

Australia-Japan Foundation (AJF) Grants

Provides funding for innovative proposals relevant to the objectives and key themes of the Australia-Japan Foundation.

The Australia-Japan Foundation (AJF) seeks to advance Australia's engagement with Japan by supporting people-to-people linkages, promoting a contemporary image of Australia in Japan, and facilitating informed discussion on key bilateral foreign and trade policy issues.

The objectives of the Australia-Japan Foundation are:

- To increase awareness and understanding in Japan of shared interests with Australia
- To increase awareness and understanding in Australia of the importance of Japan to Australia as an economic and strategic partner
- To increase recognition in Japan of Australian excellence and expertise.

Priority areas for the 2025 round are:

- Society, culture and sport
- Economic diplomacy and geopolitics
- Education and Australian studies
- Scientific innovation
- Communication, information and advocacy.

Core principles

- Gender equality
- Recognition/inclusion of First Nations people
- Recognition/inclusion of diversity.

To be eligible you must be one of the following entity types:

- An Australian entity with an Australian Business Number (ABN), Australian Company Number (ACN), or Indigenous Corporation Number (ICN)
- An Australian consortium with a lead organisation
- An Australian registered charity or not-for-profit organisation
- An Australian local government body
- An Australian State/Territory government body
- A corporate Commonwealth entity
- An Australian statutory authority
- An Australian or permanent resident of Australia
- A Japanese citizen or organisation.

Link

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Status

Open

Provider

Australian Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade

Amount

\$10,000 - \$80,000

Round 1

Opens: 29 Mar 2022

Closes: 10 May 2022

Round 2

Opens: 11 Aug 2023

Closes: 15 Sep 2023

Round 3

Opens: 17 Jul 2024

Closes: 21 Aug 2024

Round 4

Opens: 31 Mar 2025

Closes: 06 May 2025

Location

- International
- National

Who Can Apply

- Government
- Non-Government
- Education
- Health
- Community Groups
- Sporting Clubs
- Businesses
- Individual
- Other

Co-contribution Required?

Yes

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