**Japan Scavenger Hunt –   
NEW World Book Kids**

1. **Where is Japan?**

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1. **What countries are near Japan?**

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1. **What is the capital of Japan?**

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1. **What is the largest island in Japan?**

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1. **What kind of things are made in Japan?**

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1. **From what country did the early people of Japan borrow ideas from?**

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1. **Who did Japan start trading with after 1853?**

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1. **What is the name of the city where the first atomic bomb was dropped on in World War II?**

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1. **What happened in Japan in March 2011?**

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**ANSWERS:**

1. Japan is an island country in the North Pacific Ocean.
2. Russia, Korea and China
3. Tokyo
4. Honshu
5. The Japanese make such things as cars, computers, steel, TV sets, and tyres.
6. The early people of Japan borrowed ideas about how to organise society and government from the Chinese.
7. The United States of America.
8. Hiroshima
9. A powerful earthquake struck off the coast of Honshu. It was followed by a tsunami, which killed thousands of people.