



**Employment with NAVFAC Far East –
The Opportunity and Adventure of a Lifetime!**

What Kind of Work Do We Do?



3 Navy Regions
4 Countries
>\$20B PRV of Real Property
10 Installations



Naval Facilities
 Engineering Command
 Far East proudly supports
 Navy, Marine Corps and
 other Dept. of Defense
 activities in the Far East
 Region. We provide best-
 value facility solutions
 and services to Navy and
 Marine Corps bases at
 Yokosuka, Atsugi,
 Sasebo, Misawa,
 Iwakuni, Okinawa, Diego
 Garcia, Chinhae Korea,
 Singapore and
 throughout the Far East



Supporting the 7th Fleet and III MEF in the Indo-Pacific

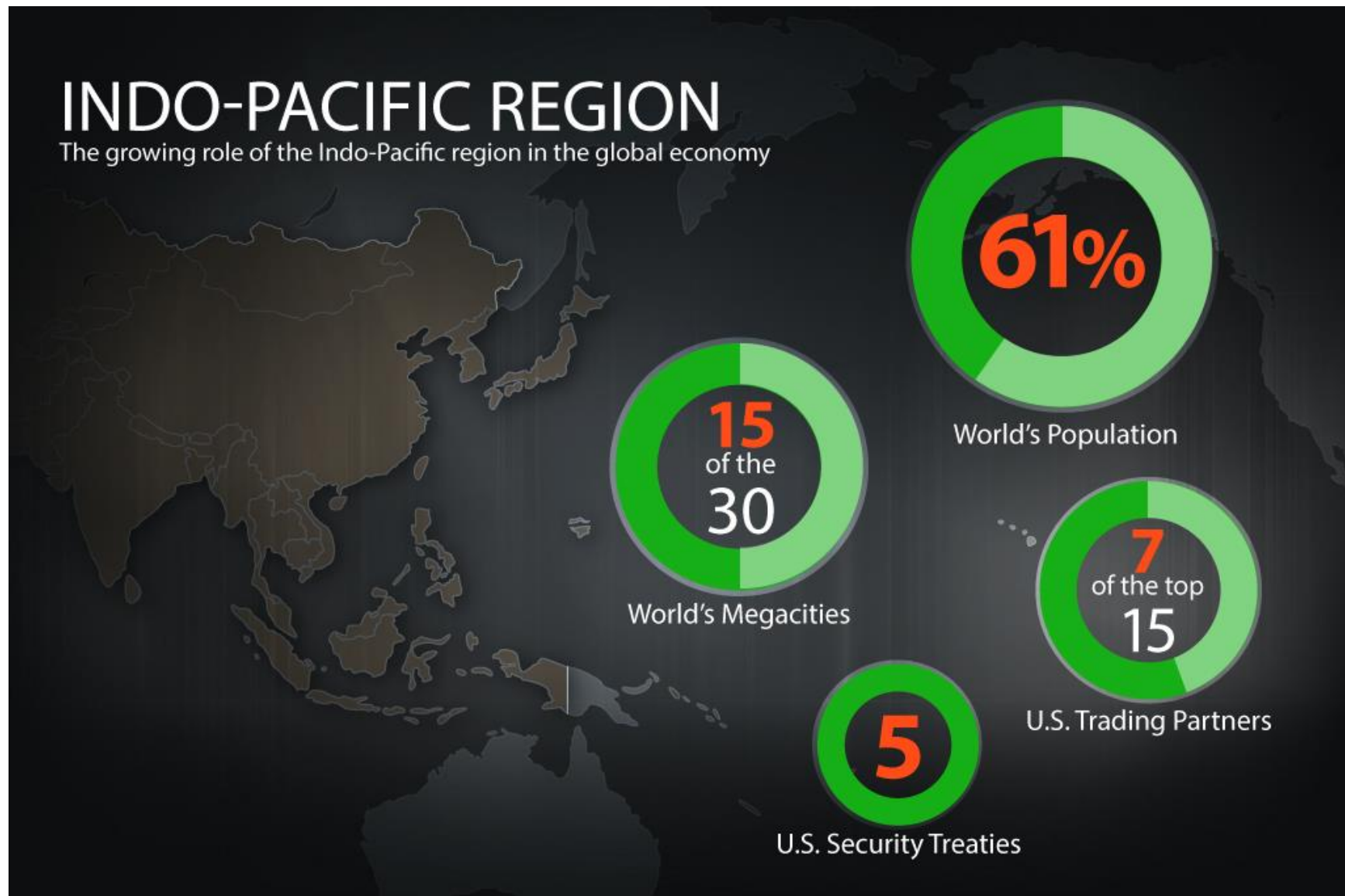


“Defense leaders remain focused on efforts to strengthen relationships and modernize U.S. alliances in the Indo-Pacific region as a priority for 21st century security interests and sustaining U.S. global leadership.”



*PACOM stats

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YOKOSUKA & ATSUGI

Located in central Japan, close to Tokyo

Bullet train (shinkansen)



The Tokyo/Yokohama metropolitan area is the world's largest, with 38 million people



Mt. Fuji, symbol of Japan, is just 2 ½ hours away and can be seen on clear days



Climb Mt. Fuji, golf at Atsugi, go deep-sea fishing or explore Tokyo!



The famous Daibutsu (Giant Buddha) statue in Kamakura is just minutes from Yokosuka



Asakusa Shrine, Tokyo

***Located on the southern Japanese island of Kyushu,
Sasebo is a seaside city with plenty to see and do nearby***

Sasebo

***The 99 Islands off
Sasebo, a great place
for watersports***



See Peace Park

***Play with spider
monkeys
at Nagasaki's
BioPark***



The city of Nagasaki is 90 minutes from Sasebo

***Nearby shopping
includes Costco and
IKEA in Fukuoka, the
TOSU Premium
Outlets in Saga and a
brand new mall in
Sasebo.***



***The Softbank Hawks
play 90 minutes away
in Fukuoka.***

Located in northern Japan - an outdoor paradise. Enjoy mountains and lakes year-round, the colors in the mountains during the fall, and some of the best winter sports conditions in Japan!



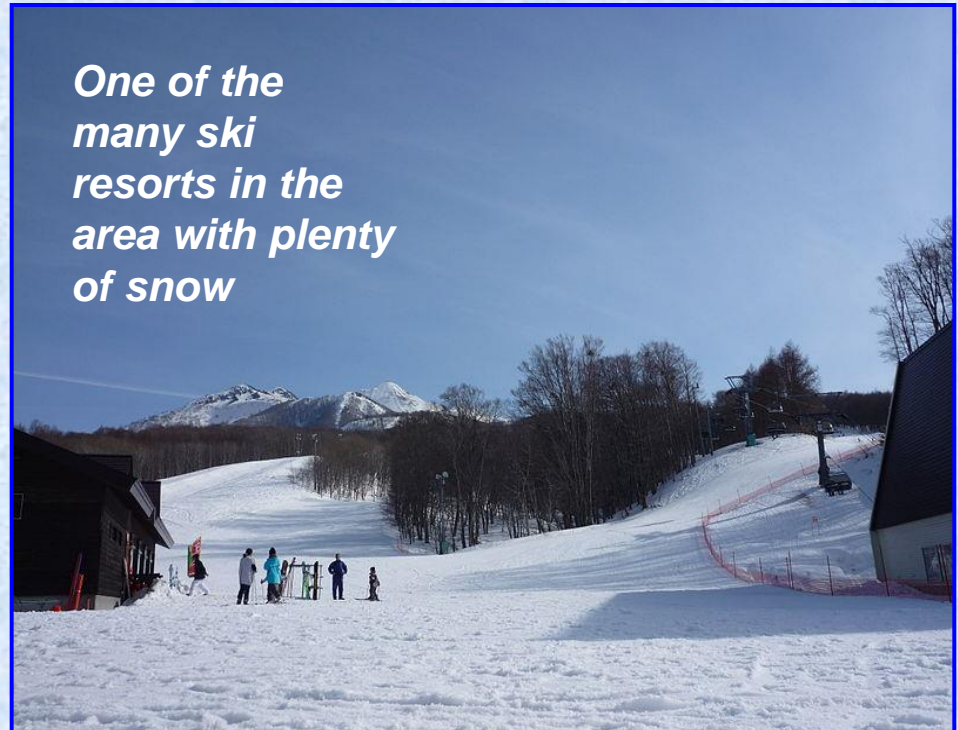
The annual Nebuta festival in Aomori City is one of Japan's most famous celebrations



The beautiful view of Lake Towada



Oirase Gorge



One of the many ski resorts in the area with plenty of snow

Okinawa



Shuri Castle – one of Okinawa's many World Heritage Sites



Churaumi Aquarium



Enjoy water sports like sea kayaking

Japan's southern island paradise has beautiful beaches and a colorful and unique culture



Kabira Bay - located on the north coast of Ishigaki Island, part of Iriomote-Ishigaki National Park



Eisa - traditional Ryukyuan summer dance

***Iwakuni
Castle***



Iwakuni



First built in 1673, the Kintai Bridge is the most famous landmark in the area.

Nestled in the countryside 25 miles west of Hiroshima, Iwakuni is well known for its Kintai Bridge, one of the most famous in Japan, and only 45 minutes from the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Miyajima

Miyajima Island floating gate



Cable car, Hiroshima



***Hiroshima's
Shukkeien
Garden***

Korea



“Land of
the
Morning
Calm”



Namdaemun Market

Namdaemun Gate, Seoul



Korean food – delicious and healthy!



Bulguksa Temple,
Gyeongju



Mt. Halla volcano, Jeju Island

Established as a trading post in 1819 and settled by Chinese, Indian, Malay and Arab immigrants, Singapore is a vibrant, ultramodern city state with something for everyone



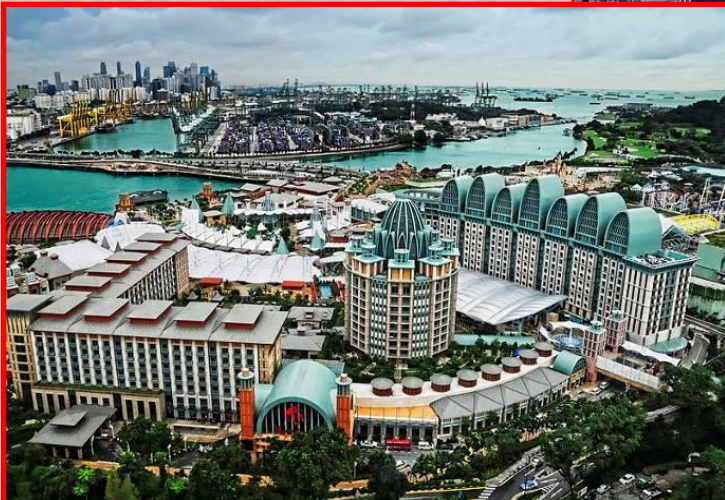
Singapore



One of the world's premier shopping districts is found on Orchard Road.



Just 15 minutes from the city center and the famous Merlion statue (above), Sentosa Island is a world-class resort with beaches, entertainment and attractions for the whole family.



Like to eat? You will love the many food markets with a wide variety of delicious dishes!

Located in the Indian Ocean, the 'island' is actually one of the most pristine coral atolls in the world



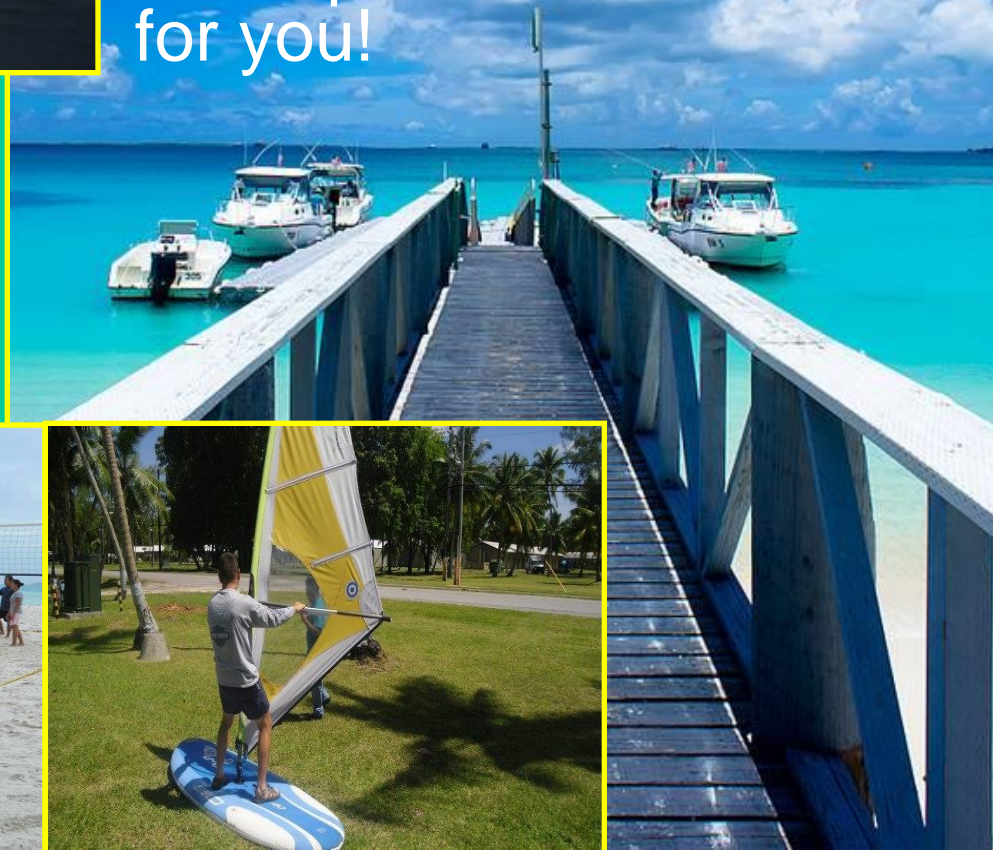
Diego García

If you like marine sports, fishing and year-round tropical weather, this is the place for you!

A typical DG sunset!



Is it a postcard? No, just one of DG's beautiful beaches...



Overseas Benefits



Paid/Reimbursable Housing

Japan, Korea and Singapore: Receive Living Quarters Allowance, utilities allowance and post allowance to live off-base.

Diego Garcia, waterfront 3-story apartments (unaccompanied tour).

Additional Annual Leave Accrual

Maximum accrual of 360 hours of annual leave (vice 240 hours earned stateside).

Home Leave Accrual

Japan and Korea: Earn 5 days of Home Leave per year

Diego Garcia and Singapore: Earn 10 days of Home Leave per year

Environmental Morale Leave (EML)

Japan and Korea: Two unfunded EML trips per year which allows space available travel on government flights as a Category II priority while on annual leave.

Singapore: One funded EML (FEML) trip after 24 consecutive months.

Overseas Benefits (continued)



High-Quality Medical and Dental Care

Japan, Korea and Diego Garcia: U.S. Naval Hospitals or Branch Clinics available; local medical and dental care is also an option.

Singapore: Government-provided medical insurance plan enables local medical care, which is comparable to U.S. medical care, plentiful and highly efficient.

Access to Travel

Japan and Korea: Extensive train networks make traveling quick and convenient. Travel by car/train/plane throughout Asia relatively easily and inexpensively

Convenient travel hub to destinations throughout Asia.

MWR / Commissary / Exchange Privileges

Civilians have full use of MWR, Commissary and Exchange facilities.

Purchase Gasoline at Similar U.S. Prices

Typically much less than local prices.

How Much Will I Make?



Calculations for GS-12 STEP 5 (with spouse and two children)

Benefits	Far East	Washington DC	Norfolk VA
Base Salary with Locality Pay (LP)	\$72,080 0% LP	\$92,421 28.22% LP	\$83,159 15.37% LP
Living Quarters Allowance (LQA)	\$44,800	\$0	\$0
Post Allowance (Tax Free)	\$7,928	\$0	\$0
Total	\$124,808	\$92,421	\$83,159
Delta		-\$32,387	-\$41,649

DSSR Allowances website – <https://aoprals.state.gov/default.asp>

How Much Will I Make?



Calculations for GS-13 STEP 5 (with spouse and two children)

Benefits	Far East	Washington DC	Norfolk VA
Base Salary with Locality Pay (LP)	\$85,712 0% LP	\$109,900 28.22% LP	\$98,886 15.37% LP
Living Quarters Allowance (LQA)	\$47,800	\$0	\$0
Post Allowance (Tax Free)	\$9,428	\$0	\$0
Total	\$142,940	\$109,900	\$98,886
Delta		-\$33,040	-\$44,054

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Be Prepared For Upfront PCS Costs



Planning ahead for move-related expenses will help to reduce the financial stress of a PCS move!

- **Renting your state-side residence**
- **Preparing/selling your vehicles**
- **PCSing with pets**
- **10 days of Temporary Quarters Subsistence Expenses (TQSE) for lodging and meals**
 - **Before departing state-side**
- **Up to 90 days of Temporary Quarters Subsistence Allowance (TQSA) for lodging and meals**
 - **Reimbursement claim submitted every 30 days**
 - **Reduced allowances every 30 days**
- **Purchasing a vehicle and related registration/insurance fees**
- **No Locality Pay for overseas locations**
- **No Post Allowance until living off-base**
- **3 month salary advance to pay for off-base rental expenses**

Where Will I Live?



Most Civilians live 'On the Economy'

Stand Alone Single Family Homes – May feature a small garden or yard, and usually a designated parking space.

Apartments – Mid-rise or high-rise apartments usually found in the cities or larger towns.

Base Housing – Employees with family may be authorized to live in Family Housing

Housing Welcome Centers / Private Agents

- Assist with showing, translation, lease signing
- Assist with electricity, phone, Internet and gas hook-up and billing

- In Singapore, letter of employment is provided to English-speaking agents by employees; employees make arrangements on their own, working with these agents

A 3-bedroom bungalow in Sembawang, Singapore



Japanese off-base home



Base townhomes, Yokosuka



A Japanese apartment complex



Where Will I Get Healthcare?



U.S. Naval Hospital Yokosuka



USNH Yokosuka **Branch clinics**

Atsugi
Chinhae
Diego Garcia
Hario
Sasebo

Misawa, Japan
Misawa Air Base Hospital

Singapore

Employees are provided with U.S. government insurance plans for medical and dental care. Singaporean medical care is highly efficient, with world-class facilities and providers are plentiful; quality of care is comparable to that found in the U.S.

U.S. Naval Hospital Okinawa



Primary clinical services provided by Naval Hospitals:

- Family Practice
- Internal Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Behavioral Health
- Optometry/Ophthalmology
- General Surgery
- Orthopedics
- Obstetrics/Gynecology
- Emergency Medicine
- Physical Therapy
- Occupational Health
- Preventive Medicine
- Health Promotions
- Laboratory
- Pharmacy
- Radiology
- Local doctors/hospitals are also an option

Dental

- Off base
- Some U.S.- trained, English-speaking

How Are The Schools?



In Japan and Korea

- Free fully accredited Department of Defense Education Activity (DoDEA) elementary, middle, and high schools available with SOFA sponsorship, whether living on or off-base. Buses pick up off-base students at most locations.
- Extensive high school Far East Athletics program (baseball, basketball, cheer, cross country, football, JROTC, soccer, softball, tennis, track and field, volleyball, wrestling)
- Many opportunities to experience Asian culture off base, such as field trips to historical sites and museums, host nation school visits and participation in local holiday observances and events

In Singapore

- There are no DoDEA schools in Singapore, but multiple accredited international schools are available.
- Enrollment paid for by DODEA.
- Singapore regularly ranks among the world's top education systems.

What About Our Pets?



Pets can be brought to Far East locations, with the exception of Diego Garcia. Regulations and requirements vary by location, so please check the following resources for details:



- Japan

http://www.usarj.army.mil/organization/vet/import_d.aspx

- Korea

<http://www.korea.amedd.army.mil/veterinary/index.html>

- Singapore

http://www.cnmc.navy.mil/content/dam/cnmc/cnrj/cnrj_hro_yokosuka/cnrj_hro_yokosuka_pdfs/cnrj_hro_yokosuka_services/Handbook_Singapore.pdf

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What To Do When Not Working?



Travel/Explore

- Easy travel throughout Japan by trains and buses – one of the world's best public transportation systems
- Frequent tours and trips are available through base travel agencies and MWR
- Explore uniquely Asian cultures at the source – temples, shrines, museums, castles, arts and crafts exhibits, cultural fairs, historic sites, local events...there is something to interest everyone!

Recreation

- Like the outdoors? You can golf, camp, hike, ski, snowboard, bike, run, rock climb, enjoy some of the world's most beautiful beaches, boat, kayak, scuba dive, surf, windsurf, etc. Base Outdoor Recreation facilities offer guided trips to many of these activities, as well as providing lessons, renting, selling and repairing your gear.

Eat

- Some of the world's best variety of delicious food is found in the Far East. You can get any food in the world in the major cities, and locally, choose from many varieties of Japanese, Chinese, Korean, Indian, Thai, Italian, French, etc. Bring your appetite!

Shop

- There are an amazing variety of shopping experiences...

We Are NAVFAC Far East



...a diverse and highly professional, skilled team that thrives on the toughest challenges in a demanding environment, and getting the job done on time and done right. We are leaders. If you want to challenge and develop yourself professionally and personally, serve your country, strengthen its alliances and live in a diverse and dynamic region, we want you to join our team!

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In Their Own Words...



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NAVFAC Far East
Employees talk about
what work and life is like
in the Far East at:**

www.youtube.com/navfacworldwide

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Life in Korea

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qHgQXagetz8>

Life in Misawa

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D3TVJpm85Zw>

Life in Yokosuka

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ChSn_aFVn3o



**Fred Rivera
Requirements Branch Head
PWD Okinawa, Japan**

"I have been in Okinawa for over 3 years now. A decision I made that I will never regret. The local nationals here are the kindest people I have ever met. They made me feel welcome to be part of the team and their culture. As a matter of fact. It upset me when I miss a day of work. I look forward to come to work each day to make a difference. Not only for my branch but to the entire PW Okinawa Organization and CFAO customers. The festivals, food, beaches, PW get together, and fishing will be memories that I will never forget. Working here has presented me with many challenges. Challenges that I have welcome to getter done. If the question ever ask of me. Would you want to stay and work for another 5 years or get extended? My answer would be "Where do I sign?"



**Thomas Carpenter
Installation Energy Manager
PWD Misawa, Japan**

"Being in Japan and working with our host nation partner has been the chance of a lifetime. The work is challenging, yet fulfilling. Every day brings a chance to support the troops and the critical missions they are involved in. The Japanese culture is highly addicting as is the food and the high work ethic is both refreshing and a pleasure to try and keep up with! The bar is set high here in Japan and I am enjoying every minute reaching for that bar! I look forward to coming to work each day and being part of the solution!"

Want More Information?



USAJOBS
Yokosuka
Atsugi
Sasebo
Okinawa
Korea
Singapore
Diego Garcia

<https://www.USAJOBS.gov>
<https://www.cnic.navy.mil/Yokosuka/index.htm>
<https://www.cnic.navy.mil/Atsugi/index.htm>
<https://www.cnic.navy.mil/Sasebo/index.htm>
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<https://www.cnic.navy.mil/Chinhae/index.htm>
<https://www.cnic.navy.mil/Singapore/index.htm>
<https://www.cnic.navy.mil/DiegoGarcia/index.htm>

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3. Email or call Business Line/Support Line Coordinators for specific information about vacancies, or visit our public website:

https://www.navfac.navy.mil/navfac_worldwide/pacific/fecs/far_east/about_us/Current_Job_Vacancies.html

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Additional Family Information

An Adventure For The Whole Family



Bases have fun and frequent activities for younger kids through Youth Centers and Youth Sports such as games, fairs, petting zoos, magic shows, book clubs at the library, etc. For older kids (11 and up) there are Teen Centers, skate parks and concerts, paintball courses, rock climbing, camping, etc. And for both age groups, an extensive Youth Sports program provides kids with opportunities to participate in a variety of sports throughout the year.

School trips off base also give kids the opportunity to experience Asian cultures, even as they attend American schools. And, there are always plenty of MWR-sponsored local tours and fun events for the whole family, including concerts, entertainers, theme parks, hiking, skiing, snowboarding and sledding trips, Japanese hot springs/baths, temples, castles, historical and cultural sites, and trips around Asia through base travel agencies. You may also be eligible to use free Space Available military flights.

In Korea, why not take the family to explore the Korean War National Museum in Seoul, Korean Folk Village or Cheju Island? In Singapore, the Singapore Zoo, the Night Safari Tour and Sentosa Island (where you can ride a cable car with great views of the city, play in the Fantasy Land water park, or enjoy thrills at Universal Studios Singapore) are close by.

While there are some differences between MWR programs, those found on bases are very similar to the following examples from Yokosuka, Atsugi, Sasebo and Diego Garcia...

How's The Shopping?



Commissaries and Exchanges:

These vary in size, but are located at each installation, with a comprehensive selection of many of the same stateside items and foods you are used to.

In Town: Shopping runs the gamut from ultra-modern shopping complexes and malls to local markets and stands. Shopping is one of the most exciting aspects of an overseas tour! Some of the freshest fruits, vegetables, seafood and meats can be found at department stores and shops in your neighborhood. Tokyo's Akihabara shopping district is world-renowned for electronics; Singapore and Seoul are also shopping meccas.

Base Bazaars: Asian furniture and handmade crafts such as Persian carpets, artwork, clothing, and other items at reasonable prices you won't find stateside...unique items to collect during your tour and take back home with you!



CHILD & YOUTH PROGRAMS

CHILDCARE

- Child Development Center - NAEYC Accredited
(National Association for the Education of Young Children)
- Child Development Homes
- Hourly Care

SCHOOL AGE CARE (Grades K-3)

- After School Care - COA Accredited (Council on Accreditation)
- Boys and Girls Clubs of America Programs
- 4-H Programs
- Summer Camps

TEEN & YOUTH CLUBS (Grades 4-12)

- Music Studio
- Video Games
- Boys and Girls Clubs of America Programs
- Summer Field Trips





YOUTH SPORTS

NAYS Affiliate (National Alliance for Youth Sports)

- Baseball
 - Basketball
 - Cheerleading
 - Flag Football
 - Golf Clinics
 - Gymnastics
 - Soccer
 - Summer Swim Team
 - Tennis Lessons
- and much, much more!*

**VOLUNTEERS
ALWAYS
WELCOME!**

COMMUNITY CENTER

YOKOSUKA • IKEGO • NEGISHI

- Japanese Language
- Japanese Cooking
- Japanese Arts & Crafts
- Various Dance Classes
- Various Music Classes
- Martial Arts Classes

YOKOSUKA HOBBY MART

- Party Supplies
- Arts and Crafts Supplies





Atsugi Golf Course



- 24-Hour Lit Driving Range
- Golf Course Restaurant

- Pro Shop
- Golf Clinics and Lessons

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