

July, the 2nd, 2019,

Dear Mr/Mrs,

With this letter, I will explain the reasons for my application for a Working Holiday Visa to discover Japan for ten months.

After an experience as a trainee in Finland, and as a worker in Belgium, I wanted to discover a country with either modern infrastructures and a strong attachment to culture. For me, Japan is the perfect combination of these two aspects.

I like the dynamism of capitals as in Tokyo. I am also passionate about visiting historic cities. To live in Kyoto for some months should make me more than happy. I also want to discover places like the Yoshino-yama mountain and its famous 30,000 *sakura*, although this is the opposite of a big overcrowded city, it is also what defines Japan.

To help financially my project, during my stay in the cities I intend to work as a dishwasher or cleaner in restaurants or hotels as I did as a student.

I would like to share my French language skills with basic Japanese conversation terms around a coffee for example to facilitate my visits and everyday tasks (shopping, restaurants etc.).

All these aspects of this immense journey, from mountains to skyscrapers, through jobs in restaurants and rural tourism, this unique experience will allow me to discover a culture and a population completely different from those to which I am accustomed in France and more generally in Europe.

Wishing you all my warmest regards, I thank you for your time and look forward to having a positive response from you.