

**Students Wishing to Re-enter Japan without a Re-entry Permit
due to the Great East Japan Earthquake
(Termination of Special Measure)**

September 1, 2011

The special measure for visa applications of students who have departed from Japan without obtaining a re-entry permit due to the Great East Japan Earthquake has been terminated on 31 August, 2011.

If you wish to enter Japan to continue your education at a university or other educational institution at which you had been enrolled, please re-apply for a new Certificate of Eligibility and apply for a new visa at a nearest Japanese Embassy or Consulate-General. This applies even for those who were staying in Japan under the residential status of “College Student” as of 11 March, 2011 and had departed from Japan without obtaining a re-entry permit.

For further details, please inquire at your nearest Japanese Embassy or Consulate-General.