

Here are the key points converting a foreign driver's license to a Japanese one!

【Procedures】

【 check & point 】

- Reception
(every Wednesday)

No reservation required.

- Not open on national holidays.
- We cannot accept your application if you forget to bring any of the required documents.
- All explanation is in Japanese.



- Interview



- You cannot have the interview if you do not bring all the required documents.
- It is in Japanese.
- If you do not understand Japanese, you will need an interpreter.
- You will be asked about the license issuing procedure in the country where the license was obtained.

- ◇ Valid foreign license

- Expired licenses cannot be processed.

- ◇ Stay for a total of 3 months or more in the country where license was obtained

- Please prove the period of stay with your passport, mariner's pocket-ledger, certificate of employment, school certificate, pay slip statement, etc.
- Japanese immigration entry and exit stamps do not prove your stay.



- Eye test etc.



- There is an eyesight test.
Please bring glasses if you need them.
- There is a physical examination.
Please let us know if you cannot move any part of your body.



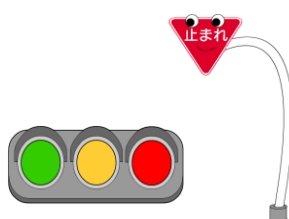
- Confirmation of Traffic Regulations Knowledge



- There is a test of Japanese traffic rules.
- There are 10 questions. The pass mark is 7 and over.
- You have a choice of 20 languages.



- Confirmation of Practical Driving Skills



- There is a driving test in the inside course of the driver's license center.
- Check whether you can drive according to traffic rules.
- Practice at a driving school, etc. before the test and get used to Japanese traffic rules.
- Mistakes such as driving on the right hand side, going off the road, ignoring stop signs, lack of safety checks and steering too sharply and collisions will result in a failed test.

- ※ If the Confirmation of Traffic Regulations Knowledge was more than 6 months ago, take the test of Japanese traffic rules again.
- ※ Expired licenses cannot be processed.
- ※ The eyesight test and physical examination will be held each time.