## Japan-East Asia Network of Exchange for Students and Youths (JENESYS) Programme 2010 Summary of Feedback from Student Delegates

Duration of Visit: 22 June2010 to 30 June (9 days)

Places visited in Japan: Tokyo and Aomori

No. of Evaluation Form received from student delegates: 46 (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
22	22	2	0	0	46	4.4
(47.8 %)	(47.8 %)	(4.4 %)			(100 %)	
18	25	3	0	0	46	4.3
(39.1 %)	(54.4 %)	(6.5 %)			(100 %)	
13	28	5	0	0	46	4.2
(28.2 %)	(60.9 %)	(10.9 %)			(100 %)	
22	23	1	0	0	46	4.5
(47.8 %)	(50.0 %)	(2.2 %)			(100 %)	
32	13	1	0	0	46	4.7
(69.6 %)	(28.2 %)	(2.2 %)			(100 %)	
29	15	2	0	0	46	4.6
(63.0 %)	(32.6 %)	(4.4 %)			(100 %)	

## 7 Recommend the programme to schoolmates:

(a) Yes:45 (97.8%)

	Reason for recommendations*	No. of response	<u>Percentage</u>
(i)	a good chance to know more about the Japanese lifestyle / cultu	ure 30	65.2%
(ii)	to make new friends	19	41.3%
(iii)	broaden their horizon	11	23.9%
(iv)	some activities / places can only be arranged by this Programm	ie 8	17.4%
(v)	great chance to meet Japanese host family	4	8.8%
(vi)	conducive to personal growth	4	8.8%
(vii)	a good chance to visit schools outside Hong Kong	1	2.2%
(viii)	to see the beautiful landscape of Japan	1	2.2%
(ix)	to enhance Japan-China relationship	1	2.2%

**(b)** No: 1 (2.2 %)

## Reasons

(i) English should be used more in the Programme as the main medium 1 2.2% of communication. It is difficult to recommend the programme to international school students as they usually speak English.

8.	Sugg	ested improvements* (No. of responses):	No. of response	Percentage
	(i)	duration of home stay should be longer	33	71.7%
	(ii)	more time should be allocated to school visits	11	23.9%
	(iii)	duration of the trip should be longer	10	21.7%
	(iv)	to reduce transportation time by arranging visiting spots which are close to one and other	7	15.2%
	(v)	should allow more time to visit a place rather than visiting many places in a short time	5	10.9%
	(vi)	the itinerary and the arrangements should be announced earlier	4	8.7%
	(vii)	the trip should be held in July to avoid clashes with examination in schools; pre-trip practices affect examinations in school	ons 3	6.5%
	(viii)		2	4.4%
	(ix)	more free time arranged for students	2	4.4%
	$(\mathbf{x})$	there should be fewer performances	1	2.2%
	(xi)	less change of hotels	1	2.2%
	(xii)	more fruit and vegetables in the diet	1	2.2%
	(xiii)	should arrange more visits to places that Japanese people love to go for better understanding of the daily life of the Japanese and more communication with them	1	2.2%
9.		comments / suggestions*		
	` /	Comments:		
	(i)	the trip is well arranged	2	4.3%
	(ii)	the variety of activities is large	1	2.2%
	(iii)	the translation staff are good	1	2.2%
	(iv)	the local people are very nice and willing to help	1	2.2%
	(v)	things are going smoothly with the assistance from teachers, co-operation between students and the excellent service offered by local tour guides and translators	1	2.2%
	(vi)	the awareness of environmental protection in Japan is high	1	2.2%
	<b>(b)</b>	Suggestion:		2.224
	(i)	to hold the trip earlier, say May, when the weather is suitable fo outings	for 1	2.2%

<sup>\*</sup> A student may give more than 1 comment or suggestion.

## Japan-East Asia Network of Exchange for Students and Youths (JENESYS) Programme 2010 Summary of Feedback from Leader and Teacher Chaperons

Duration of Visit: 22 June 2010 to 30 June 2010

Places visited in Japan: Tokyo and Aomori

No. of Evaluation Forms received from student delegates: 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
5	0	0	0	0	5	5.0
(100 %)					(100 %)	
5	0	0	0	0	5	5.0
(100 %)					(100 %)	
4	1	0	0	0	5	4.8
(80 %)	(20 %)				(100 %)	
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4	1	0	0	0	5	4.8
(80 %)	(20 %)				(100 %)	

Reco	mmend the programme to schoolmates: Y	es: 5 (100%)	No: 0	
Reas	on for recommendations*	No. of	response	Percentage
(i)	provide opportunities for both teachers and studen	ts to	2	40%
	explore and compare different culture between Jap and Hong Kong	oan		
(ii)	a good chance to widen students' horizon		1	20%
(iii)	a good chance to establish social network among s	tudents	1	20%
(iv)	a valuable opportunity to visit places one can neve	r do in	1	20%
	other Japan tours			
Sugges	sted improvements			
-	<u> •</u>		3	60%
			1	20%
(iii)	• 1 • 1	re too deluxe)	1	20%
, ,	would be better	,		
(iv)	more training about "common sense" (like being p	ounctual,	1	20%
	considerate about others such as paying attention t	o the escort guide)	;	
	disciplinary actions should be taken if students fail	to behave well		
Other	comments / suggestions*			
(i)	thanks to EDB		2	40%
(ii)		l	1	20%
(iii)	all activities are held according to schedule		1	20%
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