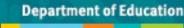
# Department of Education International Global Engagement

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# **Global Engagement**

The Global Engagement team within the Department of Education International (DEi) offers opportunities to students, teacher and leaders to become globally competent citizens through immersive online, inbound and outbound opportunities.



# Equity and Excellence

A progressive, high performing education system realising the potential of every student.



### The Department of Education International

**Global Engagement Prizes and Programs** 

The Department of Education is committed to fostering Queensland's global education footprint, empowering students and teachers with the skills needed for an interconnected future. Through strategically designed prizes and programs, we advance global competence, encouraging deeper cultural awareness and international collaboration.

#### **PRIZES**

The Premier's Anzac Prize, offers students in Years 9–12 the opportunity to explore Australia's Anzac legacy through immersive learning experiences and a commemorate tour of memorial sites in Europe



#### OUTBOUND

The Tolyo Global Gateway
Program enables teachers to
showcase Queensland's education
system by delivering STEAM lessons
to Japanese students,
fostering cross cultural learning
and capability development.





The Shanghai International Sister Cities Youth Camp provides Year 11 students with a unique opportunity to immersive themselves in Chinese culture whilst connecting with like-minded peers from around the world.



#### INBOUND

The Taiwan Teacher Assistant
Program provides opportunities for
schools to host Taiwanese teacher
assistants who are committed to
bringing Chinese language and
culture to Queensland classrooms.

#### RECIPROCAL



The Osaka Global Teacher
Program offers Japanese
language teachers a tailored
professional development experience
to enhance their pedagogy and deepen
their und erstanding of Japanese culture.



The STEM Japan Global Student program is a reciprocal initiative, encouraging Year 10 students to engage in hands-on STEM experiences abroad. It promotes international collaboration by sharing Queensland's advancements in STEM education.



The Kobe Brisbane Student Program provides Brisbane schools with the chance to participate in a reciprocal exchange, strengthening sister city ties and enriching students' global competence and cultural awareness.



The Saitama Global Student
Program strengthens the sister
state relationship between
Queensland and Saitama by providing
a reciprocal exchange program for Year 11
students, focusing on cultural and
language-based experiences.

The STEM Taiwan Global Student Program immerses Year 10 students in dynamic hands-on STEM experiences, whilst providing them opportunities to enhance their Chinese language skills.

The StuditaliA Prize celebrates excellence in Italian language learning, offering students in Year 11 and 12 the chance to enhance their language skills, explore Italy's rich heritage and build connections with

local communities.



The Lotus Creative Arts Prize celebrates the talent and dedication of students in Years 9 and 10 who are passionate about visual arts, drama, music, dance and media, providing an opportunity for immersi on in cultural experiences that foster creativity and artistic growth.



The Iwasaki Sangyo Business Prize provides students in Year 9 and 10 a unique opportunity to gain entrepreneurial skills through industry visits and immersion in la panese business practices.



#### VIRTUAL



The Global Learning Program pairs Queensland teachers with international peers for an online professional development opportunity, where they collaborate to create resources that foster global competence and cross-cultural connections.



The Queensland Future
School Leaders Program provides
students in Year 5 the opportunity
to connect online with peers from Asia
as they develop leadership, global
competence and communication skills.



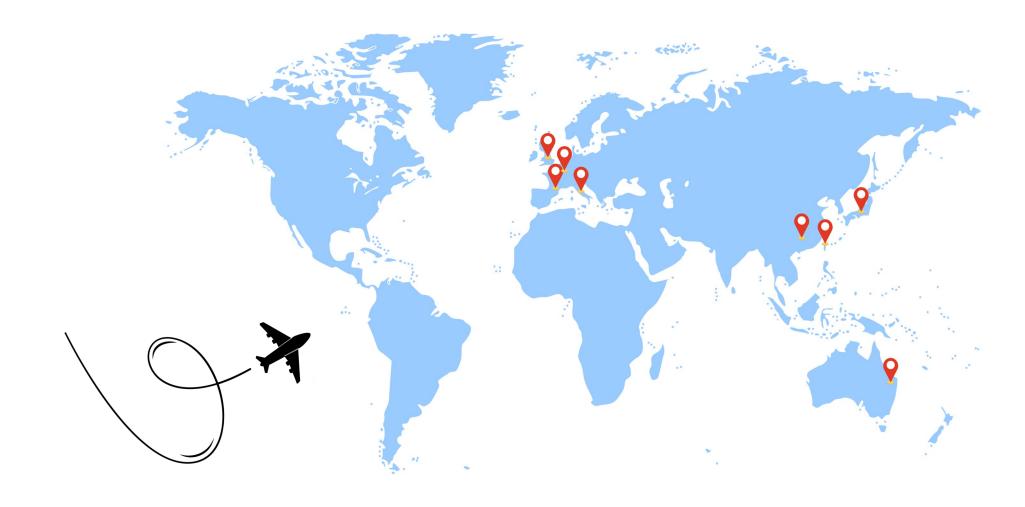
The Global Passport:
Explore the world in 5 days
online program aims to build the global
competence of students in years
4–6, preparing them to thrive in
an increasingly interconnected world.



The Beginner Language Bootcamp offers students in Years 4–6 a one-week online introduction to a new language, inspiring interest and motivation to pursue language studies in high school.

# **Opportunities for Students**

Japan China Taiwan Europe



# **Shanghai Sister Cities Youth Camp**



 Eligibility: Queensland state school students in Year 11 with an interest in leadership, and Chinese language and culture

• Travel Dates: July 2025

• Location: Shanghai

 Positions: Students (numbers by invitation from Shanghai Municipal Education Commission) & 2 chaperones

Application Dates: Term 1 2025

# **Tokyo Experience School**



 Eligibility: Queensland state school Year 10 students enrolled in a rural or remote school, studying Japanese language

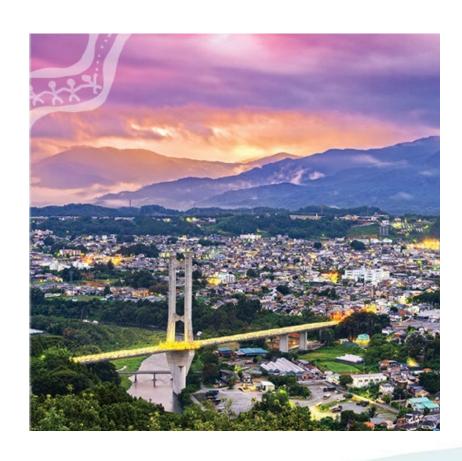
• Travel Dates: July 2025

Location: Tokyo

Positions: Students (numbers by invitation from Tokyo Metropolitan Board of Education) & 2 chaperones

Application Dates: Term 1 2025

# Saitama Global Student Program



• Eligibility: Queensland state school Year 11 students studying Japanese language

• Travel Dates: September 2025

Location: Saitama

• Positions: 6 students & 2 chaperones

• Application Dates: Term 1 2025

### **Lotus Creative Arts Prize**



- Eligibility: Queensland state and non-state students in Years 9 & 10 studying Creative Arts subjects
- Travel Dates: September 2025
- Location: Shanghai
- Positions: 8 students & 2 chaperones
- Application Dates: Term 1 2025

# STEM Japan Global Student Program



- Eligibility: Queensland state school Year 10 students studying STEM subjects
- Travel Dates: December 2025
- Location: Hiroshima & Kyoto
- Positions: 13 students & 2 chaperones
- Application Dates: Term 1 Term 2 2025

# STEM Taiwan Global Student Program



 Eligibility: Queensland state school students in Year 10 studying Chinese and STEM subjects

• Travel Dates: December 2025

Location: Taipei City

• Positions: 10 students & 2 chaperones

Application Dates: Term 1 – Term 2 2025

### **StuditaliA** Prize



- Eligibility: Queensland state and non-state students in Year 11 & 12 studying Italian language
- Travel Dates: January 2026
- Location: Italy
- Positions: 9 students & 1 chaperone
- Application Dates: Term 1 Term 2 2025

# Iwasaki Sangyo Business Prize



 Eligibility: Queensland state and non-state school students in Year 9 & 10 studying Business and/or Economics

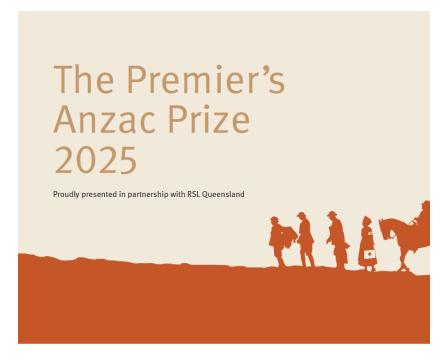
• Travel Dates: July 2026

Location: Tokyo & Kagoshima

Positions: 8 students & 2 chaperones

Application Dates: Term 1 – Term 4 2025

### **Premier's Anzac Prize**







- Eligibility: Queensland state and non-state students in Year 9 to 12 (at time of travel) with an interest in history and Anzac legacy
- Travel Dates: April 2026
- Location: England, France & Belgium
- Positions: 8 students & 2 chaperones
- Application Dates: To be advised

# **Opportunities for Teachers**

**Professional Development** Chaperone **Virtual** 

# **Tokyo Global Gateway Teacher Program**



Eligibility: Queensland state school teachers

• Travel Dates: 5 x 12-week intakes

Location: Tokyo

Positions: 2 teachers per intake

Application Dates: Term 1 – Term 2 2025

# Osaka Global Teacher Program



Eligibility: Queensland state school teachers

• Travel Dates: January 2026

Location: Osaka

Positions: 5 teachers

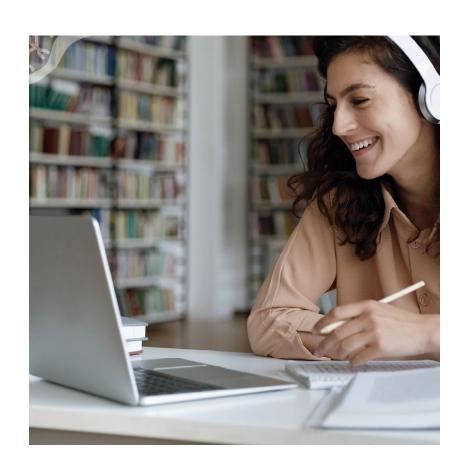
Application Dates: Term 1 – Term 2 2025

• Important: The program is delivered in Japanese with very limited instructions provided in English. Intermediate / high level of Japanese language proficiency (equivalent to Japanese Language Proficiency Test rating of N4 External link or higher) is needed to complete this program successfully.

# 2025 Chaperone Opportunities

- Iwasaki Sangyo Business Prize (state and non-state)
- STEM Japan Global Student Program (state)
- Saitama Global Student Program (state)
- Tokyo Experience School (state)
- Lotus Creative Arts Prize (state and non-state)
- Shanghai Sister Cities Youth Camp (state)
- STEM Taiwan Global Student Program
- StuditaliA Prize (state and non-state)
- Premier's Anzac Prize (state and non-state)

# **Global Learning Program**



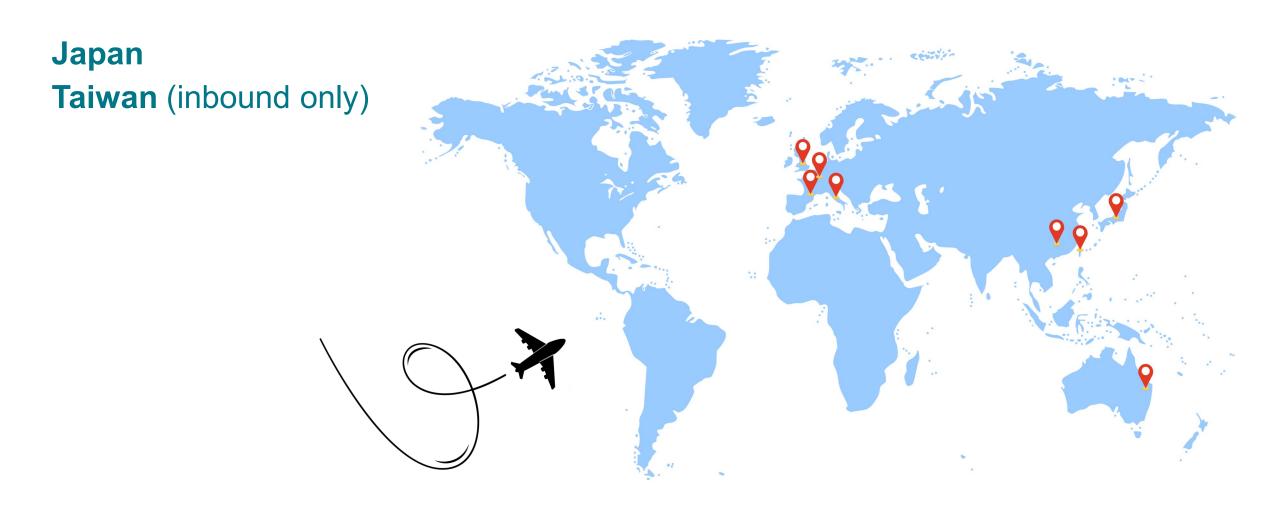
• Eligibility: Queensland state school teachers

• **Program Dates:** Term 2 – 4 2025

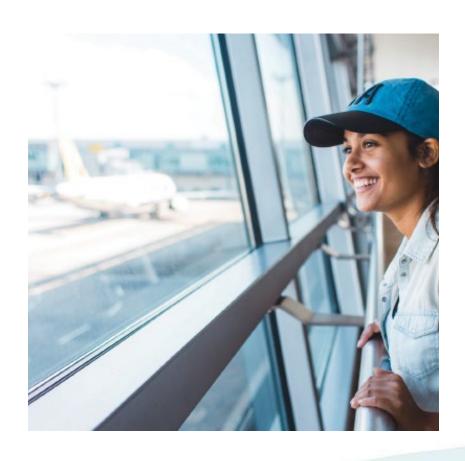
• Location: Online

• Application Dates: Term 1 2025

# **Opportunities for Schools**



# Kobe Brisbane Student Program



• Eligibility: State high schools in the Brisbane Local Government Area, with students in Year 8 & 9 studying Japanese and the ability to reciprocally host Kobe high school students and teachers

### Travel Dates:

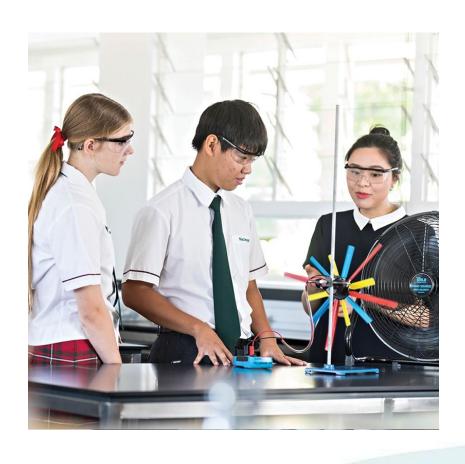
Inbound – August 2025 Outbound – September 2025

Location: Kobe

Positions: 8 students & 2 chaperones

Application Dates: Term 1 – Term 2 2025

# **Taiwan Teacher Assistant Program**



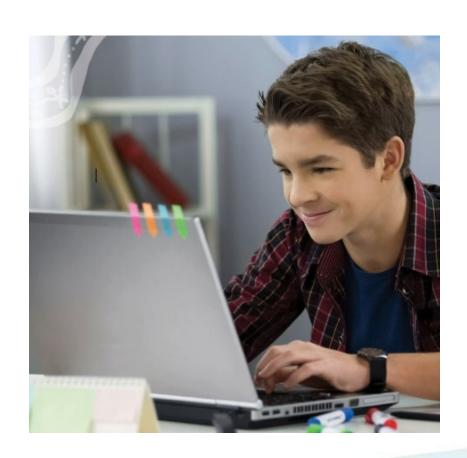
- Eligibility: State high schools in the Metropolitan North, Metropolitan South, North Coast or South East region who have or which to establish a Chinese (Mandarin) language program
- Travel Dates: January June 2026 (inbound only)
- Location: Queensland
- Positions: Up to 2 Taiwanese teaching assistants
- Application Dates: Term 1 Term 2 2025

# Virtual Opportunities

**Students** 



## Beginner Language Experience



Eligibility: Queensland state school students in Year 4-6

Program Dates:
 April 2025 school holidays
 September 2025 school holidays

Location: Online

Application Dates:
 Term 1 2025 (April delivery)
 Term 2 2025 (September delivery)

## **Queensland Future School Leaders Program**



Eligibility: Queensland state school Year 5 students

• Program Dates: Term 4 2025

Location: Online

• Application Dates: Term 1 – Term 2 2025

### Global Passport: Explore the world in 5 days



• Eligibility: Queensland state school students in Year 4-6

Program Dates: January 2026

Location: Online

• Application Dates: Term 4 2025

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