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Japan Webquest

Use this website <http://web-japan.org/kidsweb/explore/> to find the answers to the following questions.

1. What are the subjects taught in a typical Japanese elementary school? AND How many years are students required to go to school?
2. During two different seasons, beautiful sights are displayed. What are the seasons and what is displayed? AND How does Japan lessen the damage of natural disasters that could strike the country?
3. Draw and label the Kanji symbol for “person,” “sun,” and “tree” in Japanese.
4. Draw Japan’s national flag and what is the title of Japan’s national anthem? AND what is the national anthem about?
5. What are the two favorite sports for boys? For girls? AND How many Olympic games has Japan hosted?
6. Small children in Japan love to watch “anime”. What is “anime”? AND what are some of the famous shows seen around the world?
7. What are Japan’s three branches of government? AND what 3 principles are Japan’s Constitution based on?
8. In Japanese, what does the word “gohan” mean? But what does the term “gohan” actually mean? (Food Section)
9. Click on the “Regions of Japan” link. Pick TWO of the regions to click on. Once you click a region, scroll down and click on “What special characteristics does _____ have?” Then provide one interesting fact about each of the TWO regions you picked.
10. What is the role of the Imperial Family? How much power does the emperor have?