

Re-entry of foreign nationals who possess the status of residence

Embassy of Japan in Singapore

On 28th August 2020, the Government of Japan has announced that all foreign nationals with a valid status of residence who have left and will leave Japan before 31st August 2020 with a valid re-entry permit (including special re-entry permit) are now eligible to re-enter Japan from 1st September 2020.

Upon re-entry from 1st September, regardless of status of residence, it is mandatory to present (1) the Letter of Confirmation of Submitting Required Documentation for Re-entry into Japan (hereinafter referred to as “Re-entry Confirmation Letter”) obtained from the Japan Embassy at the country/region where the applicants reside, and (2) the certificate of negative test result of pre-entry PCR testing conducted within 72 hours of the departure time of the flight (hereinafter referred to as “certificate of negative test result”).

Regarding the details of the new measures, please refer to the below URL:
https://www.mofa.go.jp/ca/fna/page4e_001074.html

Regarding the process and required documents for re-entry, please refer to the below URL: https://www.mofa.go.jp/ca/fna/page25e_000334.html

[Note] Following documents are required for the application:

- Original passport with valid re-entry permit including special re-entry permit. (Please make sure you are holding a valid re-entry permit for us to accept your application)
- Residence card issued by the Japanese authority (Original and Photocopy)
- [Original Application Form](#)

Please take note that an appointment in advance is required to visit our Japan Embassy. You are required to make the appointment to: japan-visa@sn.mofa.go.jp

The email content must include the following details:

- Subject Line in the format: "[Reservation] (Type of Application)"
Example: "[Reservation] Visa Application"
- Your Name (as appears in official documents)
- Purpose of visit
- Contact information (Contactable phone number on day of visit)

Phone appointments are not accepted, so please make sure to email us. Please also understand that we strictly DO NOT accept visitors without prior appointment.