

Japan Study Support Short-Essay Contest 2023

We are excited to announce we will be hosting our first short essay contest as a part of our “Guide to Finding Your University Fair 2023”.

This is a simple contest, where you write a short (350wds in English or 700 characters in Japanese) essay on this topic:

- What I want to learn/ experience in Japan

How to enter:

1. Sign in to your JPSS MYPAGE (forgot your pswd? <https://www.jpss.jp/en/forgot-password/>)
2. Enter the code “**#jpsscontest2023**” under “*Study Abroad Fairs you have gone to in the past*”
3. Write your 350 word (or 700 Japanese Characters) essay in “*Activities History*”
4. Set your “*Scouting Function*” to “ON” (below your profile picture)

Entry Deadline:

Monday October 9th, 2023

Winners:

Winners will be chosen based on originality and composition. We look forward to seeing unique thoughts and perspectives. Winners will be notified directly through the “scouting function”. Winners will have their essays and posted on JPSS media (which is also often seen by many universities). Winners will also have an opportunity of 1hr 1-on-1 counseling with JPSS, where our staff will give you advise on how to realize what you wrote in your essay! (Counseling sessions will be conducted in Japanese or English)

Rules/ Guidelines

- Essays must be your original work. Plagiarism will result in disqualification.
- Be sure to enter code “**#jpsscontest2023**” under “*Study Abroad Fairs you have gone to in the past*” of your MYPAGE or your entry will not be recognized.
- We will only be notifying winners. Notice will be sent out by Oct. 20th. Please set your “*Scouting Function*” on “ON” to receive notice.
- By participating the contest, you agree to have your essay and your name published on Japan Study Support website/ social media platforms.

We await your participation!