

Qualification requirements of foreign students living in Tokyo for admission in April 2024

The applicant must fulfill all of the following (1), (2), and (3).

- (1) The applicant's date of birth must be before April 2nd, 2009 and his/her nationality has to be anything other than Japanese.
- (2) Must be living in Tokyo with the guardians (father and mother in principle) or definitely moving to Tokyo with the guardians before the admission date. ^{*1 *2}
- (3) Must Satisfy either (a), (b) or (c)
 - (a) Completed or will complete a 9-year course of school education abroad by the end of March 2024.
 - (b) Completed or will complete a 9-year course at an education facility for foreign residents in Japan by the end of March 2024.
 - (c) Graduated or will graduate from a Japanese junior high school/middle school (Chugakko 中学校) by the end of March 2023, and applicant's resident periods in Japan from the date of entry to April 1st 2024 must be less than three years. However, those whose entry date is after March 1st 2021 are exceptionally certified as having been in Japan less than three years because the month of March can be considered a transitional period.

*1 If either of the guardians does not live with the applicant due to special circumstances such as nursing care for the applicant's grandparent overseas, following forms should be submitted.

- ① "Statement of the reason" (Form7) / Riyusho 理由書 (様式応7)
- ② A certificate which proves the guardian will not be able to live with the applicant in Tokyo due to a special circumstance,

Please note that at least one parent must live with the applicant in Tokyo. "Statement of the reason" can be downloaded from our website.

*2 If the applicant is now attending a junior high school in Tokyo and living away from both of his/her guardians due to special circumstances, let us know via email sent to the email address listed below.

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