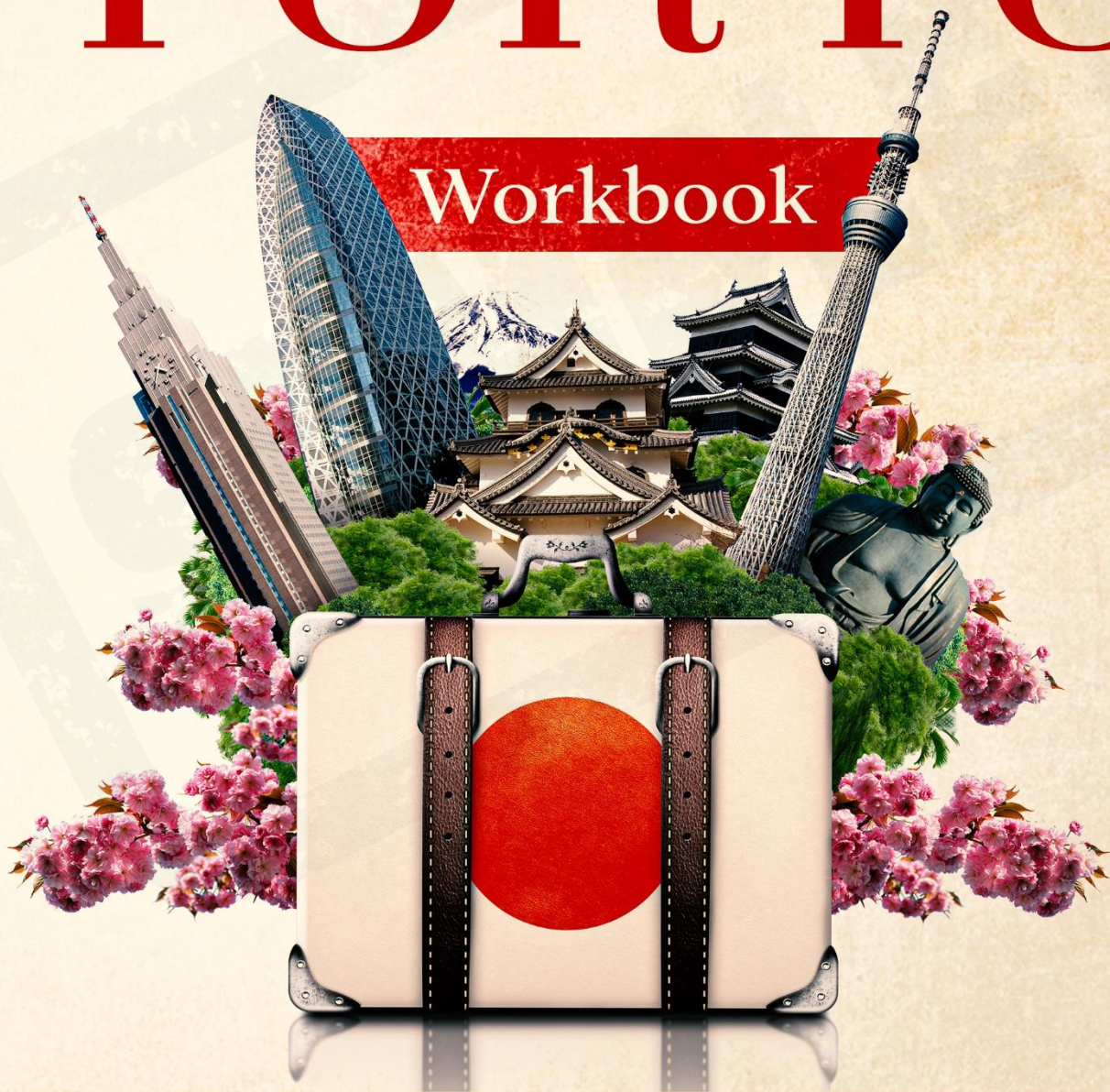


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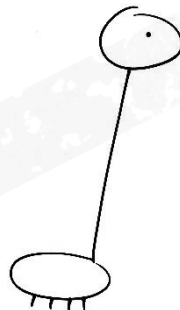
A workbook to help English language learners write and talk about Tokyo.

This book is designed to supplement the *Twelve days in Tokyo Q & A* textbook. This workbook is intended for people who work in the hospitality industry in Tokyo or who want to show visitors around Tokyo.

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Introduction

This is a workbook to help English language learners write and talk about Tokyo. It is designed to supplement the main textbook; **“Twelve Days in Tokyo: Q & A.”** This book is based on some of the experiences that the author had while he was living in Tokyo for 12 months.

How to use this textbook

Students should complete the exercises in order. The exercises are easier at the start of each unit, and then get more difficult.

Each exercise will improve the student’s vocabulary, grammar, and general knowledge of some of the most famous places in Tokyo.

English language learners should write at least three sentences in a separate notebook with any words that are new to them.

Answers can be found at the back of this book and online at www.premierpotentialpublishing.com.

Day 1: Tokyo

Vocabulary

boring

big

cheap

crowded

empty

exciting

expensive

noisy

quiet

small

Exercise 1

Complete the word search.

C	I	T	Y	F	V	S	C	U	L	T	U	R	E	M
H	B	J	P	R	E	F	E	C	T	U	R	E	N	E
E	B	I	G	N	W	E	C	G	R	C	Z	X	B	G
A	A	J	P	E	A	A	G	H	J	C	A	P	X	S
P	D	E	M	P	T	Y	F	V	P	R	Q	E	W	C
K	F	X	O	F	S	A	S	H	J	E	Q	N	E	H
G	O	C	L	M	G	E	N	W	C	S	S	S	R	N
R	P	I	A	O	D	S	M	A	L	L	H	I	I	O
N	S	T	E	L	W	W	X	R	E	M	O	V	J	I
X	G	I	M	L	T	H	K	D	N	W	P	E	H	S
D	C	N	Y	C	R	O	W	D	E	D	P	F	D	Y
I	A	G	H	S	O	J	L	Q	O	F	I	A	W	S
M	Q	S	V	F	V	D	S	W	W	S	N	D	D	E
Q	U	I	E	T	Y	B	O	R	I	N	G	C	N	U
W	E	N	T	E	R	T	A	I	N	M	E	N	T	M

big / small / exciting / boring / quiet / noisy / crowded / empty / expensive / cheap / city / shopping
entertainment / culture / prefecture / ward

Exercise 2

Unscramble the words.

1. Tokyo is a **igb big** city.
2. You can go **phopnsig** _____ in Ginza.
3. My apartment in Tokyo is very **alsml** _____.
4. Living in Tokyo is never **rbion** _____.
5. Tokyo has 23 special **adsrw** _____.
6. Kabukicho is an **tantntinmeeer** _____ district in Tokyo.
7. The subways in Tokyo are often **wrodedc** _____ at rush-hour.
8. The Kabukiza Theatre is a great place to experience Japanese **uurclte** _____.
9. You can find peace and **uqite** _____ in Ueno Park.
10. The cost of living in Tokyo is **xeensvip** _____.

Exercise 3

Write the correct words in the blank spaces.

home / amusement / jellyfish / exhibitions / avenue / historic / **shrine** / famous / spring / elephants

1. Meiji Jingu is a famous **shrine** in Tokyo.
2. Tokyo Tower is very _____.
3. Senso-ji is a _____ temple.
4. Ueno Onshi Park is beautiful in the _____.
5. Omotesando is a tree lined _____. It's great for shopping.
6. Ueno Zoo has _____ and hippopotamuses.
7. The Mori Art Museum has a lot of temporary _____ by contemporary artists.
8. Tokyo Dome is the _____ field of the Yomiuri Giants.
9. Hanayashiki is an _____ park.
10. Sumida Aquarium has _____ and cute penguins.

Exercise 4

Match the beginning of the sentences on the left with the correct ending on the right.

- | | | |
|---|------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. The subway in Tokyo | <u> F </u> | A. cities in the world. |
| 2. Tokyo is one of the cleanest capital | <u> </u> | B. with young children. |
| 3. There is something for | <u> </u> | C. culture in Harajuku. |
| 4. Tokyo is great for families | <u> </u> | D. around the Imperial Palace. |
| 5. The emperor lives in | <u> </u> | E. crossing is in Shibuya. |
| 6. You can experience youth | <u> </u> | F. is very convenient. |
| 7. The world's busiest pedestrian | <u> </u> | G. the Imperial Palace. |
| 8. Stroke a cat in | <u> </u> | H. at Tsukiji. |
| 9. Have sushi for breakfast | <u> </u> | I. a cat café. |
| 10. Many people jog | <u> </u> | J. everyone to do in Tokyo. |

Exercise 5

Put the sentences into the correct order. The first word has been done for you.

1. Tokyo an amazing city is amazing.

Tokyo is an amazing city.

2. Tokyo has a restaurants lot of Michelin-starred.

Tokyo

3. The in summer hot and humid weather can be.

The

4. There lots Tokyo are themed cafes of interesting in.

There

5. Shinjuku Station is world the station in busiest the.

Shinjuku

Exercise 6

Write sentences about Tokyo using the adjectives.

Example

0. *iconic*

Mount Fuji is an iconic mountain.

1. *big*

2. *expensive*

3. *exciting*

4. *noisy*

5. *crowded*

6. *clean*

7. *safe*

8. *busy*

9. *fun*

10. *lively*

Exercise 7

Put the conversation into the correct order.

A: Hotel concierge

B: Hotel guest

- ___ **1** A. Hello, how may I help you?
___ A. Finally, you might like to visit Meiji Shrine.
___ A. I'm afraid you missed it. You need to make a reservation and get there very early in the morning.
___ A. After that, stroll around Ueno Park.
___ A. Sure. First, you should go to the Imperial Palace. The East Gardens are beautiful at this time of year.
___ B. East Gardens. Okay.
___ B. Then the Park.
___ B. My wife and I don't have any plans. Can you recommend some things to do in Tokyo?
___ B. How about the tuna auction?
___ B. That's too bad.

Exercise 8

Suggest some things to do in Tokyo for the following people.

Example

0. A wealthy lady in her forties.

She should go shopping in Ginza.

1. A single man in his twenties.

2. Newlyweds in their early thirties.

3. A family of four. Two adults and two young children.

4. A large group of high school students from Canada.

5. A retired, elderly couple.

Exercise 9

Write a passage for a magazine, newspaper or website encouraging visitors to come to Tokyo.

Exercise 10

Answer the questions.

1. What should I do in Tokyo?

2. What should I eat in Tokyo?

3. What is the oldest building in Tokyo?

4. Can you recommend some things to do for someone on a budget?

5. Tell me your top ten things to do in Tokyo and why.

Vocabulary

Translate each English word into your native language, then write a sentence using each word.

Example

busy

賑やか

The Shibuya Scramble Crossing is supposed to be the busiest intersection in the world.

Day 1: Tokyo

aquarium

capital

crowded

culture

exciting

expensive

government

metropolis

museum

shopping

urban

traditional

village

Answers

Day 1: Tokyo

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Exercise 1

C	I	T	Y				C	U	L	T	U	R	E	
H			P	R	E	F	E	C	T	U	R	E		
E	B	I	G									X		
A												P		
P		E	M	P	T	Y						E		
		X										N		
		C						W			S	S		N
		I				S	M	A	L	L	H	I		O
		T						R			O	V		I
		I						D			P	E		S
		N		C	R	O	W	D	E	D	P			Y
		G									I			
											N			
Q	U	I	E	T		B	O	R	I	N	G			
	E	N	T	E	R	T	A	I	N	M	E	N	T	

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Exercise 2

1. Tokyo is a **big** city.
2. You can go **shopping** in Ginza.
3. My apartment in Tokyo is very **small**.
4. Living in Tokyo is never **boring**.
5. Tokyo has 23 special **wards**.
6. Kabukicho is an **entertainment** district in Tokyo.
7. The subways in Tokyo are often **crowded** at rush-hour.
8. The Kabukiza Theatre is a great place to experience Japanese **culture**.
9. You can find peace and **quiet** in Ueno Park.
10. The cost of living in Tokyo is **expensive**.

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Exercise 3

1. Meji Jingu is a famous shrine in Tokyo.
2. Tokyo Tower is very famous.
3. Senso-ji is a historic temple.
4. Ueno Onshi Park is beautiful in the spring.
5. Omotesando is a tree lined avenue. It's great for shopping.
6. Ueno Zoo has elephants and hippopotamuses.
7. The Mori Art Museum has a lot of temporary exhibitions by contemporary artists.
8. Tokyo Dome is the home field of the Yomiuri Giants.
9. Hanayashiki is an amusement park.
10. Sumida Aquarium has jellyfish and cute penguins.

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Exercise 4

1. F
2. A
3. J
4. B
5. G
6. C
7. E
8. I
9. H
10. D

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Exercise 5

1. Tokyo is an amazing city.
2. Tokyo has a lot of Michelin starred restaurants.
3. The weather in summer can be hot and humid.
4. There are lots of interesting themed cafes in Tokyo.
5. Shinjuku Station is the busiest station in the world.

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Exercise 6

Example answers

1. Tokyo is a big city.
2. Rent is expensive in Tokyo.
3. Shibuya is an exciting place to hang out.

4. Karaoke bars can be a little noisy.
5. The subways can be crowded at peak times.
6. The streets in Tokyo are very clean.
7. Tokyo is safe at night.
8. Businesspeople who live in Tokyo are usually very busy.
9. There are lots of fun things to do in Tokyo.
10. Harajuku is a lively area.

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Exercise 7

- A. Hello, how may I help you?
- B. My wife and I don't have any plans. Can you recommend some things to do in Tokyo?
- A. Sure. First, you should go to the Imperial Palace. The East Gardens are beautiful at this time of year.
- B. East Gardens. Okay.
- A. After that, stroll around Ueno Park.
- B. Then the Park.
- A. Finally, you might like to visit Meji Shrine.
- B. How about the tuna auction?
- A. I'm afraid you missed it. You need to make a reservation and get there very early in the morning.
- B. That's too bad.

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Exercise 8

Example answers

1. A single man in his twenties.

The young man could go drinking in Roppongi. There are plenty of bars where a young man might be able to make new friends.

2. Newlyweds in their early thirties.

A stroll around Ueno Park can be quite romantic or perhaps a late night cocktail in one of Tokyo's many cocktail bars.

3. A family of four. Two adults and two young children.

Ueno Zoo is great for families. Children and adults love looking at the unique animals.

4. A large group of high school students from Canada.

The Edo-Tokyo Museum in Sumida is interesting and educational, it's great for groups of school students.

5. A retired, elderly couple.

Older people might enjoy a rickshaw tour around Asakusa. They can see some famous places without having to walk too far.

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Exercise 9

Example answer

Why should you visit Tokyo?

Tokyo, is a fun and vibrant city. You will never run out of things to do in Tokyo. Whether you are alone or traveling with friends or family, you will have fun in Tokyo.

Take your family up to the top of the Skytree to enjoy the spectacular view. Go out to eat and then have some drinks in a cocktail bar in Roppongi. Stroll around the peaceful East Gardens of the Imperial Palace. You can always find delicious food in Tokyo. I recommend getting up early to try the freshest seafood in the city at Tsukiji Outer Market.

Enjoy your stay in this exciting city.

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Exercise 10

Example answers

1. What should I do in Tokyo?

You should go to Shibuya and Shinjuku.

2. What should I eat in Tokyo?

You should try tendon. It's rice topped with deep-fried seafood and vegetables.

3. What is the oldest building in Tokyo?

Shofuku-ji is possibly the oldest building in Tokyo. It was constructed in the 15th century.

4. Can you recommend some things to do for someone on a budget?

The Sumo Museum in Ryogoku is free and very interesting. The Salt and Tobacco Museum is close to Shibuya Station and admission is only one hundred yen. It's quite fascinating.

5. Tell me your top ten things to do in Tokyo and why.

1. The Tokyo Skytree and Tokyo Tower have amazing views of the city.
2. Ueno Zoo has animals that lots of other zoos around the world don't have.
3. The fish markets are fascinating and have delicious seafood to try.
4. Spend a night in a capsule hotel if you are not claustrophobic.
5. Shopping in Ginza can be a little expensive, but it is worth it.
6. Checking out the unique fashion in Harajuku is an unforgettable experience.
7. The Imperial Palace is one of the most important buildings in Tokyo.
8. If I were you, I'd brave the crowds at Senso-ji.
9. I'm not a big anime fan, but I loved the Ghibli Museum.
10. Don't forget to hire a private karaoke room to have fun with your friends.