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The Local Organising Committee of World Athletics Championships Tokyo 25

One Year to Go to the World Athletics Championships Tokyo 25: Volunteer Recruitment Announcement

Tokyo will host the World Athletics Championships Tokyo 25 (WCH Tokyo 25) between 13-21 September 2025. During this time, the Japanese capital expects to host thousands of athletes, media, staff and spectators from all over the world. Volunteers play a vital role in the delivery of the championships in various areas, including hospitality for athletes, event staff, and spectators service.

The Local Organising Committee (LOC) of the World Athletics Championships Tokyo 25 is pleased to announce the release of the volunteer recruitment guidelines, coinciding with the "One Year to Go to the WCH Tokyo 25" celebration. We anticipate the involvement of approximately 3,000 volunteers. Eligible individuals, including those residing abroad, are welcome to apply.

Key points of recruitment guidelines

- **Number of Volunteers:** WCH Tokyo 25 is planning to recruit approximately 3,000 volunteers.
- **Application Period:** Applications can be submitted from Friday 1 November 10:00 am to Monday 16 December 12:00 pm 2024, through the application form on the LOC's official website. https://worldathletics.org/en/competitions/world-athletics-championships/tokyo25/volunteer-wchtokyo25
- Eligibility Requirements: Applicants must be at least 18 years old as of 1 April 2025, hold Japanese citizenship or have valid residency status in Japan during the activity period, and be able to attend training programs.
- Volunteer Activities: Volunteers will be involved in various activities, including competition management, guidance, and support for athletes and VIPs at venues such as the Japan National Stadium, practice sites, hotels, and airports. Language skills can be an asset in many of these roles.
- Volunteer Periods: Volunteers are asked to commit to a minimum of 7 days (shifts) from the end of August 2025 to 23 September 2025. Consecutive activities should not exceed five days.

Administrative support Supporting competition management (National Stadium, marathon/racewalking), training venue management etc.	Media support Assistance in media personnel and press area
Guidance and information support Guiding officials at venues, airports, hotels, etc., providing guidance at information desks, etc.	Hospitality support Providing guidance to athletes and VIPs, etc.
Medical support Supporting doping control officers, medical staffs, etc.	Events support Assistance in ceremony operation, support for related events













Volunteer Supplies: All volunteers will be provided with a uniform, including shoes, which must be worn at all times while volunteering during the event. The volunteer program will also offer meals or equivalent meal costs during shifts, as well as insurance for volunteer activities. *Note: Transportation and accommodation costs during training and activity periods will be at the volunteer's own expense.



The design of the shoes will be decided at a later date.













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World Athletics	Championships	Tokyo 25
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Organiser	World Athletics
Period	nine days from Saturday 13 to Sunday 21 September 2025
Venue	Japan National Stadium and other venues (marathon and race walking will be held in Tokyo)
No. of athletes	approx. 2,000
No. of countries/regions	approx. 200
No. of events	49









