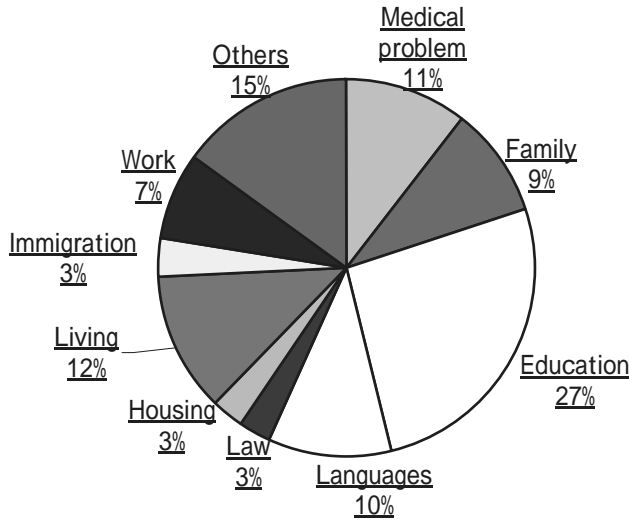


What do the following figures stand for?

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They are numbers of advices we gave to foreign residents in 2004



Fujimino International Cultural Exchange center is the foreign residents advisory center of Fujimishi, Kamifukuokashi, Oimachi and Miyoshimachi.

The diagram (above) shows percentage of different consultations that we had in last year. Advices on education are the greatest percentage (27%) of all, which are writing a correspondence to school for a person, helping school children study in class, enrolling kindergarten, elementary school or junior high school, etc. Next are on living (12%), which include on living expenses, public assistance, neighborhood problem, accident, enrolling procedure of national pension and national health insurance. More serious advices are on family affairs (9%), which are on divorce, marital relationship, domestic violence, child abuse, etc.

We would like to advise you the followings to solve any problem you have. Please do not hesitate to ask us. Free advice is available here.

1. Please contact us as soon as possible before a problem getting worse
2. Please ask us any insignificant problem you may have.
3. First contact us by phone, as you ask your friends.
4. We are challenging to be a busyboy or a terrible meddler. please call

Extension line for advisory center 049-253-7744

## INFORMATION

<Let's broaden the circle of friendship in the world>

### ☀️ **An invitation to Fujimino International Wai-wai club!!**

Why don't you join "Wai-wai club" annual events? Children of different nationals can participate various events playing, learning foreign cultures and making friends throughout the year.

<Eligibility> first grader of elementary school ~second grader of junior high school

<Annual participation fee> 4,000 yen ( including insurance premium, correspondence expenses and events cost excluding extra fee such as carfare for Nos. of events 3・4・6)

\* If you join the club midway or participate in camps through the year, participation fee is reduced.

<Application> Call and apply for Wai-wai events. Application form and guidance will be sent to you later.

<Annual events schedule>

Dates, programs and locations

May 14<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The first event: If the world is "Wai-wai village" at Fujimino Koryu Center

June 11<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The second event: Let's make *Bibinba!* at Fujimino Koryu Center

July 9<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The third event: Skaters in summer at Tobu Kawagoe Skate Center

Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The fourth event: Camping at National *Bandai Seinen no Ie*

Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The fifth event: You are a fireman at Fujimino elementary school (plan)

Oct 8<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The sixth event: Virtual trip to china (Yokohama China town)

Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The seventh event: Wai-wai sports meets, location not fixed.

Dec.10<sup>th</sup> (Sat.) The eighth event: Wai-wai detectives visit our city, location not fixed.

### **An invitation to foreign residents' Internet Monitors**

- 1 Nos. of monitors invited: approx.100
- 2 Eligibilities of applicant: be 20 or older  
have registered as foreign resident in Saitama  
have valid status of residence be able to see  
web and email in Japanese
- 3 Task of monitor: answering questionnaire to give  
monitor's view and suggestion to the prefectural  
office
- 4 Term: from June 2005 to March 2006 (plan)
- 5 Application: send email to international section  
<http://www.pref.saitama.lg.jp/A02/BQ00/index.htm>
- 7 Inquiries: The International Section of Saitama  
prefectural office 048-830-2717

### **Forum for Japanese and foreign residents in local community**

#### **Discuss future image with foreigners**

We will show you our operations and discuss with you for our future community. If you have any interests in multicultural community, please come and join us.

Date & Time: June 5<sup>th</sup> (Sun.) 12:30~

Venue: Fujimino Koryu Center main hall  
(5minutes walk from east exit of  
Fujimino station ) TEL 049-261-5371

Fee: ¥500 (¥300 for member of FICEC)

Application: Deadline May 30<sup>th</sup> (Mon.)

Tell 049-275-0370

Fax 049-275-0371

Organizer: Fujimino International Cultural  
Exchange Center

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