

Asia-Kakehashi Project + (Plus) 2023

High School Program in Japan (Full Scholarship)

This program gives you an opportunity to directly experience the education system culture and daily life in Japan. This program also gives you an opportunity to be an ambassador between Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, Thailand, and Japan by bridging mutual understanding between communities and acknowledge each other's life and culture. You will experience and learn about life in Japan and getting a chance to interact directly with your community through enrichment activities arranged by the program.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Duration: **November 2023 - March 2024**
Note: The schedule is subject to change
2. Content: Japanese high school experiences with dormitory or homestay
3. Fee: Full scholarship sponsored by the Japanese Government
4. Support: All participants will be supported by AFS Japan's experienced local volunteers and professional staff during the program in Japan. Pre-program support will be provided by AFS/NGO under the AFS policies and guidelines
5. Applicant must follow our participant agreement
6. Applicant has to write 2 reports to AFS Thailand for informing own progression, one is during program and the other is after program completion
7. After program completion, applicant must make a contribution to their own society or country according to our post-scholarship program plan and report back to AFS Thailand
8. Applicant must follow AFS rules
9. Applicant will receive a certificate of completion when program ending
10. Credit Transfer: we recommend applicant to contact your school whether it is eligible for credit transfer or not
11. It is understood that AFS has the right to cancel or suspend a program at anytime if the applicant violates AFS rules and conditions.



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**APPLICATION NOW
OPEN UNTIL**

19 JULY 2023

HOW TO APPLY
(Go to website www.afsthailand.org)

1. Download application and complete the form
2. Supporting documents (**all must be translated in English**)
 - 2.1 Your photo (stick it in the form)
 - 2.2 Copy of ID or Passport (showing name and date of birth)
 - 2.3 The latest academic year result in 2023, and transcript for the past 2 years (2021-2022) are required
 - 2.4 Copy of vaccination booklet
 - 2.5 One family photo, one photograph of your house/place
 - 2.6 Letter for proof of parent salary statement
 - 2.7 Any documents showing your special abilities and skills
3. Submit application form and supporting documents **respectively in one PDF file only** to email: kakehashi.tha@gmail.com

VIETNAM

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Scholarship has non-negotiable criteria and requirements.
Do not apply for a scholarship unless you fit all criteria and meet all the requirements.

1. Nationality of Vietnamese and residing in home country
2. Born between **April 2, 2005 and April 1, 2008**
3. Currently study at 10th, 11th, 12th grade, or equivalent, and must remain student status until program is finished. Graduated is not accepted
***Non-formal education or homeschooling are not accepted**
4. Obtained minimum of 70% marks in principle in all subjects in the latest examination at school and over all minimum average of 70% marks in all subjects for the past two years
5. Demonstrate strong potential of leadership to act as a bridge between the home country and Japan during and after the program
6. Applicant must never join more than six months of exchange program and not have participated in the ASIA KAKEHASHI program before.
7. Be top quartile and highly motivated in gaining Japanese language skills
8. Be a Japanese learner or to be highly motivated in gaining Japanese language skills
9. Be able and willing to travel unaccompanied abroad
10. Good physical and mental health
11. Be highly motivated in acting as a bridge between the home country and Japan
12. Priority will be given to a students of families with low incomes.

**The interview will be conducted
at the end of June
More details will be informed
by email later.**

