



U-17 JAPAN

National Team

MEDIA GUIDE

FIFA U-17 World Cup Brazil 2019™

Players

Date of Birth
Height / Weight
Club



GK **21**
SASAKI Masato
佐々木 雅士
01 May 2002
184cm / 75kg
Kashiwa Reysol U-18



GK **1**
SUZUKI Zion
鈴木 彩艶
21 August 2002
187cm / 85kg
Urawa Reds Youth



MF **17**
TANAKA Satoshi
田中 聡
13 August 2002
172cm / 67kg
Shonan Bellmare U-18



MF **14**
NAKANO Keita
中野 桂太
27 August 2002
167cm / 64kg
Kyoto Sanga F.C. U-18



GK **12**
NOZAWA Taishi Brandon
野澤 大志ブランドン
25 December 2002
193cm / 90kg
F.C.Tokyo U-18



DF **3**
HANDA Riku
半田 陸
01 January 2002
177cm / 70kg
Montedio Yamagata Youth



MF **7**
MITO Shunsuke
三戸 舜介
28 September 2002
158cm / 50kg
JFA Academy Fukushima U18



MF **20**
MITSUDA Shuto
光田 脩人
25 November 2002
165cm / 60kg
Nagoya Grampus U-18



DF **5**
HATA Taiga
畑 大雅
20 January 2002
175cm / 70 kg
Funabashi Municipal High School



DF **15**
MURAKAMI Yosuke
村上 陽介
04 February 2002
183cm / 77kg
Omiya Ardija U18



FW **9**
WAKATSUKI Yamato
若月 大和
18 January 2002
170cm / 68kg
Kiryu Daiichi High School



FW **10**
NISHIKAWA Jun
西川 潤
21 February 2002
180cm / 70kg
Toko Gakuen High School



DF **18**
SUMI Kohshiro
角 昂志郎
13 August 2002
165cm / 61kg
F.C.Tokyo U-18



DF **2**
SUZUKI Kaito
鈴木 海音
25 August 2002
182cm / 68 kg
Jubilo Iwata U-18



FW **11**
TOYAMA Shoji
唐山 翔白
21 September 2002
178cm / 65kg
Gamba Osaka Youth



DF **4**
NAKANO Shinya
中野 伸哉
17 August 2003
167cm / 49kg
Sagan Tosu U-18



MF **16**
YAMAUCHI Kakeru
山内 翔
06 January 2002
177cm / 74kg
Vissel Kobe U-18



MF **6**
FUJITA Joel Chima
藤田 譲瑠チマ
16 February 2002
172cm / 72kg
Tokyo Verdy Youth



MF **19**
TAMURA Sohki
田村 蒼生
20 April 2002
165cm / 56kg
Kashiwa Reysol U-18



MF **13**
YOKOKAWA Asahi
横川 旦陽
26 May 2002
175cm / 64kg
Shonan Bellmare U-18



MF **8**
NARUOKA Hikaru
成岡 輝瑠
28 July 2002
170cm / 56kg
Shimizu S-Pulse Youth

Team Staff



Head Coach
MORIYAMA Yoshiro
森山 佳郎



Coach
HIROYAMA Nozomi
廣山 望



Goalkeeper Coach
TAKAKUWA Daijirō
高桑 大二郎



Conditioning Coach
OGAI Tomohiro
小粥 智浩

Technical Director	SEKIZUKA Takashi	関塚 隆
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Doctor	OGAWA Munehiro	小川 宗宏
Athletic Trainer	OTAHARA Hiroyuki	太田原 裕幸
Athletic Trainer	MATSUDA Sho	松田 匠生
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Japan Football Association

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JFA Symbol
The three-legged crow holding a ball represents the god of day, namely, the sun, cited from a classical book of old China.

Establishment 1921
Affiliated to FIFA 1929
Affiliated to AFC 1954

Competitions & Honours

International Tournaments

FIFA World Cup™
1998, 2002, 2006, 2010, 2014, 2018

FIFA Confederations Cup
1995, 2001 (Runners-up), 2003, 2005, 2013

Olympic Football Tournament
1936, 1956, 1964, 1968 (Bronze Medal), 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012 (Fourth), 2016

FIFA U-20 World Cup
1979, 1995, 1997, 1999 (Runners-up), 2001, 2003, 2005, 2007, 2017, 2019

FIFA U-17 World Cup
1993, 1995, 2001, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2013, 2017



National Team Emblem

Other Honours

AFC Asian Cup Champions
1992, 2000, 2004, 2011

AFC Dynasty Cup Champions
1992, 1995, 1998

EAFF East Asian Cup Champions
2013

Asian Games Gold Medal
2010

AFC U-19 Championship Champions
2016

AFC U-16 Championship Champions
1994, 2006, 2018



National Team Mascots

Bidding to bring the FIFA Women's World Cup 2023™ in Japan.



BIDDING NATION
JAPAN

Brazil 2019

Group A Brazil, Canada, New Zealand, Angola

Group B Nigeria, Hungary, Ecuador, Australia

Group C Korea Republic, Haiti, France, Chile

Group D USA, Senegal, **Japan**, Netherlands

Group E Spain, Argentina, Tajikistan, Cameroon

Group F Solomon Islands, Italy, Paraguay, Mexico

Japan's Match Schedule

Group Matches

Oct 27 (Sun) v Netherlands
Oct 30 (Wed) v USA
Nov 02 (Sat) v Senegal

Round of 16
Nov 05 (Tue) or 06 (Wed) Brasília or Goiânia

Quarter-Finals
Nov 10 (Sun) or 11 (Mon) Goiânia or Vitória

Semi-Finals
Nov 14 (Thu) Brasília

3rd Place Match / Final
Nov 17 (Sun) Brasília

Japan's Results at FIFA U-17 World Cup

Japan 1993	Korea 2007	UAE 2013
Group Stage (2nd)	Group Stage (3rd)	Group Stage (1st)
Japan 0-1 Ghana	Japan 3-1 Haiti	Japan 1-0 Russia
Japan 0-0 Italy	Japan 0-3 Nigeria	Japan 3-1 Venezuela
Japan 2-1 Mexico	Japan 1-2 France	Japan 2-1 Tunisia
Quarter-Finals		Round of 16
Japan 1-2 Nigeria		Japan 1-2 Sweden
Ecuador 1995	Nigeria 2009	India 2017
Group Stage (3rd)	Group Stage (4th)	Group Stage (2nd)
Japan 0-1 Ghana	Japan 2-3 Brazil	Japan 6-1 Honduras
Japan 2-1 USA	Japan 3-4 Switzerland	Japan 1-2 France
Japan 0-0 Ecuador	Japan 0-2 Mexico	Japan 1-1 New Caledonia
Trinidad and Tobago 2001	Mexico 2011	Round of 16
Group Stage (3rd)	Group Stage (1st)	Japan 0-0 (pen 3-5) England
Japan 1-0 USA	Japan 1-0 Jamaica	
Japan 0-4 Nigeria	Japan 1-1 France	
Japan 1-5 France	Japan 3-1 Argentina	Quarter-Finals
		Japan 2-3 Brazil

Asian Qualifiers



AFC U-16 Championship Malaysia 2018

Group Stage

Sep 20
Japan 5-2 Thailand
[Japan's Scorers] Araki (2), Kondo, Handa, Toyama

Sep 23
Japan 0-0 Tajikistan

Sep 27
Japan 2-0 Malaysia
[Japan's Scorers] Toyama, Naruoka

Quarter-Finals

Sep 30
Japan 2-1 Oman
[Japan's Scorers] Own goal, Toyama



Semi-Finals

Oct 04
Japan 3-1 Australia
[Japan's Scorers] Toyama (2), Mito

Final

Oct 07
Japan 1-0 Tajikistan
[Japan's Scorer] Nishikawa

Match Results 2019

Date	Opponents	Score	Japan's Scorer (s)	Venue	Competition
Feb 22	Paraguay	1-2	Wakatsuki	Santiago (CHI)	Sport for Tomorrow South America - Japan U-17 Football Exchange Programme
Feb 23	Chile	3-1	Wakatsuki (2), Naruoka	Santiago (CHI)	
Jun 11	Argentina	9-0	Wakatsuki (3), Toyama (3), Sugiura (2), Tsukui	Buenos Aires (ARG)	International Friendly
Jul 13	Mexico	1-2	Sugiura	Seiro (JPN)	
Jul 14	Bosnia and Herzegovina	3-0	Toyama, Takeuchi, Murakami	Shibata (JPN)	International Youth Soccer in Niigata
Jul 15	Niigata XI (JPN)	1-0	Nakano K.	Niigata (JPN)	
Sep 6	Ecuador	3-1	Wakatsuki (2), Nakano K.	Guayaquil (ECU)	
Sep 9	Ecuador	4-1	Nakano K., Nishikawa, Wakatsuki, Toyama	Guayaquil (ECU)	International Friendly

Official Japan Kits

Field Player



Official Colours
Navy Blue
(Shirts / Shorts / Socks)



Reserve Colours
Light Grey (Shirts) / White
(Shorts) / Light Grey (Socks)

Goalkeeper's Colours

1st : Yellow (Shirts / Shorts / Socks)
2nd : Green (Shirts / Shorts / Socks)
3rd : Red (Shirts / Shorts / Socks)

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