

# Student Mobility Facts and Figures 2024

## Japan



**123,201,945**

Total Population<sup>1</sup>



**9.3%**

Population Aged  
15-24<sup>1</sup>



**13**

International Student  
Place of Origin  
Ranking, 2023/24



**6**

U.S. Study Abroad  
Destination Ranking,  
2022/23



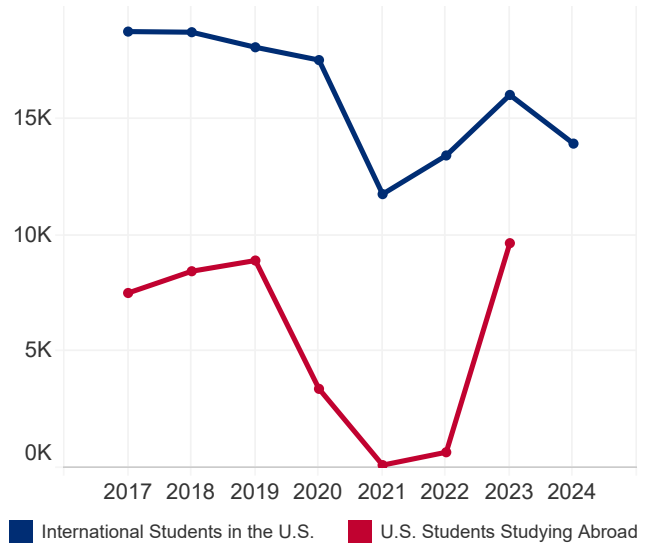
**\$709,000,000**

International Student  
Economic Impact,  
2023<sup>2</sup>

### STUDENT MOBILITY TOTALS

| Year    | International Students | U.S. Study Abroad |
|---------|------------------------|-------------------|
| 2023/24 | 13,959                 | N/A               |
| 2022/23 | 16,054                 | 9,675             |
| 2021/22 | 13,449                 | 678               |
| 2020/21 | 11,785                 | 124               |
| 2019/20 | 17,554                 | 3,406             |
| 2018/19 | 18,105                 | 8,928             |
| 2017/18 | 18,753                 | 8,467             |
| 2016/17 | 18,780                 | 7,531             |

2016/17-2023/24



### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BY ACADEMIC LEVEL

| Academic Level | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | Total | Change |
|----------------|---------|---------|-------|--------|
| Undergraduate  | 7,191   | 6,453   | 46.2% | -10.3% |
| Graduate       | 3,516   | 2,888   | 20.7% | -17.9% |
| Non-Degree     | 3,926   | 3,156   | 22.6% | -19.6% |
| OPT            | 1,421   | 1,462   | 10.5% | 2.9%   |

### STUDENT VISAS ISSUED

| Visa | Change 2022-2023 <sup>3</sup> |
|------|-------------------------------|
| F    | -15.1%                        |
| J    | 4.1%                          |
| M    | -1.7%                         |

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BY INSTITUTION TYPE

| Institution                        | Total        |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Associate's Colleges               | 16.9%        |
| Baccalaureate Colleges             | 6.2%         |
| Doctoral Universities              | 63.1%        |
| Master's Colleges and Universities | 12.8%        |
| Special Focus Institutions         | 1.1%         |
| <b>Private Institutions</b>        | <b>32.4%</b> |
| <b>Public Institutions</b>         | <b>67.6%</b> |

### TOP RECEIVING STATES

California

New York

Washington

Massachusetts

Hawaii

Source: Open Doors Report on International Educational Exchange. For more information, visit [www.opendoorsdata.org](http://www.opendoorsdata.org).

Other sources: <sup>1</sup>The World Fact Book, <sup>2</sup>U.S. Department of Commerce, <sup>3</sup>travel.state.gov (Fiscal year October 1 - September 30).

Note: N/A reflects information that is not available or not applicable. Open Doors does not publish rankings for totals of less than ten students.

