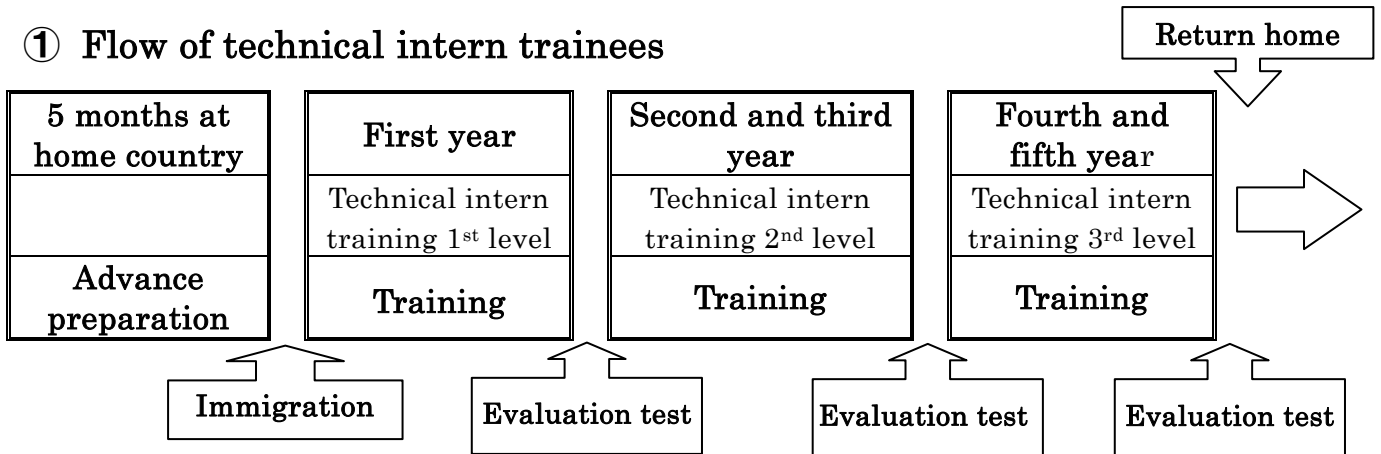


Good news for technical intern trainees

Period of stay in Japan for technical intern trainees will be extended with conditions

① Flow of technical intern trainees



② “Specialized technique” planned to execute in 2019

- ◆ After the technical intern training and for those who passed the test, **they can work in Japan for 10 years in total.**
- ◆ Fields (agriculture, nursing care, construction, accommodation, ship-building)
- ◆ Furthermore, if you could pass the qualification examination of Japanese language and specialized skill **you can live with your family, without any limit of period of stay.**

③ How to stay long in Japan

So far technical interns could work in Japan up to 5 years. However, technical interns who passed the qualification examination will be able to work in Japan for 10 years in total from next April.

Government of Japan has plans to support workers from foreign countries by securing accommodation, making opportunities to learn Japanese language, to be able to get the same fee as Japanese, and that Labor Bureaus in each prefecture should watch over strictly so that they can work under proper environment.

The new law that will be established next year is for foreigners working hard in Japan and has power, to be able to work as long as possible, to have a fruitful life, to have power to support Japanese economy, and to abolish period of stay, to be able to live with the family.

The key to be able to stay in Japan for a long time is to improve Japanese and to acquire knowledge and skills with your work. We hope that technical interns will gain technical ability aiming the establishment of such law.



Recruiting volunteers for insured accompanying interpreter



We need your skill

As FICEC got a lottery subsidy, accompanying interpreter is implemented.

Volunteers of interpreter will accompany with foreigners who does not understand Japanese, such as to city office, health check and interview at a primary school or a junior high school, police office, welfare office, or health center.

◆Volunteers to interpret following languages are wanted

Vietnamese, Chinese, Spanish, Portuguese, Tagalog, Urdu

●Interpretation language●Area, days and time when accompanying is available

Contact us for details to consult 049-256-4290

※The interpreter should have training

Let's do the summer vacation homework together

Fujimino International Children's Club is waiting for you



At Fujimino International Children's Club, many children gather to study and talk with their friends, at 9:00 to 12:00 every Saturday.

During summer vacation we are planning some special events. Let's finish homework here ahead and enjoy summer vacation.

For detail summer vacation plan please contact FICEC. Tel: 049-256-4290

Advice for those who are learning Japanese (2)



Ms. M who came from Vietnam

When I first came to Japan three years ago everything was difficult for me such as shopping, child's disease, traffic rules, and customs in Japan. FICEC was very convenient because I could come with my two-year old daughter. If you are learning Japanese, I want to say that don't be ashamed and just talk what you feel. You can be understood by other people and you can learn more easily.

Watching TV with my child was also good to learn Japanese because the language used in children's program is easy. There are also programs with TELOP, which you can read what performers are talking and I checked the words I couldn't understand and looked up the meaning later.

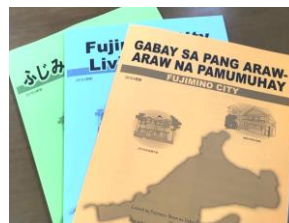
My daughter now goes to preschool and speaks Japanese well. But we speak in Vietnamese at home because I want her to remember Vietnamese. I work at a supermarket and a restaurant now. I can make a basic conversation in Japanese but I go to Japanese language class when I have time, even if I am busy. I want to speak more naturally and I want to write beautiful Japanese sentence.

Please tell us cuisines of your home country



FICEC is planning events to be able to scale up relations between foreign citizens and Japanese. Among them, introduction of dishes of foreign countries made in daily life is very popular. FICEC opened cooking class of Taiwan in May and of Chinese in June. We are waiting for more Chinese food, Nepal food, Italian food, and Vietnam food cooking teachers. Tel: 049-256-4290

Living guide for foreigners in Fujimino-shi



"Living guide for foreigners in 2018" in English, Chinese, Korean, Philippines and Portuguese is published.

It explains about administrative procedures, public facilities, hospital guides and city map. It is distributed for free at windows of city hall and at FICEC.

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