

# Guideline of the Contest for Participating in JENESYS 2018

1 August 2018  
Embassy of Japan in Cambodia

## 1. Outline

- (1) The Embassy, in cooperation with the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport and the Cambodia-Japan Cooperation Center (CJCC), will conduct the Contest to select 20 participants for a youth exchange program, JENESYS 2018.
- (2) All the 3rd academic year students of universities in Cambodia can apply for the Contest regardless of their major subjects. Applicants are required to make a group of 4 students and submit all the necessary documents to the Embassy by 7 September 2018.
- (3) The Embassy will conduct the first selection and announce the maximum 48 nominated applicants (12 groups) to the Final Contest on 28 September 2018.
- (4) The nominated applicants to the Final Contest will make a presentation under the theme of "**The future of Cambodia in 30 years**" in Khmer language on 25 October 2018 at 14:00 at CJCC. The Embassy and judges will select 20 students of 5 groups as the participants of JENESYS 2018 in the Final Contest.

## 2. Schedule

Date	Schedule	Venue
7 September 2018	Deadline of application	
from 8 to 27 September 2018	First selection by the Embassy	Embassy of Japan
28 September 2018	Announcement of the nominated applicants to the Final Contest	On the Embassy's website and Facebook
25 October 2018 at 14:00	Final Contest	CJCC
from 22 to 29 January 2019	Visit Japan under JENESYS 2018	

\*schedule is subject to change.

## 3. Requirements

**Applicants are required to apply as a group which consists of 4 students who meet all the requirements listed below. Applicants are allowed to make a group with students from different universities.**

- (1) Bona fide citizens of Cambodia
- (2) 18 - 35 years old as of 29 January 2019
- (3) **3<sup>rd</sup> year students of the academic year 2018 - 2019 of universities in Cambodia**, and those who are interested in or hope to study or research Japanese language or Japanese culture
- (4) **Those who have never been to Japan and have no plan to go to Japan for studying or training before 31 March 2019**
- (5) Must be in good health\*  
\*Some persons suffering from chronic diseases (diagnosed or undiagnosed) may be accepted by obtaining medical certificate and/or declaration of consent. Pregnant person cannot join the program.
- (6) Those who are available to participate in both the Final Contest on 25 October 2018 and JENESYS program from 22 to 29 January 2019

- (7) Those who must commit to cooperate for the questionnaires during and after the program, to share and disseminate both information on Japan and their experiences of the program by social networking service (SNS) etc., and have a Facebook account with active postings
- (8) Those who hold passport or can prepare passport by the middle of December 2018

#### **4. Application**

- (1) Applicants are required to submit **originals** of all the necessary documents **of all members of the group** listed below to Culture and Information Section, Embassy of Japan in Cambodia **by 7 September 2018 at 16:30. Only in the case all members of the group are not living in Phnom Penh**, applicants are allowed to submit scanned copies by email (info.jpn@pp.mofa.go.jp), but they are required to submit the originals at the Final Contest if they are nominated to the Final Contest.
  - (a) **Application form** (applicants can download it on the Embassy's website)
  - (b) **Certificate of 3<sup>rd</sup> year students of the academic year 2018-2019 of universities in Cambodia** such as Certificate of enrollment or copy of student ID card
  - (c) **Certificate of transcript of 2<sup>nd</sup> academic year (both 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester) of universities**
- (2) **The Embassy does not accept any application and documents after the deadline or in case all the necessary documents of all members of the group have not been prepared when candidates submit to the Embassy. The Embassy strongly recommends all candidates to prepare and submit them in enough time well in advance.**
- (3) Applicants are required to come to the window of the Section and submit directly to the staff of the Section. Applicants are required to bring their ID cards to enter the Embassy.
- (4) The Embassy does not return any submitted documents even if applicants fail at the first selection and the Final Contest.

#### **5. Final Contest**

**Date:** 25 October 2018 at 14:00

**Venue:** Angkor- Kizuna Hall, CJCC

**Way of selection:**

- (1) The Embassy will make the first selection by submitted documents and announce the nominated applicants to the Final Contest on 28 September 2018 on the Embassy's website. Only the nominated applicants are allowed to proceed to the Final Contest.
- (2) Each nominated group will make a presentation under the theme of "**The future of Cambodia in 30 years**" **within 10 minutes** in Khmer language. Applicants can use slides, performance, dance or other activities, and it depends on applicants' creative ideas.
- (3) The Judges will evaluate each presentation from the perspectives of uniqueness, attractiveness and team work. If the presentation takes over 10 minutes, the evaluation of the group will be deducted.
- (4) The Judges will select **20 applicants of 5 groups** for the participants of the JENESYS 2018.

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