

# JAPANESE STUDENT VISITS



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Gold Educational Tours provide fully facilitated, flexible and agile Japanese students group visits, including bilingual support for the entire duration Japanese students are visiting your school.



# Japanese Student Group Visits

Working with Gold Educational Tours removes the uncertainty, workload and stress on teachers and school staff, often associated with hosting international student visits.

We manage all the planning, homestay and visit logistics, while your students and school community enjoy a wealth of benefits simply by hosting students for short school visits, typically ranging from one to five days.



Our visits are designed to complement regular school activities, rather than require unique lesson planning or major deviations from regular school programming.

## Why Participate?

01

The chance for your school community to experience the Japanese culture, language and elevate the international presence of the school.

02

Convenience of a bi-lingual coordinator on-site for the entire duration of the visit to support students, on-site teachers and staff.

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All school day visits are fully coordinated by Gold Educational Tours and schools are remunerated per Japanese student/day of the program.

04

The flexibility and peace of mind of working with a reputable organisation with a longstanding history of successful Japanese student visits.

## Program Timeline

### 3 MONTHS BEFORE STUDENT ARRIVAL

Inform school community about the opportunity to host a student

### 2 MONTHS BEFORE STUDENT ARRIVAL

Submit school info sheet to GOLD with details of student drop-off / pick-up meeting points and bell times.

### 1 MONTHS BEFORE STUDENT ARRIVAL

Submit school timetable to GOLD

**JAPANESE STUDENTS ARRIVE**  
+ 1 week later GOLD remunerates host school

## Key Visit Periods

**TERM 1**  
Feb - March  
1-5 school days

... **TERM 3**  
July - August  
1-5 school days

.... **TERM 4**  
October - December  
1-3 school days

Schools generally host students at school for 1-5 days.



## School Participation

WA schools (primary and secondary taking part in this program)



# 10,700

Approximate number of Japanese students who have participated in our student exchange programs from 2012-2024

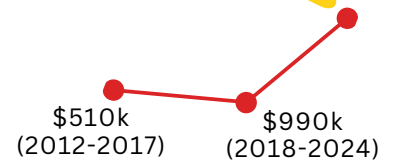
## Financial Benefit



On average schools receive **\$60 per student/day**

# \$1,400,000

Funding to participating schools from 2012-2024



**Working with Gold made hosting Japanese students easy. As a teacher, nearly all of the organising was covered by Gold staff, which made for a smooth exchange that fit our busy teaching schedules.**

SHARON CARLEO - HEAD OF LANGUAGES  
OCEAN REEF SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL



## Service Quality

We are committed to serving our schools. Participating schools agree giving a 5-star rating across service standard, flexibility and the ease of working with us.

# What does the host school do?

### HOST SCHOOLS TAKE CARE OF:

- Arranging a school buddy for each Japanese student.
- Providing a timetable for the duration of the Japanese students' visit.
- Arranging a small farewell gathering for the Japanese students and buddies.\*
- Sharing GOLD's invitation to host with your school community



Attending a local primary or high school in Australia is a highlight of the immersion program for Japanese students. It provides them with an authentic experience of the day-to-day life of an Aussie school student.

# Our growing host family community

GOLD manages the entire homestay program from onboarding and visiting families, arranging Working with Children's clearances, to providing 24/7 bilingual support. GOLD also offers \$50 per night to help cover costs.

Families from within the school community are given priority to host a student if they wish to.

GOLD can also provide an invitation to host flyer, social media templates and a designated [website landing page](#) to manage enquiries.



## GOLD'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- Managing the hosting expressions of interest received from the school community.
- Providing a clear understanding of the hosting experience and role of the host family.
- Meeting with the prospective host families to ensure a safe environment for Japanese students.
- Arranging Working with Children checks for all host family members.
- Approving the prospective host family and updating the host school on a regular basis.
- Providing 24/7 bi-lingual support throughout the course of the Japanese student's immersion period.



## HOST FAMILY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Providing a friendly home environment where the Japanese student feels welcome.
- Involving the Japanese student in their family routine.
- Providing the Japanese student with a place to sleep, three meals a day including a packed lunch & arranging for transportation to and from school by car, accompanied on foot or by public transportation.



## HOST SCHOOL RESPONSIBILITIES

- Promoting the Japanese student group's visit to seek expressions of interest from the school community to host.

## THE GOLD POLICY

GOLD Educational Tour prioritises the welfare of our Japanese students, host families, and host schools. Our programs are meticulously managed and facilitated, with an assurance of no liability to the participating schools. Further details can be found in [GOLD's Public Policies](#) on our website.



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## CONTACT US

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Our team works collaboratively with schools across Western Australia, creating enriching, educational and memorable experiences.

Schools choose to work with us year on year, citing our exceptional service, flexibility and the overall ease of the program.

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### SAFETY & SUPPORT

Gold Educational Tours holds public liability insurance. We are responsible for ensuring that all visiting students and staff have the appropriate travel insurance. Additionally, all visiting students' parents and accompanying teachers accept and sign our Program Agreement, which indemnifies Gold Educational Tours, our host families, employees and host schools against any claim against Gold Educational Tours, unless caused by Gold Educational Tours negligence.