



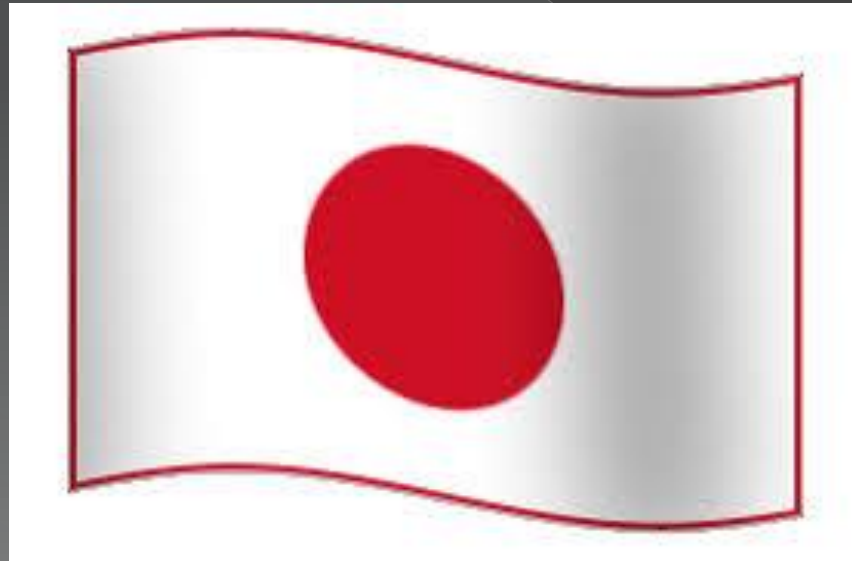
**Welcome to
P7's Assembly**

By Holly

Where is Japan?

By Ben Y, Liam and Ruari

- In the world obviously, but where about in this world?

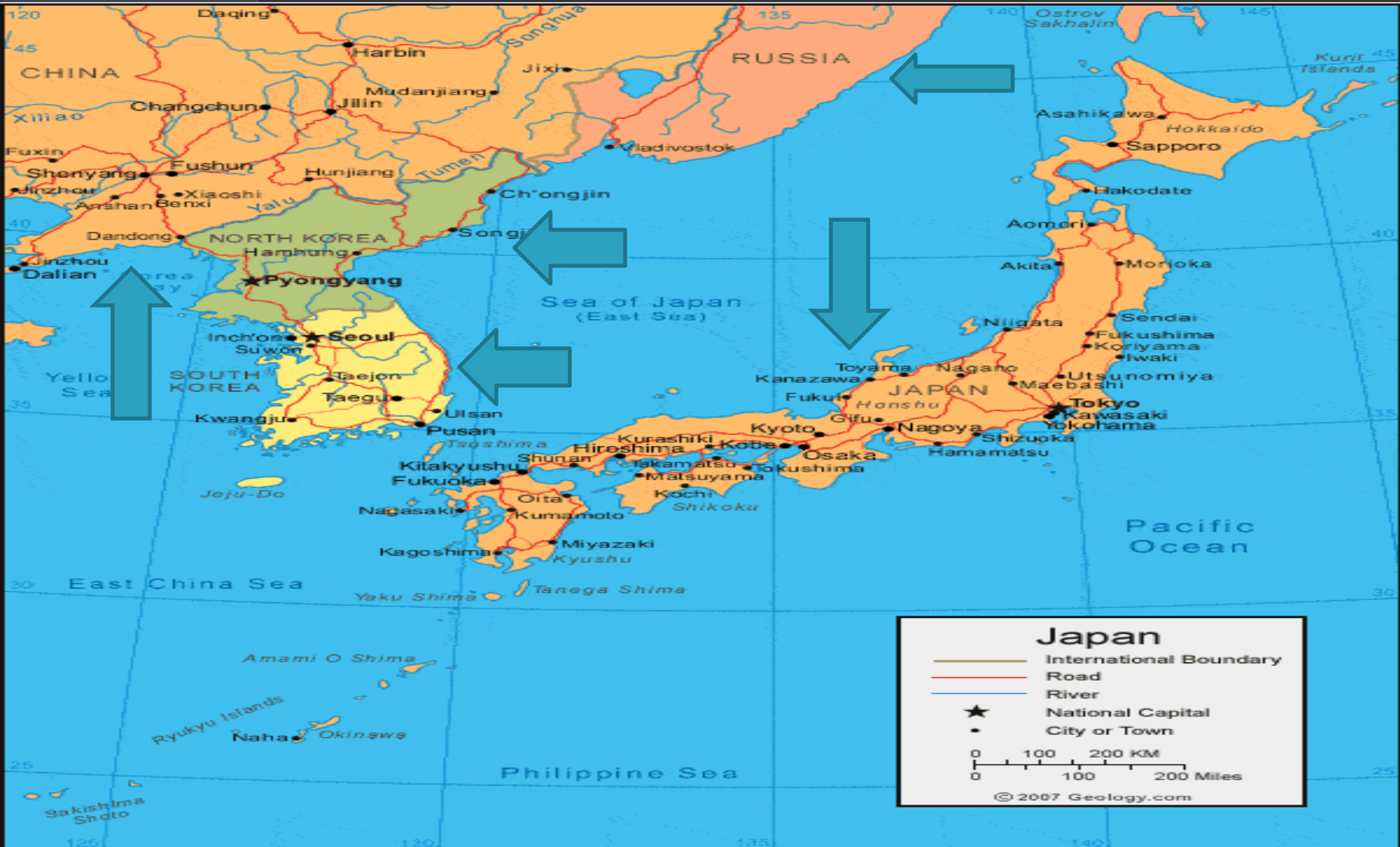


Hemisphere

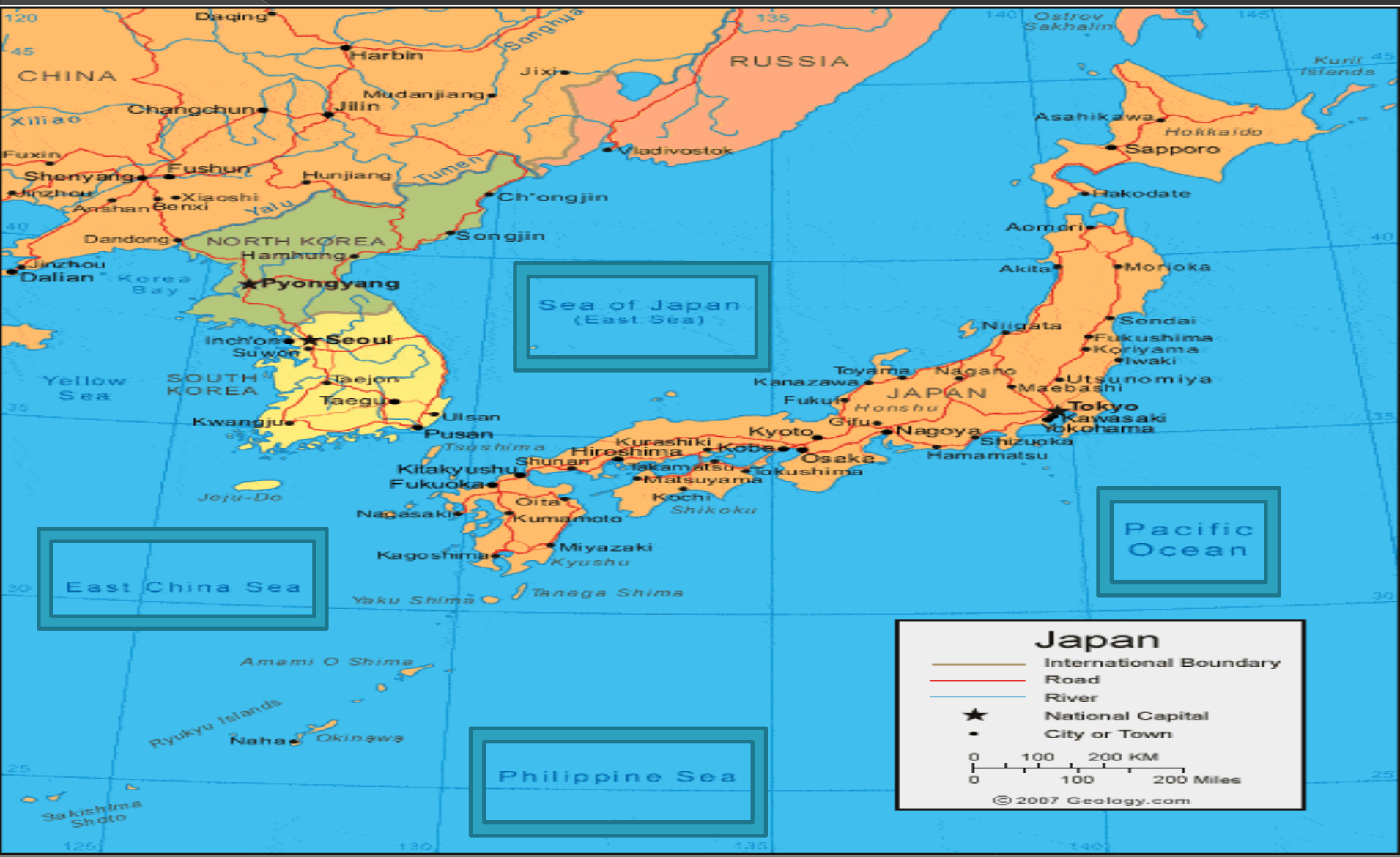
- Japan is in the northern hemisphere which is the top half of the earth.



Here is a map of Japan



Seas



Thanks for listening

- Thank you for listening to our section of the assembly.

Archipelago and Volcanoes

By Emmie & Arron



The Volcanoes

- The biggest active volcano in Japan is named Mount Aso.



- Mount Fuji is the biggest Mountain. It used to be the biggest volcano but it hasn't erupted since 1707.



Mount Aso

- The eruption which formed the present somma occurred approximately 300,000 years ago. Four large scale eruptions occurred during a period extending from 300,000 to nearly 90,000 years ago. It has been very active in the last 70 years.
- Mount Aso is 1592m high. It is on the island of Kyushu.

Mount Fuji

- Mount Fuji is one of Japan's three holy mountains along with Mount Tate and Mount Haku . It is also a special place of scenic beauty and one of Japan's historic sites.
- The origin of the name *Fuji* is unclear, with no record of when it was first called by this name.

Archipelago

- An Archipelago is a large group of islands. Japan has over 6000 islands in it.
- There are four main islands in the archipelago of Japan; Hokkaido, Shikoku, Honshu and Kyushu.

Hokkaido

- Hokkaido is the second largest island in Japan and is well known for its natural hot springs.



Kyushu

Kyushu, the southwestern most of Japan's main islands, has a mostly subtropical climate. It's known for its active volcanoes, beaches and natural hot springs such as those at Beppu.



Shikoku

- Shikoku island , comprising Shikoku and its surrounding islets, covers about 18,800 square kilometres (7,259 square miles).



Honshu

- Honshu is Japan's main island and home to most of the country's major cities and cultural sites. On the east coast is the Japanese capital, Tokyo, a busy global hub for finance, industry, fashion and cuisine.



By Samuel, Connor and Charlie

Comparing Japan and Scotland

Where are they?

- Japan is on the other side of the world in East Asia, whereas Scotland is in Europe.

CAPITAL CITIES

- Scotland's capital is Edinburgh and Japan's is Tokyo.

Population

- Japan has a much higher population than Scotland. In fact, Japan has over 100 million more people than Scotland!
- The population in Scotland is 5.2 million people however, the population of Japan is 127 million.

- The highest and lowest point of each are Japan's mount Fuji and Japan's Hachenhoe mine and Scotland's Ben Nevis and Loch Morar in Mallaig.
- The longest river and largest lake is Japan's Shinano River and Lake Biwa and Scotland's River Tay and Loch Lomond.



NATIONAL FLOWERS

- Scotland's national flower is the Thistle whereas Japan's national flower is called Chrysanthemum.

More Japanese Facts and Comparing Homes in Japan and Scotland

By Brooke and Eleni

Writing to make a comparison –

We were writing to compare life in Scotland with life in Japan.

Our success criteria was to focus on using high quality connectives like:

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Listen out for these as we read what we have written.







Table with secret heater underneath the duvet!



Japanese Bathroom



School Life in Japan

**By Jack, Ben M, Harry, Sophie C, Bobby,
Kaitlyn, Tyler, Matthew, Lewis**





* The Star Festival - Tanabata

By Elise, Ruby and Kieran



* Tanabata is a Japanese festival at the beginning of summer .

* It was originated from the Chinese Qixi festival.

* There are many stories about what Tanabata is.



* **What is tanabata?**



*Tanabata traditions



* The next Tanabata festival will be on Sunday the 7th of July 2019

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* The last Tanabata festival was held on August 17th 2018

* And in 2020 it will be held on August 25th



* The Dates Of
Tanabata



- *Lovers Orihime (represented by the star altair) and hikoboshi (represented by the star vega)can only meet once a year .



*The Legend Of Tanabata



Now we will pass you
on to the next group
who are going to talk
about Manga Art

Manga Art

By Sophie M, Katie, Agota, Claudia, Brooke, Erin and Brandon



Manga



Animé



What we found
hard or easy -





SOPHIE M.



AGOTA



Claudia

CLAUDIA



Brooke

BROOKE



ERIN



KATIE



BRANDON



What skills
did we use?



Thank you for coming along to our assembly.

We hope you enjoyed it and have learned something new.