

**Title:** Japanese Male and Female Student's Perceptions of Contemporary Women's Movements, Their Objectives and Impact on Society

**Research Questions:**

Research Question 1: [How do women's movements in Japan influence civic engagement by college students?](#)

Research Question 2: [How do college students perceive \(changes to\) gender roles in contemporary society and what has influenced these opinions?](#)

Research Question 3: [How have women's movements impacted college students in Japan and what behavioral changes may have occurred?](#)

**Demographic Questions:**

1) What is your gender identity? (Multi- Option) Cisgender Male, Cisgender Female, Transgender Male, Transgender Female, Non-Binary, Gender Fluid Other (Fill In)

3) What age are you? (Fill in)

4) What university do you attend? (Fill In)

**Research Question 1**

[How do women's movements in Japan influence civic engagement by college students?](#)

1) How familiar are you with the following women's movements?

Very familiar   Somewhat familiar   Neutral   Not very familiar   Unfamiliar

Kuttoo

Tokyo Flower Demo

Metoo Movement

Women's March

2) How do you participate in the following women's movements?

Marching   Voting   Demonstrating   Posting on Social Media   Donating   Wearing a symbol

Kuttoo

Tokyo Flower Demo

Metoo Movement

Women's March

3) How often do you participate in the following movements?

Very often   Somewhat often   Do not know these movements   Not very often   Never

Kuttoo

Tokyo Flower Demo

Metoo Movement

Women's March

4) How do you feel about the changes made by the following women's movements?

Strongly positive   Somewhat positive   Neutral   Somewhat negative   Strongly negative

Kuttoo

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Metoo Movement

Women's March

5) Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: "Civic engagement is necessary to make changes to society".

(Strongly agree, Somewhat agree, Neutral, Somewhat disagree, Strongly disagree)

6) How strongly do you agree with the following statements?

(Strongly agree, Somewhat agree, Neutral, Somewhat disagree, Strongly disagree)

a) "Marching will change sexual assault laws in Japan"

b) "Posting on social media allows for women's movements to be more accessible"

c) "Everyone should be supportive of women's movements"

7) How familiar are you with the following cases?

Very familiar   Somewhat familiar   Neutral   Not very familiar   Unfamiliar

Shiori Ito

Sexist dress codes

Women only train cars

8) How strongly do you agree with the following statements: (Strongly negative, Somewhat negative, Neutral, Somewhat positive, Strongly Positive)

a) "Shiori Ito's sexual assault case not being pursued by the police was justified"

b) "Companies should require women to wear make-up because it is professional"

c) "Women only train cars do not prevent chikan"

## Research Question 2

[How do college students perceive \(changes to\) gender roles in contemporary society and what has influenced these opinions?](#)

9) How strongly do you agree with the following examples of gendered dress code? (Strongly agree, Somewhat agree, Neutral, Somewhat disagree, Strongly disagree)

a) "Women must wear high heels in the workplace"

b) "Women should not wear glasses while working"

c) "Men must wear suits in the workplace"

a) How strongly do you agree with companies changing these dress codes? (Strongly agree, Somewhat agree, Neutral, Somewhat disagree, Strongly disagree)

10) Do you agree or disagree with the following statements: (Strongly agree, Somewhat agree, Neutral, Somewhat disagree, Strongly disagree)

a) "Japan's government supports equal rights for men and women"

b)“There are an adequate number of women in higher level positions in companies and government”

c)“Tokyo Medical School made the right decision by preventing women from being admitted to their school”

d)“Japan has adequate laws in regard to sexual harassment on trains”

11)Are you pressured to behave a certain way based on your gender?  
(Strongly pressured, some pressure, not much pressure, no pressure, no opinion)

12)How comfortable are you working with people of a different gender?(Very comfortable, Somewhat comfortable, Neutral, Somewhat uncomfortable, Uncomfortable)

13)How comfortable are you working with people of the same gender?(Very comfortable, Somewhat comfortable, Neutral, Somewhat uncomfortable, Uncomfortable)

14)How comfortable are you with having a boss of the same gender?(Very comfortable, Somewhat comfortable, Neutral, Somewhat uncomfortable, Uncomfortable)

15)How comfortable are you with having a boss of a different gender?(Very comfortable, Somewhat comfortable, Neutral, Somewhat uncomfortable, Uncomfortable)

16)When selecting classes, what gender do you prefer the professor to be for the following subjects:

Woman Man Transgender Woman Transgender Man Non-Binary Gender Fluid Other

Does not apply

English

Japanese

Math

Science

History

### **Research Question 3**

[How have women’s movements impacted college students in Japan and what behavioral changes may have occurred?](#)

17)Do you agree or disagree with the following statements:  
(Strongly agree, Somewhat agree, Neutral, Somewhat disagree, Strongly disagree)

a)“Women should stay home and raise children while men work”

b)“Explicit verbal consent is important when engaging in sexual activity”

c)“Men should have labor intensive jobs because women are not as physically strong”

18)How important is discussing dress code policies before accepting a job?(Very important, Somewhat important, neutral, Somewhat unimportant, Unimportant)

19)How likely are you to believe a person who claims to have been sexually assaulted?(Very likely Somewhat likely, Neutral, Somewhat unlikely, Unlikely)

20)Are you more likely to now follow news about women’s movements than before they became public?(Very likely Somewhat likely, Neutral, Somewhat unlikely, Unlikely)

21)Has your opinion of Japan’s laws regarding sexual assault changed because of the Metoo movement and the Tokyo Flower Demonstation?(Greatly changed, Somewhat changed, About the same, Unaware of the laws, other(Fill in))

22)How likely are you to boycott a company that has gendered dress code?(Very likely Somewhat likely, Neutral, Somewhat unlikely, Unlikely)

23)How likely are you to boycott a person accused of committing a sexual assault?(Very likely Somewhat likely, Neutral, Somewhat unlikely, Unlikely)

24)How likely are you to vote for a woman who is running for a political office?(Very likely Somewhat likely, Neutral, Somewhat unlikely, Unlikely)