

Japanese Language and Business Skills Course for Permanent Foreign Residents

Apply Now!

◆Summary of the training

Goals	To acquire the Japanese language skills, communication skills, PC skills and business manners that are necessary to work in Japan.
Qualifications you will be able to gain	Level 4 of Japanese Language Proficiency Test (if you are willing to take the test)

This job training is meant to help permanent foreign residents to find a job as soon as possible after the training.

◆Selection Date, Training Session, etc.

Enrollment Limit	15 people (The course will be held only if 8 or more people are selected.)
Application Period	From Fri., Jul. 29 through Mon., Sep. 5, 2016
Selection Date	9:30., Wed., Sep. 7, 2016 (Time is of the essence.)
Notification of Results	Tue., Sep. 13, 2016 (Subject to change)
Training session	From Wed., Sep. 21 through Mon., Dec. 19, 2016 (Three months) 9:30-16:10, every day except for Sat., Sun., and holidays (Basically 5 days per week)

◆Guidance Session for Application

11:00, Fri., Aug. 5 / 11:00 Sat., Aug. 20 / 15:00, Wed., Aug. 24, at Kobe YWCA College
(Please call us if you would like further explanation or would like to visit the facilities.)
Phone Number : 078-231-6201 (Ms. Harada is in charge.)

◆**How to Apply** Visit Hellowork in your neighborhood (ward) and fill in the application form there.
Your ID photo (4cm long, 3cm wide) is necessary.

◆**Selection** There will be an written examination of basic Japanese (hiragana, katakana), basic math, and an interview. Bring writing implements and an 82-yen stamp for postage (for mailing the result).

◆Place

School Name	Kobe YWCA College	Tel	078-231-6201
Place	1-12-10 Ninomiya-cho, Chuo-ku, Kobe (Postal Code: 651-0093) (12-minute walk from Sannomiya Station ; 6-minute walk from Shin-Kobe Station)		

◆**Fee** 5,000 yen (Includes textbook and school-trip transportation.)

◆**Where to call for general inquiries:** Hellowork office in your neighborhood or the institute below.
Hyogo-kenritsu Kobe Koto Gijutsu Senmon Gakuin
5-2 Gakuen-higashimachi, Nishi-ku, Kobe (Postal Code: 651-2102) Tel. 078-894-3730
Mr. Nochida is in charge.

◆The office below helps residents who speak foreign languages.

Kobe Hellowork (Kobe Foreigners Employment Service Center) Tel. 078-362-8610
2F (Booth 5), 1-3-1 Aioi-cho, Chuo-ku, Kobe
Chinese: Mon., 10:00-12:00/13:00-16:00 Tue., 10:00-12:00/13:00-17:00
English, Spanish, Portuguese: Wed. and Thu., 10:00-12:00/13:00-17:00
* Call **Kobe YWCA College** if you would like to know more about the training.

◆The Contents of the Training

Subjects		Contents	Hours
Classroom Lectures	▪ Enrollment Ceremony, Orientation, Graduation Ceremony	Self-introduction, orientation, etc.	4
	▪ Basic Japanese	Polite Japanese for everyday life.	36
	▪ Business Japanese II	How to communicate in Japanese at the office. (Thanking, apologizing, making a phone call, taking a note, etc.)	36
	▪ Japanese Culture	Aspects that you should know about Japanese society when working in Japan.	12
	▪ Safe Management	Tips for work safely.	6
	▪ Business Manners	Business manners, how to do a job interview, how to write your CV.	24
On-the-job Training	▪ Lectures by Working People	Listen to the foreigners talking about their work experience in Japan.	9
	▪ Workplace Tour	Learn how people work.	6
Practice	▪ Basic Japanese Practice	Conversation with basic Japanese.	51
	▪ Business Japanese Practice	Conversation with business Japanese.	75
	▪ Basic PC Skills	How to use a mouse, a Japanese keyboard, Microsoft Office in Japanese. Basic Microsoft Office Practice.	33
	▪ Advanced PC Skills	Internet searching in Japanese, putting kana over kanji, sending and receiving emails. Microsoft Office, Excel and basic table calculation.	33
Total Training Hours: 325 (Classroom Lectures:118 hours, On-the -job Training 15 hours, Practice: 192 hours), apart from the ceremonies and the orientation.			
Companies Previous Students Entered	Previous students mainly joined manufacturing or restaurant businesses, including Sheraton Kobe Bay Hotel & Towers, Don Quijote, MCC Food Products Co. Ltd., Tairyō-Sushi, Tri-net Logistics Co., Ltd., PC Cox Japan Inc., Ishida-Shinise, GENES Co., Ltd., Nakagawa Sangyo Co., Ltd., Amos Co., Ltd., etc.		
Rate of Students Who Obtain Employment	50% (2013)		

◆The Place for the Classroom Lectures

