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**EXTENSION OF JAPAN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION CENTER
DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIP (JDS) PHILIPPINES
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The Japan International Cooperation Center Development Scholarship (JDS) Philippines is extending its deadline of submission until January 17, 2023 (Wednesday), 2:00pm, Philippine Time.

Interested participants may visit <https://jds-scholarship.org/country/philippines/index.html> for eligibility and information of the scholarship program.

Participation of the interested participants is personal and shall be subject to the no-disruption-of classes policy stipulated in DepED Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled: "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith".

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January 9, 2024

To: HR Offices of JDS Scholarship Target Agencies

RE: **Extension of JDS Application Deadline January 17 (Wed), 2024**

Dear Sir / Madam,

First of all, we would like to express sincere appreciation for all of your great cooperation with us regarding JDS promotion in your agency.

We would like to kindly inform you that the JDS Scholarship application deadline is extended until January 17th, 2024 (Wed) at 2:00 PM PH Time. As is mentioned below, the submission of the required documents is acceptable until January 22nd (Mon), 2024.

[IMPORTANT]

- ✓ Online Application System will be closed automatically on January 17 (Wed) after 2:00 PM
- ✓ **Even if the applicants cannot prepare all required documents, please still submit the application through Online Application System before the deadline January 17th by following arrangement.**
- ✓ **If the applicant CANNOT submit any required documents by the deadline, please make a "Reason Letter"**
- ✓ **This Reason Letter will be accepted tentatively in the required document section** and the applicant complete the online application by the deadline.
- ✓ There is NO format for the "Reason Letter", so please make sure to explain,
 - Why the applicant cannot submit the document by deadline
 - When the applicant expects to submit the document
 - Signature of the applicant

For more information and further inquiry,

- JDS Project Office in the Philippines: jds.philippines@jice.org
- JDS Philippines Website: <https://www.jds-scholarship.org/country/philippines/index.html>
- JDS Philippines Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/jds.philippines/>

Sincerely yours,

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FROM : **JOSEPH J. CAPUNO**
Undersecretary, Investment Programming Group
And Chair, Project for Human Resource Development
Scholarship (JDS) Operating Committee

SUBJECT : **Invitation to Apply – Project for Human Resource Development Scholarship**

DATE : November 21, 2023

1. We would like to formally invite your Offices to submit applications for the Master's Degree Program covering Japanese Academic Years (AY) 2024 to 2025 under the JDS Project.
2. Since its inception in 2002, the JDS Project has dispatched 439 fellows from different Philippine Government agencies and organizations to various prestigious Japanese universities. Twenty fellows will be dispatched in 2024 to undertake the master's degree programs.
3. Detailed information on the qualification requirements, application procedures, as well as updates on the sub-programs and components of the JDS Project may be accessed through the project website: <https://jds-scholarship.org/country/philippines/index.html>.

4. The application documents, which are downloadable through the JDS website, should be submitted **on or before January 8, 2024** to the JICE JDS Project Office in the Philippines through email: jds.philippines1@jice.org. Late submission and incomplete application documents will NOT be accepted.
5. The JICA JDS team shall conduct an initial review of the submitted digital documents. A formal request will be sent by the JICE JDS team to the applicants for the final version of the required application documents.
6. Should you have further questions/concerns, please contact Ms. Rhina Encila and Ms. Rona Pido of the JICE JDS Project Office in the Philippines through email: jds.philippines1@jice.org, or telephone numbers: (02) 5310-3548.

We look forward to your agencies' participation in the JDS Project.



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