

# Required documents for foreign nationals have changed

Please note that applications cannot be processed if you are unable to present or submit the required documents.

As of October 1, 2025, the required documents for applying for various services have changed as follows:

## Examination-related matters (applications for taking exams, adding additional licenses (※), and reacquisition after expiration)

- Submit a residence certificate with all fields filled in for nationality/region, date of becoming a foreign resident, classification under Article 30–45 of the Act, status of residence, period of stay, expiration date of period of stay, and residence card number (hereinafter referred to as “specified items”).
- ※ Please note that a residence certificate is now required when adding a new license category to an existing license. (Myna driver’s license is also acceptable.)

## Driver’s License Renewal

- For long-term residents: Present your Residence Card or a certificate listing the aforementioned “specified items.” (Myna driver’s license is also acceptable).
- For special permanent residents: Present your Special Permanent Resident Certificate or a certificate listing the aforementioned “specified items” (Myna driver’s license is also acceptable).

## Notification of Change in Registered Information

- When only the address changes: Present either your Residence Card, Special Permanent Resident Certificate, or a Resident Certificate listing the aforementioned “specified items.”
- When nationality or name changes: Submit a Resident Certificate showing the nationality/region field. ((For name changes only, Myna driver’s license is also acceptable.))

※Presenting your Myna driver's license can substitute certain required documents. However, please note that My Number Cards that have not been converted to a Myna driver's license are not acceptable.