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Overseas flight training by 1st Tactical Airlift Wing in 2026

The Japan Air Self-Defense Force (JASDF) will conduct overseas flight training. The details are as follows.

Details

1. Purpose

Maintain and improve the capability of transport aircraft operators to perform overseas missions by understanding the characteristics of air routes and regions in Southeast Asia.

This will ensure JASDF's readiness to transport Japanese nationals overseas and participate in international peace cooperation activities and other operations.

2. Period

From January 18 to 22, 2026

3. Destinations

Sultan Abdul Aziz Shah Airport (Malaysia)

4. Participating Unit

A K/C-130H and approx. 20 personnel from 1st Tactical Airlift Wing (Komaki AB)

5. Training Items

Long range overwater navigation training