

Hello, future students! Please read ①-⑨ before starting your application process.

① ABOUT CLASSES

In the case of a long stay college student visa, the minimum requirements are as follows:

1. A pass in the Japanese language proficiency test N5 or a minimum of 150 hours Japanese language study.
2. If the applicant doesn't satisfy this requirement set out in 1 we require that you read and understand the following class information before applying.

This school's curriculum is designed for students who wish to continue further study in Japan or have a goal of taking the Japanese Language Proficiency Test. We teach only Japanese. We do not teach other subjects like Math, English, etc. Because the classes have a very heavy work load, frequent absence from class and neglecting one's homework and class studies, there is a high possibility of the student falling behind and the class moving on. Our school has a test every 3 months. Failure to pass this test will result in the student being moved to a lower class to review the material previously covered.

To prevent this from happening please avoid being absent as best you can and present the given homework with due diligence. Also, to pass the Japanese Language Proficiency test it is necessary to have a balance of the four skills: reading, writing, speaking and listening. Consequently, our school may not be suitable for a student looking for a Japanese conversation class. Please consider these points carefully before applying.

② DOCUMENTS for VISA APPLICATION

Please submit all the application documents (such as our application forms and other official certificates) on time as required. All forms and documents must be genuine and filled in accurately and truthfully.

③ VISA

The college student visa is issued for students who aim to study in Japan. You cannot apply for this visa and be enrolled in our school in order to come to Japan and work in Japan.

You might be removed from school if your attendance, marks and/or attitude in class are unsatisfactory. Your attendance rate is calculated from the date of your enrollment. Attendance rates are checked every 6 month. (6th month, 12th month, 18th month, 24th month from enrollment) If your attendance rate is below 70% at that time, you will be expelled from school. If you have an exceptional reason, we will take it into consideration when we decide your treatment.

④ PART-TIME JOB

The college student visa has a limit on the number of hours you can work. You cannot work more than 28 hours per week. It can be very difficult to find work as a foreign student who doesn't speak Japanese very well. Therefore, it is critical that you have enough money for your stay in Japan. Some students



have had to give up studying in Japan because of a shortage of funds. Please prepare enough money for your stay in Japan to prevent such a situation.

The work permission will become invalid when you quit our school. You have to quit a job at that time.

⑤ ENTRY INTO JAPAN

Please get to Japan 2 or 3 days before you take a placement test. If you cannot take the test on the day we decide and come to Japan late, we may need to change the month you start to study.

⑥ ABOUT BEGINNERS' CLASS

We teach you Japanese in Japanese for you to get used to listening and speaking Japanese. You do not need to worry if you cannot understand the class, because you get a book that shows the sentences and vocabulary your teachers are going to use in the class. We teach Hiragana and Katakana in beginners' class for few days at first. We give you only 4 or 5 days to memorize all of them. It can be difficult for some students. We recommend you to memorize at least Hiragana before you start to study at our school.

⑦ TEXTBOOK

You are going to buy textbooks at our school. Even if you have the same one already, it is necessary to show it to your teacher and get permission to use it.

⑧ TATTOO

If you are planning to go to other schools (e.g. university, college, etc.) after finishing our course, you better know that you have a possibility to be rejected to enroll the schools. Also you might be rejected to enter a sports gym and onsen (a hot spring), and to employed if you have a tattoo.

⑨ ABOUT YOUR HEALTH

In the case of a long stay college student visa, keep in mind these following points about your health.

1. If you have a disease which makes your long study abroad difficult such as depression, epilepsy, schizophrenia, heart disease, diabetes, etc., you need to get doctor's permission.
2. If you have any other diseases and need to attend hospital in Japan, it makes you long study abroad difficult since a doctor's fee is expensive. Our student insurance does not cover the cost of treatment for your disease you have before you come to Japan.
3. Please do not apply for student visa during pregnancy. If we find out you are pregnant when you come to Japan, we will cancel your enrolment.

