## Visa Applicant Outside Japan

Make a plan to travel to Japan.

## Prepare the required documents.

\*The required documents differ depending on the nationality, travel purpose, etc. of the applicant. For details, refer to [Work or Long-term Stay] and the website of the Japanese Embassy or Consulate-General.

- Passport
- Visa application form
- Photograph
- Other necessary documents

Apply at the Japanese Embassy / Consulate with the jurisdiction.

## The application is examined in the Embassy or Consulate.

(If necessary, you may be contacted by the Japanese Embassy / Consulate-General and may be asked to attend an interview or to submit additional documents.)

> After completion of the examination, go to get your passport back.

Visa issued

Visa not issued

Enter Japan within 3 months.

## **Inviting Person In Japan**

Make a plan to invite a person of foreign nationality to Japan.

Apply to the Regional Immigration Bureau for the issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility.

> \*Inquire of the Regional Immigration Bureau for further details.

Send the Certificate of Eligibility to the applicant.