Know Your City Newsletter 2024 April

FY 2024 Wakayama Tax Calendar

Tax Revenue Division 🕾 435-1038

Tax Due Date	Property taxes, city planning taxes	Municipal and prefectural taxes, forest environment taxes (regular collection)	Light motor vehicle tax (by type)
May	All #1 May 31		All May 31
July	#2 July 31	All #1 July 1	
Sept		#2 September 2	
Oct		#3 October 31	
Dec	#3 December 2		
²⁰²⁵ Jan	# 4 January 31	# 4 January 6	

Tax & Insurance Payment Deadlines

April 30 (Tues)

Nursing Care Insurance Premiums (April Period)

Inquiries: Nursing Care Insurance Division 2 435-1334

Wakanoura Art Cube 2024 Music Fest

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Please pay taxes by the due date

Payment Locations and Methods for City Taxes

Municipally designated financial institutions and collection agencies etc.
 Bank transfer
 Convenience stores
 Smartphone payment apps
 Financial institutions nationwide that support eL-QR codes
 Local tax payment websites

*Items **⑤** and **⑥** are only applicable if a QR code is printed on the payment slip.

*Visit the city website for more details (ID: 1046233).

Paying via bank transfer is convenient!

You can automatically pay city taxes from your account via bank transfer.

* Visit the city website for more details (ID: 1055825).

Begins in April! Manage government payments the easy way **Apply for automatic bank transfer via smartphone!**

List of Online Services



Category

Municipal and prefectural taxes, forest environment taxes (regular collection)
 Property taxes, city planning taxes
 Light motor vehicle tax (by type)
 Elderly medical insurance premiums (regular collection)
 National health insurance premiums (regular collection)
 Nursing care insurance premiums (regular collection)
 Loans from the Single-Parent Welfare Fund
 Loans from the Widow's Welfare Fund
 Municipal housing rental fees
 Municipal housing water service fees, etc.
 Fees for the use of community sewage treatment facilities
 Fees for the use of Wakatake classrooms
 Water charges and sewage usage fees
 Fees for the use of agricultural and fishery community sewerage

Inquiries

● Municipal housing rental fees, municipal housing exclusive water service fees, etc.: Housing Policy Division ② 435-1099

● Fees for the use of community sewage treatment facilities: Rivers and Ports Division ② 435-1090 ● Fees for the use of Wakatake classrooms: Youth Division ② 435-1235 ● Water charges and sewage usage fees: Operations Division ② 435-1128 ● Fees for the use of agricultural and fisheries village sewage treatment facilities: Operations Division ③ 435-1246

Applicable Financial Institutions

Kiyo Bank, Ikeda Senshu Bank, Nanto Bank, Sanju San Bank. * Fees for the use of agricultural and fishery community sewerage can only be applied for through Kinki Bank, Nanto Bank, and Sanju San Bank. * Fees for the use of community sewage treatment facilities and Wakatake classrooms can only be applied for through Kiyo Bank.

Tea Ceremony Commemorating Koshoan Teahouse's 50th Anniversary

Date: <u>Urasenke Style:</u> May 11&12; <u>Omotesenke Style:</u> May 18&19; 4 sessions /day 9:30-, 11:00- 13:00-, 14:30- **Details:** Enjoy a curated tour of Matsushita Konosuke's Teahouse exhibit (Apr 16th∼) at the Wakayama History Center and participate in a tea ceremony. **Applications:** Apply via phone from April 15th (Mon) (①Desired date/time, ②Name, ③Phone number, ④# of participants (5 people max) **Capacity:** 15 people/session **Cost:** Adults: ¥800; Children (middle school and below): ¥700



※To ensure that children (elementary and below) can participate, we have designated one session exclusively for children on each day. For more details, please visit the Wakayama Castle website or contact the Wakayama Castle Maintenance and Planning Division at ☎ 435-1044.

Subsidy Announcement Find more details on the city website (ID: 1056440)

1	Benefit for households only taxed on a per capita basis
Amount	¥ 100,000/household
Legibility	Head of households who were only levied resident tax on a per capita basis in FY2023 *Excl. households consisting solely of dependents of a residence taxpayer.
Procedure	Households that received confirmation documents in March should review the contents, fill in the required information, and return them. * In the following cases, separate application may be required for eligibility. Please contact the secretariat: ① If there is someone in the household who has not declared resident tax. ② If someone has moved into the household after January 2nd, 2023.
	③If you believe you are eligible but have not received the confirmation documents.
2	Supplementary Child Benefit
Amount	¥ 50,000/child
Legibility	Households supporting children under the age of 18 (born after Apr 2, 2005) (also applies until Mar 31 st following their 18 th birthday), where the head of the household meets either of the following conditions:
	①Households exempt from resident tax for FY 2023.
	②Households only levied resident tax on a per capita basis in FY2023
Procedure	Households that received confirmation documents in April should review the contents, fill in the required information, and return them. * Separate application is required in the following cases: ① If there are in the household children born after Dec 2 nd , 2023. ② If there are children in the household being supported by a separate household. * If you believe you are eligible but have not received the documents, please contact the secretariat.

Both ① and ②: Payment Date: Payments will be made sequentially after completion of the document review. Submission Deadline: Payments will be made sequentially after completion of document review. Reference Date: Households registered as residents in Wakayama City as of Dec 1, 2023. Contact: Secretariat for Rising Prices Subsidies ② 0120-969-861, ③ 073-499-5184 *9:00 to 17:00 PM (excl. weekends and holidays)

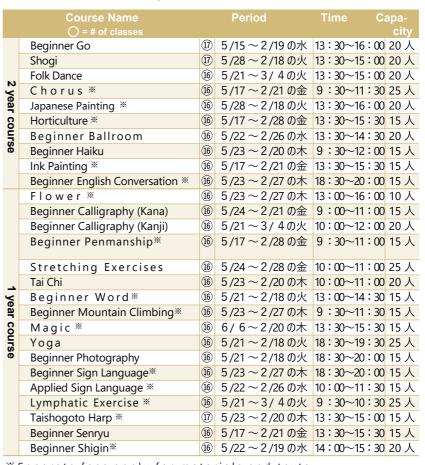
Civic College Seeking Students for FY2024 Inquiries Aiai Center 2 431-5246

- Eligibility: Individuals aged 18 and above residing, studying, or working in Wakayama City.
- Fee (annual): ¥3,000 (¥4,000 for Beginner Word Course) ※excl. course materials
- Application: Via postcard, postmarked by April 16th (Tues)

[Sender's Side] Course name, address, name (in furigana), age, gender, and phone number. [Recipient's Side] Postal code, address, and name.

- Location & Application Address: Aiai Center Civic College Section, 29 Kobitomachi, Wakayama City, 640-8226

 * Open until 17:00 *Closed on weekends and public holidays.
 - ▶ Student recruitment occurs once a year. ▶ Courses with insufficient applicants may be cancelled. ▶ In the case of a lottery, priority will be given to those who did not attend the corresponding course last year.
 - ▶ Beginners to around 5th level in Go are eligible for the Beginner Go course. ▶ Due to various circumstances, schedules may be postponed or cancelled.
 - *Check the city website for details (ID: 1002167)



※ Separate fees apply for materials and texts



日本語

外国人のための生活相談



◇相談日時:

日本語・英語 ----- 水曜日以外の毎日

10時~16時

◇相談場所:和歌山県国際交流センター

フィリピノ語・中国語 --- 月・木・土曜日

10時~16時

◇対応言語:日本語、英語、中国語、フィリピノ語、ベトナム語

ベトナム語 ----- 木・日曜日

10時~16時

英語

Consultation for **Foreigners**

Appointments are prioritized

♦ Days and Time:

Japanese, English ---- Everyday except Wednesdays 10:00 a.m. ~ 4:00 p.m.

Filipino, Chinese ----- Mon, Thu, Sat 10:00 a.m. ~ 4:00 p.m.

♦Place: Wakayama International Exchange Center

Vietnamese ----- Thu, Sun

10:00 a.m. ~ 4:00 p.m.

♦ Languages : Japanese, English, Chinese, Filipino,

Vietnamese

中国語

以外国人为对象的生活咨询

预约优先

◇咨询日・咨询时间:

日语,英语 -----每天 (除了周三以外)

10点~16点

菲律宾语,汉语 -----周一,周四, 周六

10点~16点

越南语 -----周四, 周日

10点~16点

◇咨询场所:和歌山县国际交流中心

◇咨询语言: 日语,英语,汉语,菲律宾语,越南语

フィリピノ語

Konsultasyon para sa Dayuhan

Prayoridad sa mga may appointment

♦Araw at oras:

Hapon, Ingles ··· Araw-araw maliban tuwing Miyerkules 10:00 a.m. ∼4:00 p.m.

Filipino, Intsik --- Lunes, Huwebes, Sabado 10:00 a.m. ~4:00 p.m. ♦ Lugar: Wakayama International Exchange Center

Vietnamese ----- Huwebes, Linggo 10:00 a.m. ~4:00 p.m. ♦ Wika: Hapon, Ingles, Intsik, Filipino, Vietnamese

Tư vấn đời sống dành cho người nước ngoài ベトナム語

Ưu tiên đặt lich trước

♦Thời gian tư vấn:

Tiếng Nhật, Anh --- Các ngày trong tuần trừ ngày thứ tư (Từ 10:00 am~4:00 pm).

♦ Địa điểm: Trung tâm giao lưu quộc tế Tính Wakayama. ♦ Ngôn ngữ: Tiếng Nhật, Anh, Trung, Fhilippines, Tiếng Việt.

Tiếng Philippines, Trung · · · Thứ hai, năm và thứ bảy. (Từ 10:00 am ~ 4:00 pm).

Tiếng Việt -----Thứ năm, chủ nhật. (Từ 10:00 am~4:00 pm).

お問い合わせ先:和歌山県国際交流センター(Wakayama International Exchange Center)

〒640-8319 和歌山市手平 2-1-2 ビッグ愛8階 Wakayama Big Ai Building 8th floor, Tebira 2-1-2 Wakayama City



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外国人のための無料法律相談

~法テラスの契約弁護士が担当します~

米完全予約制

◇相談内容:民事・家事・行政事件(*刑事事件は対象外) ◇相談日時:2024年5月|6日,7月|8日,9月|9日,1|月2|日,

2025年1月16日,3月13日 *午後1時~4時 ◇相談対象者:日本に居住する収入・資産が一定基準以下の外国人

◇対応言語:日本語 、英語、中国語 、フィリピノ語、ベトナム語 ◇相談場所:和歌山県国際交流センター

Legal consultation for Foreigners 英語

Only by appointment

~A contract lawyer of Hoterasu gives legal advice~

 \Diamond Days and Time: 2024 [5/16,7/18,9/19,11/21] ♦ Matters you can consult: Civil Affairs, Family Matters,

2025 [1/16, 3/13] * 1:00 p.m.~4:00 p.m. **Administrative matters** *Criminal cases are excluded.

♦ Place: Wakayama International Exchange Center ♦ People who can consult: Foreigners living in Japan whose

♦ Languages: Japanese, English, Chinese, Filipino, Vietnamese income/assets are lower than the certain criteria.

以外国人为对象的法律咨询 中国語

完全实行预约制

~ 咨询由日本司法支援中心签约律师担任~

◇咨询日・时间: 2024 年 5 月 16 日,7 月 18 日,9 月 19 日,11 月 21 日, ◇咨询内容: 民事,家事,行政案件 (不包含刑事案件)

2025年1月16日,3月13日

◇咨询对象:居住在日本的外国人,并且收入・资产在 规定基准以下

下午1点~下午4点

◇咨询语言:日语,英语,汉语,菲律宾语,越南语

◇咨询场所:和歌山县国际交流中心

フィリピノ語 Legal na konsultasyon para sa Dayuhan

Kinakailangan ng appointment

~Ang tagapagtanggol na may kontrata sa Hoterasu ang mamamahala sa konsultasyon~

Araw at oras: 2024 [5/16, 7/18, 9/19, 11/21] ♦ Bagay na maaaring ikunsulta: Usapin na sibil, pamilya at administratibo

2025 [1/16, 3/13] * 1:00 p.m. ~ 4:00 p.m.

*Hindi kasali ang kriminal na kaso.

◆Lugar : Wakayama International Exchange Center ◆Mga taong maaaring kumunsulta: Mga dayuhang namumuhay sa

○Wika: Hapon, Ingles, Intsik, Filipino, Vietnamese

Japan at ang kanilang suweldo/ari-arian ay hindi hihigit sa pamantayan.

ベトナム語 Tư vấn về pháp lý dành cho người nước ngoài

*Toàn bộ phải liên hệ đặt lịch trước

~ Sẽ nhân được sư tư vấn từ Luật sư theo hợp đồng từ Trung tâm pháp lý~

♦ Thời gian : Năm 2024 cụ thể - (16/05); (18/07); (19/09); (21/11). ♦ Nội dung: Vấn đề dân sự; Các vấn đề gia đình; Năm 2025 cụ thể - (16/01); (13/03).

Thủ tục hành chính, hồ sơ;

* Từ 1:00pm ~ 4:00 pm

(*Trừ các vấn đề liên quan đến hình sự).

♦ Địa điểm: Trung tâm giao lưu Quốc tế Tỉnh Wakayama.

♦ Ngôn ngữ: Tiếng Nhật, Anh, Trung, Philippine, Tiếng Việt.

♦ Đối tượng : Người nước ngoài sinh sống tại Nhật

Bản có thu nhập, hoặc tài sản thấp hơn tiêu chí nhất định hoặc luật định.

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FY2024 City-sponsored Japanese Language Classes for Non-Native Speakers (1st Term)

The City of Wakayama will be offering Japanese language classes to non-native speakers, who live or work in Wakayama City.

[Description] There are 15 classes per course.



Course 1	This course begins with hiragana and katakana.
	This course is for people who can read and write
	hiragana and katakana. It is the continuation of the
Course 2	FY2023 (2nd term) Introductory Course, however,
	previous completion is not required.

Location	ましょかいけんじつ Wakayama City Hall, 7 th floor briefing room (記者会見室)
Fee	Free (but must purchase your own textbook)
Tox4bool	"Nihongo 45 Jikan"; "Nihongo 45 Jikan Renshucho"
ICALDOOK	*You can purchase the texts online or at bookstores.
Teacher	Professor Hirano Noriko
Schedule	From May 2024
	Course 1: Thursdays, 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM
Time	Course 2: Tuesdays, 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM
	% No class if Tuesday or Thursday is a holiday.
	20 people per course
Capacity	*If the class has not reached full capacity, you can join
	anytime throughout the term.

[Schedule]

	Course 1 (Thursday)		Course 2 (Tuesday)
May	May 16, 23, 30	May	May 14, 21, 28
Jun	Jun 6, 13, 20, 27	Jun	Jun 4, 11, 18, 25
Jul	Jul 4, 11, 18, 25	Jul	Jul 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
Aug	Aug 1, 8, 22, 29	Aug	Aug 6, 20, 27

[Application Method] Please apply by method ① or ②.

 $\ensuremath{\textcircled{\textbf{1}}}$ Scan the QR code to the right, and apply online.

*Please bring your residence card (在留力一ド/

Zairyu Card) with you on the first day of class.

https://logoform.jp/form/fKMM/447062



Those who will take courses as a continuation from FY2023 are **not** required to resubmit an application form.

<Inquiries and Applications>

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