some key challenges that international students may face:-

- Language barrier
- Cultural adjustment
- Academic demands





Adapting the culture

Adapting to such culture can be hard. These are some points to lead you:

- Respect and politeness
- Punctuality
- Group harmony
- Non-verbal communication
- Dress code
- Food etiquette



Employment



After completing your studies in Japan, there are several avenues for employment that you can explore:

- Technology and Engineering
- Healthcare and Pharmaceuticals
- Education and Language Instruction
- Finance and Banking
- Hospitality and Tourism
- Research and Development



THANKS!

Thank you for listening to my presentation.