Japan-East Asia Network of Exchange for Students and Youths (JENESYS) Programme 2011 Summary of Feedback from Student Delegates

Duration of Visit: 13 December 2011 to 21 December 2011 (9 days)

Places visited in Japan: Tokyo and Kumamoto

No. of Evaluation Form received from student delegates: 46 (100%)

- Overall, I was satisfied with this 1. activity. (Overall Rating)
- 2. The objective(s) of the activity was/were achieved.
- 3. The content was relevant to the subject area of the activity.
- 4. Overall, I was satisfied with the arrangement made by the Japanese reception parties.
- 5. The attachment to the Japanese schools was rewarding.
- 6. The organisation of home stay with Japanese students nurtured the friendship among us and kept us closer.

Level of satisfaction					Total	Average
5(Max)	4	3	2	1(Min)	No	Level
29	17	0	0	0	46	4.6
(63%)	(37%)				(100 %)	
21	25	0	0	0	46	4.5
(45.7%)	(54.3%)				(100 %)	
24	18	4	0	0	46	4.4
(52.2%)	(39.1%)	(8.7%)			(100 %)	
26	18	2	0	0	46	4.5
(56.5%)	(39.1%)	(4.4%)			(100 %)	
25	17	2	0	1	45	4.4
(54.3%)	(36.9%)	(4.4%)		(2.2%)	(97.8%)	
33	10	2	0	1	46	4.6
(71.7%)	(21.7%)	(4.4%)		(2.2%)	(100 %)	
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7. Recommend the programme to schoolmates: Y_{es} : 46 (100%)

No: 0 (0%)

100% No: 0 (0%)		
Reason for recommendations*	No. of response	Percentage
(i) to learn more about the Japanese lifestyle / culture	21	45.7%
(ii) to make new friends	12	26.1%
(iii) to gain valuable experience	11	23.9%
(iv) to broaden their horizon	9	19.6%
(v) some activities / places can only be arranged by this Progra	mme 3	6.5%
(vi) rewarding home stay experience	2	4.4%
(vii) exciting and unforgettable school visits	2	4.4%
(viii) a chance to develop communication and cooperation skills	2	4.4%
(viii) pleasant welcoming by Japanese	1	2.2%
(ix) good accommodation and meals	1	2.2%
(x) to practise Japanese language	1	2.2%
(xi) to learn to take care of themselves	1	2.2%
(xii) a chance to cooperate with Hong Kong students from other	schools 1	2.2%
(xiii) a marvelous, enlightening and extraordinary trip	1	2.2%
Suggested improvements* :	No. of response	Percentage
(i) More time should be allocated to ask as wisits	22	47 00/

8.	Sugg	gested improvements* :	No. of response	Percentage
	(i)	More time should be allocated to school visits.	22	47.8%
	(ii)	Duration of home stay should be longer.	21	45.7%
	(iii)	Duration of the trip should be longer.	9	19.6%

		<u>N</u>	No. of response	Percentage
	(iv)	Schedule of school visits should be announced in advance.	3	6.5%
	(v)	Schedule of the trip should be announced earlier.	2	4.4%
	(vi)	There should be more time for sharing with Japanese students	s. 2	4.4%
	(vii)	Students of the same group should not be further divided.	2	4.4%
	(viii)	School visits should have less special arrangements so that		
		students can truly experience Japanese school life.	2	4.4%
	(ix)	Better communication is needed to prevent some chaos.	1	2.2%
	(x)	Smaller portion of food preferred, much food was wasted.	1	2.2%
	(xi)	More historical and cultural background can be provided in the	raining 1	2.2%
	(xii)	The performance rehearsal time needs to be longer.	1	2.2%
	(xiii)	Shinkasen is preferred when traveling from Tokyo to Kuman	noto. 1	2.2%
	(xvi)	There should be less transportation time.	1	2.2%
	(xv)	It is better to conduct the programme during school holiday.	1	2.2%
9.	Other	comments / suggestions*		
	(a)	Comments:		
	(i)	The schedule was too tight.	6	13%
	(ii)	Home stay was excellent and special.	3	6.5%
	(iii)	The souvenirs for Japanese students should be more attractive	e. 2	4.4%
	(iv)	There should be more time for sight-seeing and buying souve	enirs. 2	4.4%
	(v)	The museum exhibiting Chinese history was precious.	1	2.2%
	(vi)	Visits with the host family were good chances to practise lang	guages. 1	2.2%
	(vii)	Translators were professional and helpful.	1	2.2%
	(viii)	The Japanese reception parties were very nice and friendly.	1	2.2%
	(ix)	The organization by the Japanese parties was good.	1	2.2%
	(x)	Hotels were comfortable.	1	2.2%
	(xi)	Meals were fantastic.	1	2.2%
	(xii)	Deep-fried food was unhealthy, especially before singing per	formance.1	2.2%
	(xiii)	It's not appropriate to include so many buffet meals and		
		extravegant food in the journey.	1	2.2%
	(xiv)	Thank everyone for making the trip an enjoyable one.	1	2.2%
	(b)	Suggestions:		
	(i) .	It is hoped that the programme will continue.	4	8.7%
	. ,	Visiting Mt. Fuji can be one of the activities.	1	2.2%
	. ,	Students can be given more freedom at the last night of the trip		2.2%
		Experience sharing meetings among participants of different y		2.22
		can be arranged.	1	2.2%

(*A student may give more than 1 comment or suggestion.)

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Japan-East Asia Network of Exchange for Students and Youths (JENESYS) Programme 2011 Summary of Feedback from Leader and Teacher Chaperons

Duration of Visit:13 December 2011 to 21 December 2011 (9 days)Places visited in Japan: Tokyo and KumamotoNo. of Evaluation Forms received from the leader and teacher chaperons:5 (100 %)

- 1. Overall, I was satisfied with this activity. (Overall Rating)
- 2. The objective(s) of the activity was/were achieved.
- 3. The content was relevant to the subject area of the activity.
- 4. Overall, I was satisfied with the arrangement made by the Japanese reception parties.
- 5. The attachment to the Japanese schools was rewarding.
- 6. The organisation of home stay with Japanese students nurtured the friendship among us and kept us closer.

Level of satisfaction			Total	Average		
5(Max)	4	3	2	1(Min)	No	Level
3	2	0	0	0	5	4.6
(60 %)	(40 %)				(100 %)	
1	4	0	0	0	5	4.2
(20%)	(80%)				(100 %)	
2	3	0	0	0	5	4.4
(40 %)	(60 %)				(100 %)	
3	2	0	0	0	5	4.6
(60 %)	(40 %)				(100 %)	
0	5	0	0	0	5	4
	(100 %)				(100 %)	
1	2	0	0	0	3	4.3
(20 %)	(40 %)				(60 %)	

7.	Recom	mend the programme to colleagues:	Yes: 5 (100%)	No: 0	(0%)
	Reason	for recommendations*	<u>No. of</u>	<u>respons</u> e	Percentage
	(i)	a good chance to widen students' and teachers	' horizon	4	80%
	(ii)	to benefit teaching life		1	20%
	(iii)	a chance to experience and learn from Japanes	se school system	1	20%
	(iv)	to meet friends from different schools		1	20%
8.	Suggeste	ed improvements			
	(i)	Duration of home stay can be longer.		2	40%
	(ii)	Duration of school visit should be longer.		2	40%
	(iii)	The delegates should visit schools of higher st	andard.	2	40%
	(iv)	The schedule should be less tight to allow more	re time for debriefing.	1	20%
	(v)	The same group should get on the same coach	if possible.	1	20%
	(vi)	The same group should not be divided into tw	o during meal time.	1	20%
9.	Other co	mments/ suggestion*			
	(a) <u>Co</u>	omments:			
	(i)	The trip was well-organized.		1	20%
	(ii)	The six training sessions before the trip were	very fruitful.	1	20%
	(iii)	The length of the programme was appropriate		1	20%
	(iv)	Thanks to EDB, especially Mr Choy and Ms I	Kwan	1	20%
	(b) <u>Sı</u>	aggestion:			
	(i)	Set up a network for all the students and teach	ers who had participat	ted	
		in this Programme for sharing experience and	implementing cultura	1	
		exchange programmes		1	20%

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ez	xchange programmes							1	2
(* Each person	n may give more than 1	comm	ent o	r suggestio	n.)				