

Abstract

Prince Shootoku was promoted as regent from Empress Suiko. He is important person because his role on Buddhism made Buddhism settled strongly in Japan and made Buddhism influentially in Asuka's politic. His role on Buddhism is 1.The supporter for making friendship with China by four times of sending groups of people to China to study Dharma and academic arts 2.The spreader for making Buddhism well-known and respected by commentaries on Three Buddhist Sutras from Chinese to Japanese for imperial court 3.The supporter for building 7 temples that made peoples and royal family respected in Buddhism and 4. The readership who used the teaching in religion to made the central of Emperor's politic by brought the concepts from Buddhism and Confucianism to rules in the Twelve court-rank system and wrote the Seventeen-Article Constitution which was the first constitution in Japanese history.

His 4 activities in Buddhism made the royal court of Japan to declared Buddhism was the state religion which made the Emperors politic was stabillization , had influentially in a stable of Buddhism and had influentially in arts ,culture and politic in the next time,too.