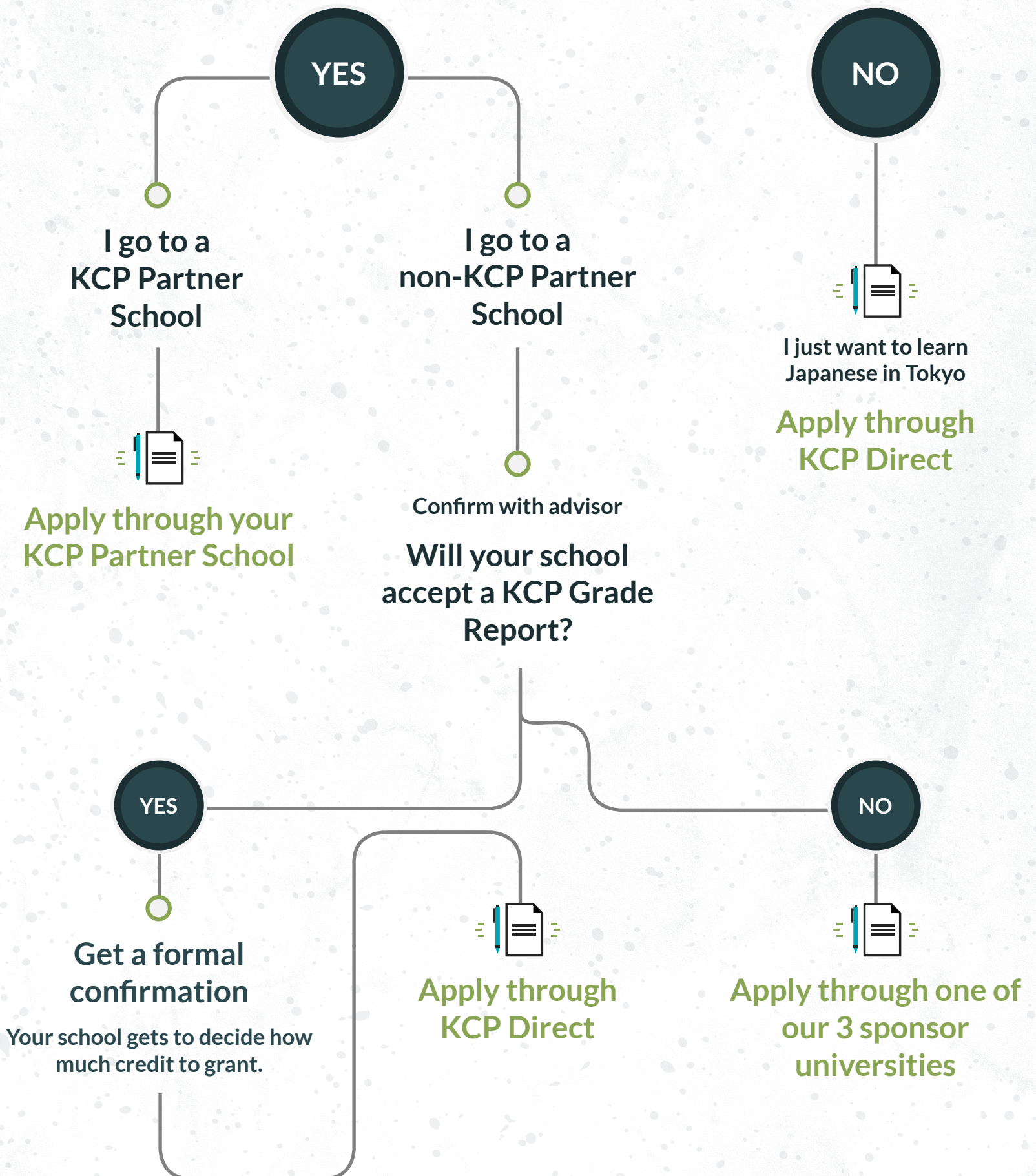




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WHY SHOULD I CARE?

You need it if you want to apply financial aid to study abroad. You have to arrange this in advance, because schools won't do it once the program starts. Once you decide, you can't change your mind on this.

NOTE: *Retroactive credit is not permitted.*

I NEED ACADEMIC CREDIT & I GO TO ONE OF KCP'S PARTNER SCHOOLS

Apply through one of our partner schools: either the affiliate schools or the sponsor schools. All are U.S. accredited institutions.

What is an affiliate school?

A KCP partner school that offers academic credit to its students. If you're enrolled at an affiliate, **apply through an affiliate school.**

What is a sponsor school?

A KCP partner school that offers academic credit both to students who are enrolled there and students who are not enrolled at this school. If you don't go to any partner schools and want academic credit, **apply through a sponsor school.**

I NEED ACADEMIC CREDIT & I GO TO A DIFFERENT SCHOOL

Check with your International Programs advisor on whether your school will grant credit based on a KCP Grade Report. It is up to your home institution how much credit to grant.

My school does not accept a KCP grade report

Apply through one of our three sponsor schools.

My school does accept a KCP grade report

Apply through KCP Direct. Students from almost 300 colleges and universities have attended KCP. Make sure your school looks at and approves use of the KCP Grade Report. You must set this up beforehand.

I DON'T NEED ACADEMIC CREDIT

Apply through KCP Direct. Think carefully about this. If you are considering future graduate school or career advancement, academic credit is not a bad idea.

NOTE: *Transfer of academic credit from a KCP grade report or from a school of record (sponsor school) transcript has been successful in most cases. However, every school has its own policy and makes the final decision on credit transfer. Students are encouraged to consult their study abroad or academic advisor about transferability of credit earned from their study at KCP.*