

Survey Form Regarding Involvement of Long Term Foreign Residents in the Local Community
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Reading :

- 1. Able to read newspapers and magazines
- 2. Able to read simple Kanji
- 3. Able to read Hiragana and Katakana
- 4. Unable to read

Writing :

- 1. Able to express opinions
- 2. Able to write simple sentences
- 3. Able to write individual words
- 4. Unable to write

Q5: What is the make-up of your family living with you? (Select all that apply)

- 1. Husband or wife
- 2. Pre-school children (How many?)
- 3. Elementary school children (How many?)
- 4. Junior high school children (How many?)
- 5. High school children and older children (How many?)
- 6. Grandfather or grandmother (How many?)
- 7. Grandchildren (How many?)

Q6. What kind of residence are you living in? (Select one)

- 1. Company dormitory or apartment
- 2. Private apartment
- 3. Private rental house (single family dwelling)
- 4. Tenant in parent's residence (Apartment / single family dwelling)
- 5. Municipal or other public housing
- 6. Single family dwelling that you have purchased
- 7. Others ()

Q7. Have you joined the local neighborhood association (Jichikai) or children's association (Kodomokai)? (Select one)

- 1. I have joined both the neighborhood association and the children's association.
- 2. I have joined only the neighborhood association.
- 3. I have joined only the children's association.
- 4. I have not joined either.

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Q8. What was your reason for not joining the local neighborhood association or children's association? (Select all that apply)

- 1. Planning at some point to return to my home country.
- 2. Have not been invited by anyone
- 3. There is not benefit to joining
- 4. I don't know anyone
- 5. I can't understand Japanese
- 6. I don't know anything about the neighborhood association or children's association.

Q9. Would you like to hear an explanation about the neighborhood association or children's association through an interpreter? (Select one)

- 1. I would like to hear an explanation
- 2. I don't want to hear one
- 3. Either way is okay
- 4. Others ()

Q10. Do you think you want to continue living in Japan in the future? (Select one)

- 1. Yes (Permanently)
- 2. If unemployed, I would return home.
- 3. Once my children grow up, I will return home.
- 4. I haven't decided yet
- 5. Others ()

Q11. Select the answer that is closest to your attitude toward involvement in your local community. (Select one)

- 1. Since I don't have any particular problems, I do not intend to be involved in the future.
- 2. I am not involved now, but if there is an opportunity in the future, I want to be involved as much as possible.
- 3. At present I participate in local events, and want to continue involvement in the future as well.
- 4. I am involved with the community now, but actually, it possible I would like not to be involved.
- 5. Others ()

Thank you for your cooperation.