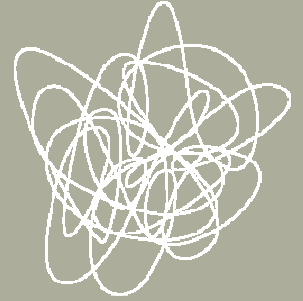




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RESTLESS



Japan

Make Japan your ideal **GAP YEAR** or **EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME**

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Japan

Japan, the country of history and great traditions, cherry blossoms, Mount Fujiyama, beautiful gardens to rest and meditate in, fabulous food made by highly trained chefs, real sushi and sashimi, geishas, tea ceremonies, magnificent architecture. Walk through the streets of Tokyo bustling with people, alive and vibrant.

There is always a demand for aupairs and those with a qualification are highly valued.

Age Group: 18-30. Single Males and Females

Education: Completed year 12 or higher

Childcare Experience: Minimum 200. This can be any fairly regular interaction with children not related to you, up to age 12. Applicants with professional childcare experience are welcome on this program.

Period of commitment: 6 month placements which can be extended for a further 6 months, all year round.

Visa: 6 month Working Holiday Visa which can be extended for a further 6 months on application.

Au Pair Applicants to Japan must speak English well as families wish their children to learn to speak English. A knowledge of Japanese, whilst not a requirement, would be an asset.

All positions are live in. All Salaries are quoted net of tax unless otherwise advised. You pay your own return airfare and if travelling with the WH Visa, provide your own health insurance cover.

AU PAIR

- Work for 35 hours per week.
- Childcare which will include supervision, playing games, meals and baths.
- Light housework which can include ironing, dusting, vacuuming.
- Baby sit for 2 evenings per week.
- Be a non smoker
- Be willing to learn to speak Japanese and not to expect everyone to speak English
- Be willing to attend Japanese language classes.
- Be willing and able to adapt to another culture

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- Useful to have a valid driving license but not a requirement

YOU GET

- Your own comfortable room.
- Full board and lodge, You may have to cook for yourself depending on the family's life style
- 1.5 days free per week, one usually a Sunday.
- Be paid an allowance of YEN10,000 [AU\$122] per week
- 2 weeks paid vacation per year
- Full back up and support from JCR's associate in Japan
- Full back up and support from JCR Head Office, Australia
- Telephone numbers of other aupairs.

AUPAIR GENERAL INFORMATION

Unless you already speak Japanese or have a very good working knowledge of the language, maybe having learned the language in high school or tertiary education, you are required to attend Japanese language classes.

Aupairs will, of course, hear Japanese spoken all around you and you can ask the host parents to speak to you in basic Japanese so that you learn quickly. By the end of your GAP YEAR you could be speaking Japanese really well if not fluently.

We suggest that all applicants have at least 200 words of basic Japanese before they leave especially if they have not studied Japanese in either high school or at tertiary level.

Knowing some vocabulary will help you to settle in.

The Working Holiday visa to Japan takes about 1 week to be issued. You will have to show the Japanese consulate that you have an amount of AU\$2500 available to you to maintain yourself initially. Further information and how to apply will be provided.

Apply for this country 4 months in advance of when you wish to go

The amount paid to you is pocket money and should be accepted as that. Should you wish to travel in Japan, take additional money with you or a credit/debit card.

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There is always a demand for aupairs and those with a qualification are highly valued. Families will give preference to applicants with the JCR aupair/childminding certificate. Obtain your aupair certificate now through the on-line JCR Aupair course. Benefit by being given priority placement.

WHAT ARE THE COSTS

Commitment Fee:

\$200 paid to RESTLESS when completing the pre-application form

Placement Fee:

\$950 on placement with a family, paid to JCR

If your complete application reaches JCR offices by the date JCR specifies when you start an application, you will be in line for the JCR "Early Bird" discount of \$100 off the placement fee and pay only \$850.

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