

City Hall Interpreter Location Changes

The location of the interpreter in the main building of the City Hall has changed since April. The new location is at the Assistance Desk for Foreigners on the 2nd floor of Plaza Kikuru (City Hall East Building). The interpreters will work not only in interpreting, but also in counseling foreign residents. Please refer to the "Kikugawa City Assistance Desk for Foreigners" column on the right for the counselors' available time. The Shimin-ka will provide multilingual assistance with translation equipment for the issuance of documents, or you can request an interpreter if needed.



Interpreters Location



City Website



Nursing Care Insurance Premium Amount

Come and Join the Japanese Class

The Kikugawa City International Friendship Association holds Japanese language classes every week. Let's learn Japanese while having fun! They also have events such as Christmas parties. Date and time: Thursday 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Location: Chobu District Center on the 1st floor of Plaza Kikuru What to learn: Hiragana, Katakana, Kanji, everyday conversation, basic grammar, and Japanese Language Proficiency Test preparation ♦Please check the city website for details. Inquiries: Chiiki Shien-ka, Shimin Kyodo-kakari (Phone: 0537-35-0925, E-mail: tabunka@city.kikugawa.shizuoka.jp)

Nursing Care Insurance Premium Changes

The amount of nursing care insurance premium has changed since April. The premium for nursing care insurance are paid by all people over the age of 40. If you are in need of nursing care, there are a number of nursing care services available to you through your insurance. Inquiries: Choju Kaigo-ka, Kaigo Hoken-kakari (Phone: 0537-37-1253)

Lectures on Disaster Prevention and Waste Management

You can learn about the work of the city hall through the lecture. The city hall officials will be the lecturer. You can request your favorite lecture if the participants are 10 or more people. The lectures are good for training in your company, for school classes and for a group activity with your friends. Portuguese and English interpreters are available if needed. Participation is free of charge. Please feel free to request the lectures.

《How to Request》

- (1) Select a lecture: •How to deal with heavy rains and earthquakes •How to play safely with fireworks •How to use an AED •How to dispose of trash and about recycling •Orientation for living in Kikugawa City
- (2) Decide on the date and place for the selected lecture.

You must secure the venue yourself. You are also responsible for any venue rental fees.

Contact Chiiki Shien-ka to make an appointment.

Inquiries/Appointments: Chiiki Shien-ka, Shimin Kyodo-kakari (Phone: 0537-35-0925, E-mail: tabunka@city.kikugawa.shizuoka.jp)



May 2024 Citizen's Calendar

Open Days of City Hall on Sunday	Extended Hour on Wednesdays	Taxes and Public Fees Payment	
May 12: Shimin-Ka in City Hall May 26: Ogasa Shimin-ka in Ogasa Branch Office Open Hours: 8:15 am to 12:15 pm	May 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29 Open Hours: 8:15 am to 7:00 pm Available Facilities City Hall City Hall Ogasa Branch Office Central Public Hall Water Fee Customer Center Plaza Keyaki (Social Welfare Council and Children's Hall are closed) ※We may not handle some of our services in the extended hours and may ask you to visit us on other occasions.	Fixed Asset Tax Light Vehicle Tax Municipal House Rent Childcare Fee After School Children's Club Fee Water Supply and Sewerage (B Region)	1st Period All Period For May. For May For May For Mar. and Apr.
Provided Services 1. Issuance of Resident's Card Copy (Only for Kikugawa City residents) 2. Issuance of Seal Registration Certificate 3. Seal Registration 4. Issuance of Family Register Whole or Extract Copy ※Any family members can apply for 1 and 2, but only applicable people can apply for 3 and 4.			

Kikugawa City Assistance Desk for Foreigners (at Plaza Kikuru 2F, Chiikishien-Ka)

★The interpreter who used to work at the Shimin-ka has been working at the Assistance Desk for Foreigners in the Chiiki Shien-ka since April. If you need advice or interpretation, please go to the second floor of Kikugawa City Hall East Building (Plaza Kikuru).

★Consultation Hours: 8:15 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The schedule of interpreters has changed since April, 2023.

○ : am and pm △ : am only □ : pm only ※Contact us if an interpreter is available at the time of your visiting.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Portuguese (Kikuru)	○	○	○	○	○
Portuguese (Ogasa Branch)	△	△	/	△	/
English	○	○	○	○	○
Japanese	○	○	○	○	○

Consultation by the Video interpreter and the Poketalk are also available. Consult with us about any matters. Consultation by phone (☎0537-35-0925) and email (tabunka@city.kikugawa.shizuoka.jp) are also accepted for free.

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- Languages: Portuguese, English, and Plain Japanese
- Contents: Information of events in Kikugawa City, disasters, and introduction of various consultation services.



You Can Talk to a Lawyer Free of Charge.

You can discuss a legal matter with a lawyer.
Date: 2nd and 3rd Tuesday of each month (3rd and 4th Tuesday in February only)
Time: 30 minutes per group (1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.)
Fee: Free Eligible: Kikugawa residents
Capacity: 5 groups per day
For an appointment: Call on the 1st of each month (or the next day on holidays) or apply at the Chiiki Shien-ka counter. *Please bring an interpreter with you, if needed.
Inquiries: Chiiki Shien-ka, Jichi Shinko-kakari (Phone: 0537-35-0925)