

## What is the JDS?

### To support for Human Resource Development

JDS's objective is to strengthen the government's administrative capacities in Pakistan, through providing the opportunity to obtain the Master's degree to the young capable government administrators who are expected to engage in formulating and implementing social and economic development plans and to play a leadership role in the development of the country.

### To Enhance Bilateral Relationships

### Who can apply?

<b>Age</b>	Between <b>25 and 40 years old</b> as of April 1st, 2025
<b>Academic Background</b>	Possess a <b>Bachelor Degree</b> authorized by the Government of Pakistan or other countries
<b>Work Experience</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>CSS/Cadre Officers</b></li> <li>▪ <b>Federal Ex-Cadre Officers (BPS 17 and above)</b></li> </ul> <p>who have worked at least 3 years after entering public service at the time of application deadline</p>
<b>INELIGIBILITY</b>	<p>A person corresponds to the followings <b>is NOT eligible</b> to apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Those who are currently receiving (or is scheduled to receive) another scholarship (including other scholarships of Japan).</li> <li>• Those who have obtained a master's or higher degrees overseas under the support of foreign scholarship.</li> <li>• Military personnel registered on the active list or person on alternative military service, and also personnel on temporary leave from the active list.</li> </ul>

## BENEFITS For JDS FELLOWS

- (1) One round trip airfare between Islamabad and Japan
- (2) Monthly Scholarship
- (3) Full Tuition Fee at Japanese accepting universities
- (4) Other designated allowances
- (5) Support from the agent (Finding accommodation etc.)

## FIELDS OF

Development Issues (Component)	Slot
Enhancement of Public Administration and Finance (Disciplines of Public Policy and Development Studies)	9
Enhancement of Industrial Promotion and Investment Climate	4
Enhancement of Energy Policy and Response to Climate Change	3
Enhancement of Agribusiness and Food Security	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>

The framework of JDS (See reverse side) consists of "Sub-Program" and "Component", which correspond to and deal with the selected **target priority area** and **development issues** of Pakistan. Accepting Japanese university offers educational programs corresponded to the needs. The degree to be obtained is master's degree. The Medium of Instruction of language is English.

### For more information

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