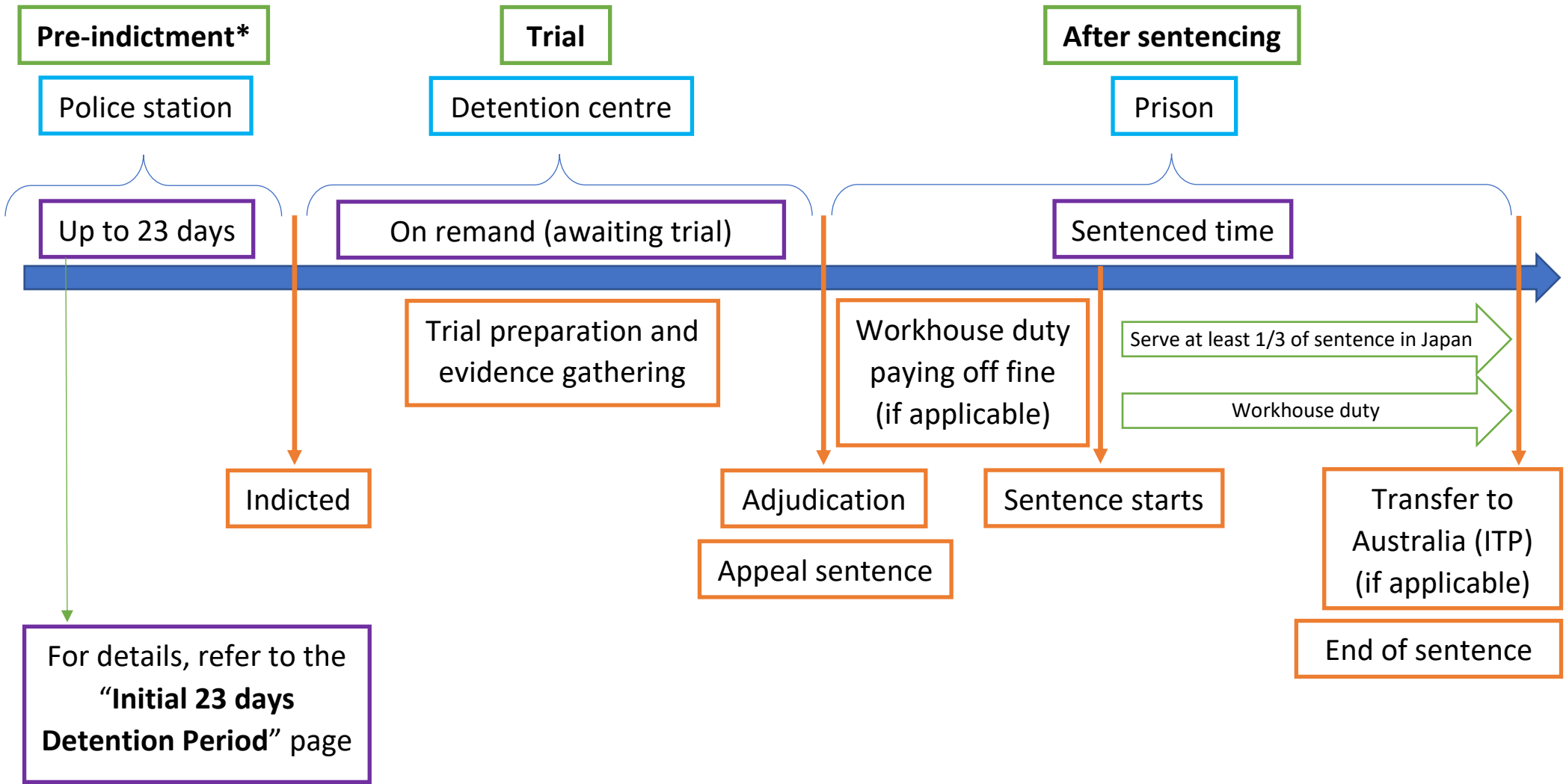
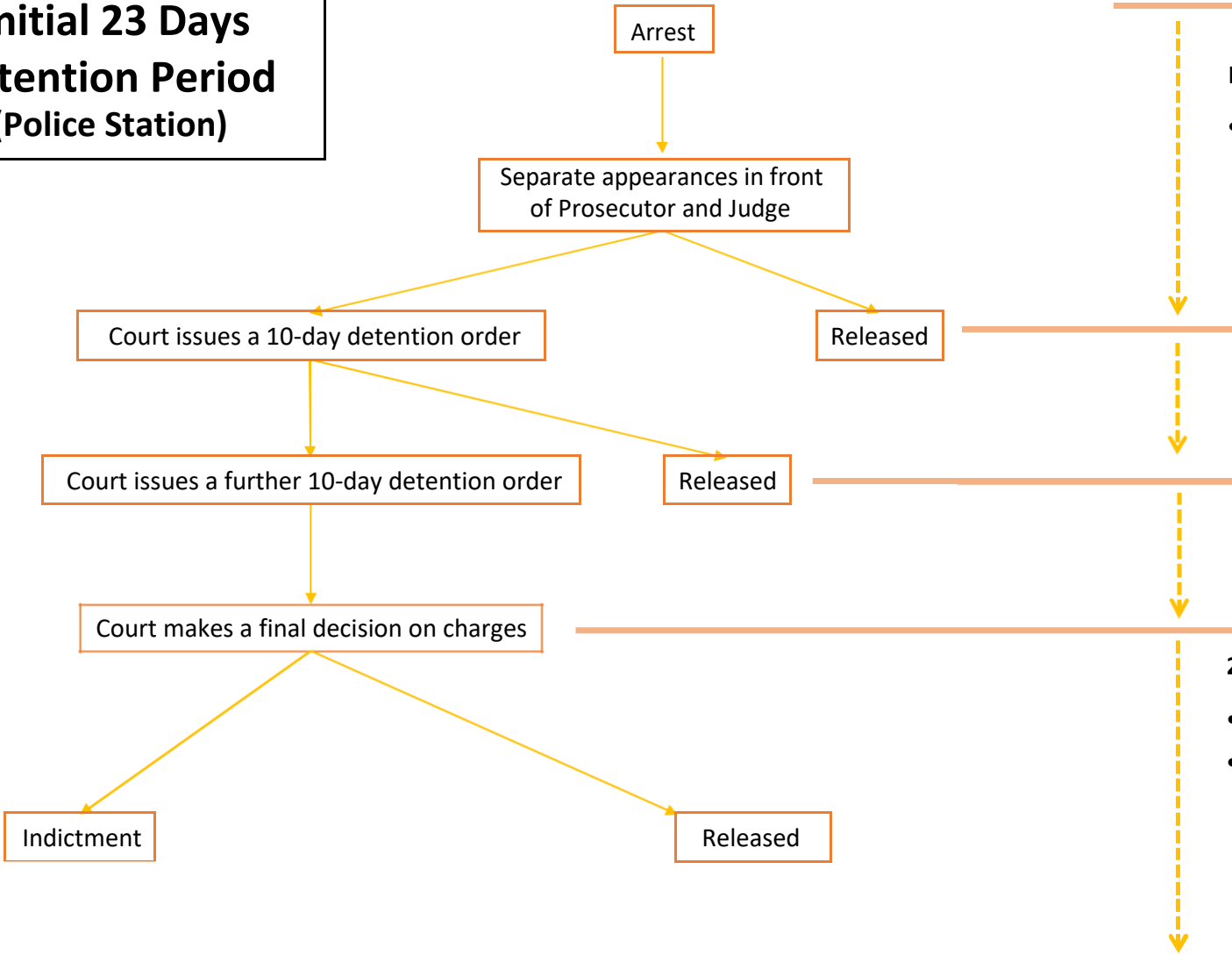


Detention in Japan - Timeline



*Indictment = being officially charged for an offence

**Initial 23 Days
Detention Period
(Police Station)**



Initial arrest: First 72 hours (3 days)

- **Lawyer appointed**
You may not be able to see your lawyer before your meeting with the judge and prosecutor

10 days

Under investigation

10 days

2 outcomes possible:

- Released
- Indicted and transferred to a detention centre
 - transfer may not be immediate, procedures could take a few months in some cases while you remain in police detention

➤ **If immigration status has lapsed (entry permit expired), you might be deported**