

Information Bulletin

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Hamamatsu population: 786,792 Foreign resident population: 29,028 (Population figures as of April 2024) *This bulletin contains selected information from the Japanese edition published by City Hall. *The telephone numbers listed in this bulletin will all be answered in Japanese only.



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Division Names are listed as of October 13.

Division names are subject to change due to the reorganization of wards on January 1, 2024.

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◆ INFORMATION (お知らせ) ◆



Applications for Children's Allowance (for those with newborns or who have moved to the city)

<児童手当の申請(子供が生まれた人、転入者)>

Qualifications: Those raising a child of junior high school age or younger Application: Apply directly to your respective Child and Family Support Center

Child and Family Support Center		Minami	☎ 425-1463
Chūō	☎ 457-2035	Hamana	☎ 585-1121
Higashi	☎ 424-0175	Kita	☎ 523-2893
Nishi	☎ 597-1157	Tenryū	☎ 922-0023

Website ▶ ぴっぴ 児童手当 (*Pippi Jidō Teate*)

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Child Rearing Support Division (Kosodate Shien-ka) 2457-2793

Get Vaccinated: Measles and Rubella Combination Vaccine (Free)

< 予防接種(無料)を受けましょう 麻しん・風しん混合 >

Eligible for Free Vaccinations: [First dose]: 1 year olds (until the day before their 2nd birthday)

[Second dose]: Children born between April 2, 2018 - April 1 2019

Application: Schedule an appointment at a participating healthcare provider within Hamamatsu city.

Contact the Nearest Center Below			
Chuo Health Promotion Center	☎ 457-2891	Hamana Health Promotion Center	☎ 585-1171
Chuo Health Promotion Center (Higashi)	☎ 424-0125	Hamana Health Promotion Center (Kita)	☎ 523-3121
Chuo Health Promotion Center (Nishi)	☎ 597-1120	Tenryu Health Promotion Center	☎ 925-3142
Chuo Health Promotion Center (Minami)	☎ 425-1590	-	-

First dose

Second dose



Website ▶ ぴっぴ 予防接種 (Pippi Yobō Sesshu)

Public Health Promotion Division (Kenkō Zōshin-ka) 25453-6119

Japanese Language Classes

< 日本語教室 >

Details	Date	Time
Everyday Japanese - Hamamatsu Edition	~ March 14, 2025. Every Monday, Tuesday,Thursday and Friday (150 sessions in total)	9:30-13:20
Reading and Writing	May 7 - September 26. Every Tuesday and Thursday (40 sessions in total)	14:00-15:30
Scenario-based Japanese	May 8 - August 28. Every Wednesday (16 sessions in total)	13:30-15:00

Application: Applications accepted at the counter from Apr. 15 (Mon) (first come, first served basis) **There is a level test before the start of each course. Please contact us before applying.

Extracurricular/After-School Japanese Classes for Children Attending a School for Foreign Students

Time: Weekly, Tuesdays/Thursdays, from May 7 to Nov 28 (total 58 lessons)

Venue: Hamamatsu Science Museum (Kitaterajima-chō, Chūō-ku) Note: Location subject to change

After-School Japanese Language Practice Classes for Foreign Children

Time: Weekly, Tuesdays/Thursdays, from May 7 to Feb 20, 2025 (Reiwa 7) (total 75 lessons)

Venue: Hamamatsu Science Museum (Kitaterajima-chō, Chūō-ku) Note: Location subject to change

Website ► HAMAPO Search

Foreign Resident Study Support Center (U-ToC) (Gaikokujin Gakushū Shien Center) 2592-1117

Intercultural Center Consultations for Foreign Residents (Free)

< 外国人のための相談会(無料) >

Details	Date	Time
Mediatory Consultations between Foreign and Japanese People with an Administrative Scrivener (Alternative Dispute Resolution)	May 11 (Sat)	
Consultations with a Lawyer	May 18 (Sat), 30 (Thu)	13:00 - 16:00
Consultations with a Labor and Social Insurance Consultant	May 23 (Thu)	
Consultations about Residence Status	June 6 (Thu)	

Venue: CREATE Hamamatsu (Hayauma-cho, Chūō-ku)

Application: Applications accepted at the counter from Apr. 15 (Mon) (first come, first served basis). Please contact us before applying.

Website ► HAMAPO Search



Intercultural Center (Tabunka Kyōsei Sentā) ☎458-2170

Accepting Applications for Municipal Housing (FY2024 1st Round)

< 市営住宅入居者募集(令和6年度第1回定期)>

Application: Apply directly to the Municipal Housing Management Center (Fujiyama Motoshiro Building, 5F) ☎457-3051 or the Municipal Housing North Management Center (Hamakita Chūō Building, 2F) ☎401-0323 [Application period: May 1 (Wed) - May 13 (Mon)]

- * Application materials (list of available apartments, etc.) will be distributed from April 19 (Fri) to all ward offices, administrative centers, branch offices, and the Hamamatsu Municipal Housing Centers.
- * Applications open at all times (first come, first served basis)

Website ▶ 浜松市営住宅管理センター (Hamamatsu Shiei Jūtaku Kanri Center)

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Benefits for Low-income Households

< 低所得者世帯に対する給付金>

Household type		Child Allowance Low-income households with children		
	Households with a Certificate of Residence in Hamamatsu City on December 1, 2023			
	*Households of dependents of a person paying residence tax are not eligible.			
Conditions	Households consisting solely of people who are not subject to income-based residence tax for the 2023 fiscal year. *This excludes households that are exempt from paying per capita residence tax.	Households that are exempt from income-based or per capita residence tax and have a child who was 18 years old or younger (born on or after April 2, 2005) as of December 1, 2023		
Amount of benefit	100,000 yen (per household)	50,000 yen (per child 18 or younger)		
Information	Information will be sent from around mid- March to households that are considered to be eligible.	Households receiving the benefit for households exempt from per capita residence tax In addition to the 70,000 yen for households exempt from per capita residence tax, information is being sent to households that are considered eligible for this benefit starting around the end of February. Households subject to only the per capita tax Information will be sent to households that are considered eligible from around mid-March. **The notice is the same as that received by those eligible for the benefit for households exempt from per capita residence tax.		
Application Method	For details, please refer to the notice received.			
Deadline	May 31, 2024 (postmarks accepted)			
Other	 For low-income households raising children, households with children born after December 2, 2023 or with dependent children living at a different address (living in a school dorm etc.) may be eligible to receive benefits. Please contact the call center. If all members of your household only pay the per capita tax for reasons such as divorce or bereavement, you may be eligible for benefits. Please contact the call center. If you think you are eligible but did not receive a notice, please contact the call center. 			
Enquiries	Hamamatsu City Priority Support Bene 20120-034-053 (08:30 to 17:15, Closed City Website ▶ 非課税世帯給付金 City Website ▶	### Search ###		

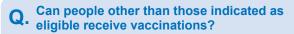
Responding to the COVID-19 Pandemic

< 新型コロナウイルス感染症(COVID-19)に関するお知らせ >

About COVID-19

The free COVID-19 vaccination program ended March 31, 2024. From April 2024, COVID-19 vaccinations will be offered on a periodic basis (same as for periodic seasonal flu vaccinations).

	From the 2024 fiscal year		
For	People who are 65 or older People 60-64 with certain underlying conditions (same as those eligible for influenza and other vaccines.) Age at the date of vaccination		
Period	Autumn-Winter		
Number of times	Once per year		
Cost	Unsubsidized (co-pay amount has yet to be determined)		
Vaccination	Type not yet determined (will be evaluated by the state annually)		



A. Yes, vaccinations can be received by paying the full unsubsidized cost. However, seasonal availability and cost may vary depending on the healthcare provider.

For more about the COVID-19 Vaccine Official Website





Fixed Asset and City Planning Taxes

< 固定資産税·都市計画税 >

Tax Deadline for 1st Quarter: April 30 (Tue), 2024 Pay your taxes conveniently via bank transfer!

Enquiries: Regarding payment ... Tax General Affairs Division (Zeimu Sōmu-ka) ☎457-2261

Tax details ... Property Tax Division (Shisanzei-ka) ☎457-2155

City Website ▶ 市税 納期限 (Shizei Nōkigen)

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Mailing of Vouchers for 2024 Hamamatsu City National Health Insurance Specific Health Checkup < 令和6年度浜松市国保特定健康診査等受診券の発送>

Vouchers for specific health checkups for people enrolled in Hamamatsu City National Health Insurance aged 40 or older or enrolled in Advanced-Age Senior Citizen Medical Insurance were mailed in late March. Please schedule an appointment without delay.

City Website ▶

国保特定健診(Kokuhotokuteikenshin)

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National Health Insurance & Pension Division (Kokuho Nenkin-ka) ☎457-2638



Additional Rubella Countermeasures

< 風しんの追加的対策>

Qualifications: Men born between April 2, 1962 - April 1, 1979 (vouchers were sent in late March)

Note: Individuals that used a voucher to receive a rubella antibody test or the fifth rubella vaccine in/after March 2019 are not eliqible.

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City Website ▶ 風しん抗体検査 (Fushinkotaikensa) Search

Public Health Promotion Division (Kenkō Zōshin-ka) ☎453-6119



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