

**Application and Screening Procedure for  
The Japanese Language Programme for High School Students**

**The Japan Foundation Japanese Language Institute, Kansai**

**Step one:**

To make sure candidates have adequate language proficiency, students who have not received A\* - B in GCSE Japanese are required to take the *Sushi Test*, an online test administered by the Japan Foundation. Candidates are expected to score more than 85/100.

Please see the following sheet for instructions on taking the test.

**Step two:**

Return the following documents to the JFLLC:

- 1) Application form from the JFLLC, to be filled in by the student and the teacher;
- 2) Self-Introduction Form from Kansai Centre (student to fill in);
- 3) Formal Application Form from Kansai Centre (student to fill in);
- 4) Schedule form from the JFLLC, to be filled in by the student and the teacher;
- 5) Student's GCSE Japanese certificate or sushi test certificate

The above documents will form the basis of a screening process by the JFLLC. The deadline for returning the forms is Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2008.

**Step three:**

The JFLLC will contact the students' teachers around the 23<sup>rd</sup> April.

At that point the following steps need to be taken:

- 1) Short-listed candidates will be interviewed by the JFLLC Advisor over the telephone on 28<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> or 30<sup>th</sup> April.
- 2) Successful candidates need to visit their local GP for a health examination and have to submit a Certificate of Health.

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## Sushi Test – Instructions for taking the group test

This test was designed by the Japan Foundation to test basic Japanese ability. The test will take no more than 30 minutes, and you will be rewarded with pieces of (virtual) sushi! You will be asked to enter a Group ID so that your results will be automatically sent to the Japan Foundation London Language Centre. You may only take the test one time using this Group ID, so please review the instruction pages carefully and try the practice questions before starting the real test.

1. Go to <http://momo.jpf.go.jp/sushi/index.php?LangFlag=e>
2. Click on Test
3. If you have already registered, enter your Member ID and Password. Or, if you are signing up for the first time, click on Member Registration and follow the instructions.
4. If you have just signed up, the following pages will appear automatically. If you were already registered, please click on テストのうけかたをみる to view these pages. Please review these pages carefully.
  - Test questions and time limits
  - Instructions on how to take this test
  - Flash demonstration and practice question
  - Instructions on displaying your results
5. Click the purple box 「みんなでテスト」をはじめる
6. For Group ID, enter **JFLLC3**.
7. Confirm that you would like the results of your test to be sent to the Japan Foundation London Language Centre, and click Begin Test.
8. The test will take a few moments to load and then you can start. There are 29 questions and you have 30 minutes.
9. When you are finished, click おわり.
10. After a few moments, your score will appear. You can then review your mistakes if you want to.
11. Return to the main menu and click on **Results – Certificate**. Enter your personal user name and password. Click on しょうめいしょ to see your certificate.
12. Please print out your certificate and send this to us together with your application form.