



Essay Form

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Asia has a lot of sanitary problems. The problem is that they don't have enough sanitary management or facilities. For example, water pollution and toilets are very dirty. But, Japan does not have these problems. So, I think that Japan should give technical assistance for Asia. I want to think about these two problems now.

Now, I focus on the water pollution. What are the causes of water pollution. Today, in Asia, 1 in 3 people do not have clean and safe water. 80% of the people in the world are dying in Asia. Why is the water in Asian countries not clean and safe? I think there is one reason.

The reason is Asia does not have rich countries. Many Asian countries have poor people. Also they don't have a lot of money so they can't build factories that can clean water. If people who are not rich, can no drink safe and clean water, their bodies become sick. If they become sick, their country is not rich, so they may not go to he hospital. Then their body gradually becomes bad and they may die. This story is a case of "if". But this story is not fiction. It is true. When I learned about this problem, I felt scared and sad.

Next, I focus on why toilets in Asia are very dirty. There are four reasons. First, Asian people think that the public toilets are not theirs. So, they do not clean and take care of them.

Second, the way of cleaning is not good. If they know how to clean the toilet, this problem can be solved.

Third, Japan start a cleaning program for children. But, other countries did not start this program. So, Japanese always think that quote public toilets are everyone's semicolon it is not only ours. I must use it and keep it clean. " We should send the Japanese mind to Asia.

4th, Japan has the habit of picking up trash that is on the road. We are proud of the word, voice taking shape. The meaning is do not throw the trash on the public Road!

Quote. I think we should keep in our heart this slogan. Then gradually public areas become beautiful places.

The for that reason is toilets made in Asia are a dirty problem. Now, what can Japan do to help Asia? What is Japan's role in solving sanitary problems?

Japan has countermeasures for sanitary problems. It's called Oda. Oda means official development assistance. What's the purpose of Oda? They do a lot of countermeasures. For example, the promotion of basic human rights, governance, peace building, and it provides technology for developing countries. The Oda tackle these problems aggressively. Oda programs have advantages and disadvantages.

There are three main advantages. First, the program's can help people and developed countries by supporting poor countries. Second, the program is made in the spirit of mutual Aid. Third, it is beneficial for each other. For example, ODA makes sanitary facilities for developing countries. The sanitary facilities are designed in Japan, so Japan can also make a profit. Plus, Japan can repair and change the circumstances. Then the countries that are helped by Japan, also become healthier countries because they have sanitary facilities. Thanks to Japan, their sanitary problems, gradually become better.

Next, there are two disadvantages. First, it costs a lot for developing countries. Second, if the developing countries rely too much on Japan, it will prevent their further growth. But, this ODA Program is Japan's countermeasure. My opinion is that to have the citizens of those Asian countries to visit Japan so they can learn about Japanese countermeasures to sanitary problems. These countermeasures are the roles Japan and other Asian countries can work on together in the future.

