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Both publications are now available to selected ANA passengers flying both within Japan and internationally via the airline's e-library found on ANA's mobile app, it was announced on Wednesday, Sept. 1.

The Japan Times and The Japan Times Alpha's increasing use of electronic publishing channels is in line with each publication's ongoing digitization and distribution strategy. The Japan Times is respected for its authoritative coverage of Japan and Asia, while The Japan Times Alpha presents news articles at differentiated levels appropriate for English-language learners.

Most air passengers have at least one electronic device with them while traveling. Being able to read The Japan Times and The Japan Times Alpha at the airport or mid-flight is not only a convenient way to access Japan's premier English-language news sources, but also has ecological benefits as no paper, ink or distribution are required.

Service start date

September 1, 2021 (Wednesday)

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About The Japan Times Alpha:

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