
Digital Pedagogical Resources from “Japan’s Declining Population: Beyond the Textbook” by Phillip O'Brien and Byron Haast

Population Data

Japanese Ministry of Health: http://www.mhlw.go.jp/english/

Topic Introduction


Impacts

Shrinking workforce: https://tinyurl.com/y8tzfu4v
Potential abortion restrictions: https://tinyurl.com/yb2q88rl
Budgetary impact: https://tinyurl.com/y8acdb98
Abandoned homes: https://tinyurl.com/ybprlgcn

Responses

Matchmaking parties: https://tinyurl.com/y7hqtcyb
Long-term care insurance: https://tinyurl.com/y7d39x7x
Pension reform: https://tinyurl.com/y9koxk19
Company incentives: https://tinyurl.com/ydez5aoj
Funding egg freezing: https://tinyurl.com/jxr7fb4
Immigration: https://tinyurl.com/yqcrmjo5
Angel Plan and the New Angel Plan: https://tinyurl.com/yaknevzj
Filipino immigration: https://tinyurl.com/ybpxputsc

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