

2026 Recruitment Notice for Foreign Job Seekers (skilled foreign workers)

The Gyeonggido Job Foundation announces the recruitment of foreign job seekers who wish to work in Korea as skilled foreign workers in 2026. Through this program, the Foundation aims to provide comprehensive employment support services, ranging from job competency enhancement programs to job matching and placement services.

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CEO, Gyeonggido Job Foundation

I . Program Overview

Program Objective

- This program aims to select outstanding foreign job seekers who wish to work in Korea, particularly in skilled employment positions, and to provide one-stop employment support services-including job competency enhancement programs, opportunities to participate in job fairs, and job counseling and matching-in order to connect qualified foreign talent with hiring companies in Korea.

Program Support

Program		Details
Category	Subcategory	
Training & Counseling	Employment Workshops	- Career Exploration, Job Search Methods in Korea, Training on Writing Korean-Style Resumes and Cover Letters
	Career Counseling	- Counseling on job-seeking difficulties and preparation for job applications - Operation of regular counseling sessions and ongoing consultations via inquiry phone calls
Employment Opportunities	Opportunities to Participate in Various Employment Events	- Provision of opportunities to participate in events such as job fairs and conferences
	Customized Job Matching Services	- Provision of customized job matching based on job seekers' backgrounds and employment needs - Provision of a referral registration service for job postings on the recruitment platform Wantedlab Co., Ltd.

※ Please refer to Page 3 for detailed information on the support provided

Who can apply

General Requirements

- Foreign nationals who are legally eligible to work in Korea, including registered foreigners or overseas Koreans (F-4 visa holders)
- Applicants who have received administrative sanctions—such as

restrictions, suspension, or cancellation—related to entry, stay, or employment due to violations of relevant laws in the Republic of Korea, or who are currently under investigation or trial for related matters, are not eligible to participate in this program.

- Individuals who are able and willing to actively participate in employment support services and job-seeking activities provided by the Foundation, including job competency enhancement programs and participation in employment events for job seeking in Korea

※ Only applicants who are able to participate in the program on a continuous basis are eligible to apply. Applicants who are selected but fail to participate or become unreachable may be excluded from future foreign employment support services provided by the Foundation.

○ **Details**

Desired Field of Employment	Visa Status	Eligibility Requirements
Skilled foreign workers	D-2(Student Visa)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants expected to graduate in August 2026 - Applicants who have obtained, or are expected to obtain, at least an associate degree from a Korean institution in a field related to their desired occupation (However, students who are expected to graduate from world-class universities are eligible to apply.) - Applicants who have achieved TOPIK Level 4 or higher, or who possess equivalent Korean language proficiency

	D-10 (Job Seeker Visa)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants who have obtained, or are expected to obtain, at least an associate degree from a Korean institution in a field related to their desired occupation (However, students who are expected to graduate from world-class universities are eligible to apply.) - Applicants who have achieved TOPIK Level 4 or higher, or who possess equivalent Korean language proficiency
	F-2(Resident Visa), F-4(Overseas Korean Visa), F-5(Permanent Resident Visa), F-6(Marriage Migrant Visa)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants who have achieved TOPIK Level 4 or higher, or who possess equivalent Korean language proficiency

- Foreign job seekers who do not fall under the above eligibility criteria may apply through the year-round job application page.

☞ [Access the application page](#) (click the hyperlink)

- Number of Participants Selected** : Open-ended
- Application Period** : February 9, 2026 (Mon) 09:00 – February 23, 2026 (Mon) 18:00
- Selection Process** : Applicants who meet all eligibility requirements will be selected based on their application and submitted documents, without a separate evaluation process.

II. Programs Provided

※ Our programs details are subject to change depending on program operation conditions.

Training and Counseling

Employment Workshops

- Contents

- Basic guidance on job-seeking activities in Korea, including career exploration and job search methods
- Guidance on writing Korean-style resumes and cover letters, and interview preparation
- Overview of visa types and a visa roadmap for long-term stay in Korea

- Format

- Conducted as a 2–3 hour special lecture
- Lectures are primarily conducted in Korean (English sessions may be offered if there is sufficient demand)

- Lecture Schedule: (Session 1) February

- ※ Additional sessions may be held in the future, and detailed schedules will be provided separately to selected participants.

Career Counseling

- Regular Counseling: Telephone counseling conducted at least once every two weeks to review the job seeker's current job search status

and respond to inquiries. Brief consulting support is also provided for job applications and upcoming interviews.

- On-Demand Counseling: Telephone counseling is available through the Foreign Employment Support Center as needed. Inquiries submitted by email will also be reviewed and responded to accordingly.

Provision of Employment Opportunities

Provision of Opportunities to Participate in Various Employment Events

- Support for participation in employment events jointly organized with recruitment platforms and related organizations
- Support for participation in Wantedlab Co., Ltd.'s career conference, "Career Exchange" (free of charge)

Career Exchange

- Organizers: Wantedlab (AI-based recruitment platform), Expreve (influencer platform for foreign residents in Korea)
- Date / Venue: March 12, 2026, 13:00–19:00 / Episode Sinchon Campus
- Key Programs (based on the 2025 event)
 - Special lectures by foreign speakers for multilingual job seekers and those seeking overseas career opportunities
 - Career and company experience sharing sessions with 8 panelists and approximately 40 industry professionals
 - Promotion and recruitment exhibition booths operated by 15 health and beauty companies

Application Period : February 9, 2026 (Wed) – February 23, 2026 (Mon)

Method : Apply through the Jobaba Integrated Application System
(<https://apply.jobaba.net>)

Required Documents

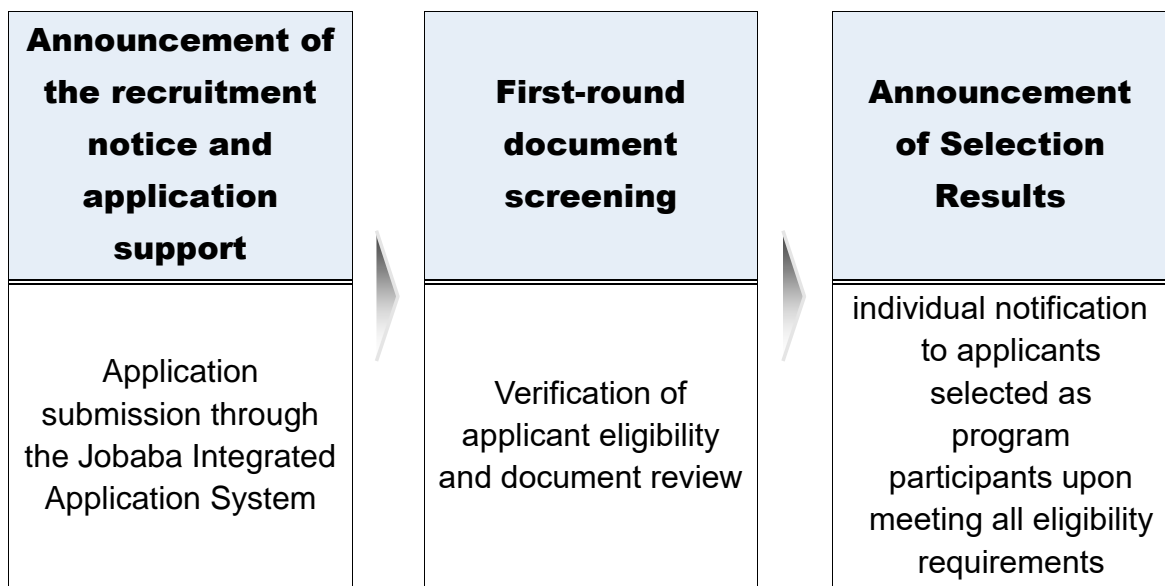
Required Documents	Details
Application Form	Submitted through the online application form
Copy of Alien Registration Card	All digits of the Alien Registration Number must be fully visible
University Graduation Certificate (or Expected Graduation Certificate)	Only official certificates issued by the university will be accepted. ※ Applicants currently enrolled in the second semester of their fourth year must submit a Certificate of Enrollment.
Resume	Resume (Free Format) ※ If no resume format is available, please refer to the attached resume template [Attachment 3].

III. Selection Process

Selection Procedure

Selection Based on Eligibility Requirements and Document Review

- There is no separate evaluation process. Applicants who meet the eligibility requirements and have no issues with their submitted documents will be selected.



Announcement of Selected Participants

Announcement Date: February 25, 2026 (Wed)

- ※ The schedule is subject to change depending on operational circumstances.

Final Number of Participants Selected: Approximately 50

Announcement Method: Individual notification to selected participants (via email or text message)

IV. Important Notes

- Applicants are responsible for any disadvantages resulting from failure to carefully review the recruitment notice.
- Applicants who are selected but do not participate in the program will have their participation canceled and will not be eligible to apply for the same program in the future.
- If it is found after selection that an applicant does not meet the program eligibility requirements, participation will be immediately revoked. If any financial support has been provided, it may be recovered by the Foundation in accordance with relevant laws and regulations.
- Submitted documents, including application forms and supporting materials, will not be returned. If any submitted information is found to be false or inaccurate, selection may be canceled and further actions may be taken in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.
- Applications and required documents must be completed and submitted accurately in accordance with the instructions provided in the recruitment notice and on the application page. Applications with errors or omissions may be excluded from selection.

V. Participation Information and Inquiries

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