

City of Dazaifu

The Center of the "Western Capital", an International City Connected to the World

Dazaifu, built in the land of Tsukushi, which is near East Asia and has had international exchange since antiquity, was modeled after Tang Capital and Chang'an, developed as the political center of Kyushu and as a hub of diplomacy in Japan. To receive foreign envoys, people of high status were stationed as officials, and various forms of culture were created through the diverse exchange that unfolded.

