

## From a cover letter to a C.V

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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Re: Job as a part-time sales assistant (reference: JBW5014)**

I would like to apply for the job of a part-time sales assistant in the food section of Fortnum & Mason's in Piccadilly, as advertised in Loot Recruit on 2nd August. Please find attached a copy of my CV.

My previous jobs include two years as a sales assistant in an organic food shop in Japan. This has given me experience of dealing with customers, as well as cashier skills and a basic knowledge of food retailing. I have been living in London since last September, and am currently studying English at a language school. I have good English communication skills (recently I passed the Cambridge First Certificate in English exam). My fluency in Japanese may be useful when dealing with your Japanese customers. I am an enthusiastic worker, and enjoy working in a team. My student visa entitles me to work up to 20 hours per week (or longer during my school holidays), and I could start work immediately.

I would welcome the opportunity to discuss the job vacancy with you on the telephone or at an interview. I can be contacted most easily on my mobile telephone or by e-mail (see details at the top of this letter).

Yours faithfully,

*Akiko Tanaka*

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**Employment** 1999

1997-1999

Natural Group, , Japan

A manufacturer and retailer of natural foods and supplements in Japan.

Sales

- Advised the main shop's customers about organic and health

**Education** Sept 2001

Britannia School of English, London

English  school; passed Cambridge  in June  
2002.

1993.1997 Meikai University, Chiba, Japan Degree in International Relations

**Other skills**

Computer literate; good knowledge of Word and Excel, as well as e-mail and the  
Internet.  in Japanese; practical knowledge of English and Korean.

**Personal Details**

**Date of birth** 6 January 1975

**Nationality**

**Work status**  visa

**Interests** Studying English, visiting museums, playing golf