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Info for Residents

**Pick Up**
01 In the Event of a Disaster, Take Immediate Action to Protect YourselfRegional Safety Division ☎ 435-1005
Disaster Prevention Division ☎ 435-1199

November 5th is "Worldwide Tsunami Awareness Day", originating from the Ansei Nankai Earthquake that took place in 1854. You can never be sure when an earthquake will strike. When one does happen, take immediate action to protect yourself.

Wakayama City's Simultaneous Safety Training: 11/5 (Thu.) at 10:00

Training will be conducted all over the country for a large-scale tsunami situation. Continue to take "Earthquake Safety Measures" (see image) at home or at work for one minute.

Emergency Earthquake Alert

- ☐ きんきゅうじしんそくほう おおじしん おおじしん
「緊急地震速報。大地震です。大地震です。」
「Emergency earthquake alert. Major Earthquake. Major Earthquake.」
- ☐ くんれんほうそう
「これは訓練放送です。」 「This is a drill.」

**Repeats
Three
Times****Earthquake Safety Measures**

【Image Provided by】 Council for Effective Disaster Training and Disaster Prevention Advocacy and Awareness
Safety Procedures for Earthquakes: Get somewhere safe

- ① First, lower your posture ② Protect your head under a desk
③ Don't move until the shaking stops

Pick Up
02 Information on Kindergarten/Daycare for 2026**Municipal/Private Kindergartens and Certified Centers (Educational)**

※Current as of 10/1

★Municipal Kindergartens

For applications and questions, contact each individual kindergarten.

- Application Period: From 11/2 (Mon.) until reaching max. capacity.
- Form Distribution: From 10/13 (Tue.) at each individual kindergarten.
- Eligibility: 5-year-olds (1 year of daycare), born 4/2/2021 – 4/1/2022
4-year-olds (2 years of daycare), born 4/2/2022 – 4/1/2023
3-year-olds (3 years of daycare), born 4/2/2023 – 4/1/2024

Okayama	(Fukiage)	☎422-4583	Kii	(Hironishi)	☎461-0371
Nakanoshima	(Nakanoshima)	☎423-7966	Yamaguchi	(Sato)	☎461-0084
Minato	(Minato)	☎455-3822	Wasa	(Negi)	☎477-0167
Miyamae	(Kitanakajima)	☎423-3133	Nishiwaki	(Nishinoshō)	☎455-1996
Nishiwasa	(Kurusu)	☎471-3083	Saikazaki	(Nishihama)	☎445-3112
Kada	(Kada)	☎459-0356			

★Private Kindergartens

For applications and questions, contact each individual kindergarten.

- Application Period: From 11/2 (Mon.)
- Form Distribution: From 10/15 (Thu.) at each individual kindergarten

Onominato	(Dojomachi)	☎431-0241	Nozaki	(Kandori)	☎455-4113
Sakura	(Fukiage)	☎422-2191	Yasuhara	(Matsubara)	☎479-0212
Tachibana	(Nishi)	☎471-3918	Shinai	(Yakatamachi)	☎423-0114
Nazare	(Horidomenishi)	☎422-6593			

- Application Period: 11/2 (Mon.)
- Form Distribution: 10/1 (Thu.) at the kindergarten

Hinokuma	Akizuki	☎471-0380
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★Municipal Certified Centers (Educational)

Contact each individual center for applications and questions.

Ashihara	(Omatsucho)	☎488-3626	Honmachi	(Kitaokayamachi)	☎488-5220
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★Private Certified Centers (Educational)

Contact each individual center for applications and questions.

Kataonami	(Wakaura Minami)	☎444-3627	Kohitsuji	(Kinomoto)	☎452-0001
Yosui	(Nishihama)	☎445-6875	Shobu	(Kire)	☎478-2001
Tsukushi	(Kire)	☎488-7470	Himawari	(Arimoto)	☎432-4567
Satsuki	(Nakajima)	☎473-2444	Kandori	(Hirai)	☎451-4350
Sanbo	(Kusumoto)	☎462-0444	Jiromaru	(Jiromaru)	☎453-0190
Isao	(Sonobe)	☎461-9585	Midori	(Higashi Takamatsu)	☎444-3261
Wakayama Hikari	(Sekido)	☎444-9014	Yamaguchi	(Tani)	☎462-0567
Hirose	(Kataokamachi)	☎425-7887	Toyo	(Udamori)	☎461-2890
Makotonarutaki	(Sonobe)	☎455-6469	Wakayama	(Naka)	☎455-1983
Shimbori	(Shimbori Higashi)	☎436-1022	Hoshiya	(Hoshiya)	☎477-2790
Nagusa	(Kimiidera)	☎445-6902	Sumire	(Kinomoto)	☎455-6656
Aitoku	(Imabuku)	☎423-9796	Matsue	(Matsuenaka)	☎453-0050
Kinomoto	(Kinomoto)	☎488-1700	Makoto	(Tsutsujigaoka)	☎453-0020
Takara	(Shioya)	☎444-2773	Saginomori	(Saginomori)	☎422-6952
Mutsumi	(Sunayama Minami)	☎424-4414			



Municipal/Private Nursery Centers and Certified Daycare Centers (Daycare)

※Current as of 10/1

Inquiries: Daycare Division ☎ 435-1064

Eligibility: One of the following reasons for daycare is applicable.

【Reasons Daycare is Necessary】

Work, Pregnancy and Birth, Illness or Disability of Guardian, Caregiving for Family Member Living with you, Disaster Recovery, Job Hunting, School, Fear of Maltreatment or Domestic Violence

- Application Period: 11/9 (Mon.) – 11/30 (Mon.) (excl. weekends and holidays) at the Daycare Division (East Annex, 2F).

※Not first-come first-serve.

- Application Form Distribution: From 10/15 (Thu.)

Distributed by each individual center and the Daycare Division.

- Regarding Applications: Please submit the application form and all other forms necessary. For the other necessary forms, please check the city website (ID: 1001801).

City
Website

As of 10/1, Saginomori has become a Certified Daycare Center.

Applications for 1/2027 (Daycare)

- Application Period: 11/16 (Mon.) – 12/15 (Tue.) • Submission Location: Daycare Division (City Hall East Annex, 2F)
- For the educational component, please contact Saginomori directly. To avoid crowding, please arrive with a completed application form when submitting to the Daycare Division. For tours, please visit Saginomori's website.

Saginomori
Website

☆Municipal Nursery Centers

Miyamae	(Kitanakajima)	☎422-6622	Miyakita	(Kuroda)	☎471-1237
Sunayama	(Sunayama Minami)	☎423-3833	Miya	(Oda)	☎472-2523
Kusumi	(Kusuminaka)	☎455-1728	Nishiwasa	(Iwase)	☎472-7637
Ogura	(Shinjo)	☎477-0310	Kuinose	(Kuinose)	☎472-7638
Nishiwaki	(Nishinosho)	☎455-3916	Narukami	(Narukami)	☎473-2595
Kawanaga	(Kusumoto)	☎461-3504	Sakaedani	(Sakaedani)	☎453-0807
Yasuhara	(Motowatari)	☎479-0257			

☆Private Nursery Centers

Johoku	(Kobitomachi)	☎422-3239	Kiwa	(Nakanoshima)	☎432-2088
Sakae	(Kitsunejima)	☎455-2893	Kinokawa	(Matsushima)	☎473-2003
Futaba	(Tomodacho)	☎423-1103	Taiyo	(Donyu)	☎455-3300
Nozomi	(Zemmyoji)	☎452-0685	Awa	(Kusuminaka)	☎453-2003
Kii	(Nogawa)	☎461-6566	Shirogane	(Akizuki)	☎473-4320
Michiru	(Kemi)	☎445-4488	Santa	(Sakada)	☎473-2327
Koma	(Shimomike)	☎477-3310	Kazenoko	(Odani)	☎453-1506
Isao	(Sonobe)	☎461-9130	Okazaki	(Imbe)	☎472-0774
Nozaki	(Nozaki)	☎451-2327			

☆Private Certified Daycare Center (Daycare)

Kataonami	(Wakaura Minami)	☎444-3627	Kohitsuji	(Kinomoto)	☎452-0001
Yosui	(Nishihama)	☎445-6875	Shobu	(Kire)	☎478-2001
Tsukushi	(Kire)	☎488-7470	Himawari	(Arimoto)	☎432-4567
Satsuki	(Nakajima)	☎473-2444	Daini Himawari	(Sakaedani)	☎455-2155
Sanbo	(Kusumoto)	☎462-0444	Kandori	(Hirai)	☎451-4350
Isao	(Sonobe)	☎461-9585	Jiromaru	(Jiromaru)	☎453-0190
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☆Municipal Certified Daycare Center (Daycare)

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Weekend Breast and Cervical Cancer Screenings

Breast Cancer Screening

Sakurai Breast Surgery Clinic ☎ 448-3366

- Date and Time: 10/18 (Sun.), 9:00 – 12:00
- Maximum Participants: 30 people (appointment needed)

Wakayamaekimae Tamaki Breast Surgery Clinic ☎ 488-8610

- Date and Time: 11/1 (Sun.), 9:30 – 12:00
- Maximum Participants: 20 people (appointment needed)

※Make an appointment with the clinic directly via phone

Hamada Gynecology ☎ 462-0341

- Date and Time: 10/11 (Sun.), 11/15 (Sun.), 8:40 – 10:30
- Maximum Participants: 10 people per day (appointment needed)

Cervical Cancer Screening

Hamada Gynecology ☎ 462-0341

- Date and Time: 10/4, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22 (Sundays), 8:40 – 10:30
- Maximum Participants: 10 people per day (appt. needed)

Deadline for Tax and Insurance Payments

11/2 (Mon.)

Senior's Health Insurance (4th Period)

Insurance General Affairs Division ☎ 435-1062

National Health Insurance (5th Period)

National Health Insurance and Pension Division ☎ 435-1214

Excluding special collections arising from advanced deductions, we generally request that taxes are paid via bank transfer. We do not, however, specifically require this- for those that have difficulty paying via bank transfer, please pay by payment slips or via another method.

Nursing Care Insurance (5th Period)

Nursing Care Insurance Division ☎ 435-1334

Municipal, Prefectural, and Forest Environmental Taxes (General Collection) (3rd Period)

※Please pay by the deadline. For paying city taxes, please make use of the convenient bank transfer method. You can apply for this at your financial institution's counter or via the internet.

Tax Revenue Division ☎ 435-1038

Be Careful of Trouble with Side Jobs that Advertise Themselves as Easy Money!

Don't blindly believe advertisements that say you can earn easy money by liking SNS posts or watching videos in your free time. It's important to not give away personal information when starting a side job. If you are asked to pay money when you should instead be receiving money, do not pay them—if you feel that something is off, consult with the consumer advice center.

Consumer Advice Center ☎ 435-1188

Information Related to Property Taxes

Staff members will be visiting newly-built houses in 2026. There is a possibility that these new homes may qualify for a reduced fixed asset tax.

Additionally, certain renovations on homes (energy conservation (requires window insulation renovations), earthquake resistance, accessibility) and certain large-scale investments in apartments to extend their usage lifetime may also qualify for a reduced fixed asset tax. Once these renovations are completed, please submit an application within 3 months.

If your house has been demolished, you must inform the Property Tax Division.

※For more information, please visit the city website on consult with the Property Tax Division.

Inquiries: Property Tax Division ☎ 435-1210

Benefit to Support Those Living off of Pension/Child-Raising Support System

【Benefit to Support Those Living off of Pension】

- Procedures: Pension Services has sent out a notice for those eligible for the first time as of early September—please fill out and mail back the included form. If you complete all procedures by 1/4/2027, then you will be able to accept the amount for the month of October 2026. If you already meet the eligibility requirements and are receiving the benefit, then you generally do not need to complete any procedures from the second year and onwards.

【Child-Raising Support System】

As an economic support measure for child-raising beginning in October 2026, those that have class 1 pension status (between the ages of 20-59 and are self-employed, a farmer, a student, or unemployed) and are raising a child will be exempt from pension payments until that child turns 1 year-old.

Via an application, pension payment exemptions will be granted regardless of income level for those raising a child (biological or foster parents).

※The period in which you were exempt from payments will be shown as a period where you made payments for the purposes of receiving money through the pension system.

National Health Insurance and Pension Division ☎ 435-1055

Wakayama East Pension Office ☎ 474-1841

Benefits Hotline ☎ 0570-05-4092

47th Citizens' Culture Festival ~The Splendor of Culture~

Event	Date/Time	Entry Fee
Chanson-esque Ballad Performance in WAKAYAMA Fête des Chansons 2026	10/17 (Sat.), 13:30	Early Bird Tickets: ¥3,000 Day-of Tickets: ¥3,500 Purchase Location: Wakayama-jo Hall, Pref. Cultural Hall, etc.
Marimba Emile "Notes of the Trees' Timbre" Concert	10/18 (Sun.), 15:00	Early-Bird & Day-of Tickets: ¥500 Purchase Location: Wakayama-jo Hall, Pref. Cultural Hall
The 47 th Wakayama City Chorus Festival	11/8 (Sun.), 12:30	Free

●Wakayama-jo Hall Culture Promotion Division ☎ 435-1194

Please Give Blood!

Date & Time: 10/20 (Tue.), 10:00-12:00, 13:00-16:00

Location: In front of the entrance to City Hall

Inquiries: Prefectural Red Cross Blood Center ☎ 499-7724

General Planning Division ☎ 488-5108



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和歌山市
ざいりゅうがいこくじん
在留外国人のための

にほんごきょうしつ
日本語教室 2026

Wakayama City Japanese Language Class 和歌山市日语学习班
와카야마시 일본어 교실 **Lớp học tiếng Nhật thành phố Wakayama**

 にちじ
日時 Date and time 日期和时间 날짜 및 시간 Ngày và giờ

こーす
コース 1 Course 1 课程1 코스1
Khóa học 1

もくようび
木曜日 6:30pm~8:00pm
Thursday 周四 목요일 Thứ năm

かたかな ベンキョウ
ひらがな・カタカナの勉強

This course begins with hiragana and katakana.
从平假名・片假名开始学起
히라가나카타카나부터 배우는 초급 코스입니다.
Nghiên cứu về Hiragana và Katakana

こーす
コース 2 Course 2 课程2 코스2
Khóa học 2

かようび
火曜日 6:30pm~8:00pm
Tuesday 周二 화요일 Thứ ba

かたかな 히토 む こーす
**ひらがな・カタカナが
できる人に向けたコース**

This course is for people who can read and write hiragana and katakana.
面向能读写平假名・片假名
히라가나와카타카나를 읽을 수 있는 사람을 위한 강좌입니다
Một khóa học dành cho những người có thể đọc hiragana và katakana.

 ばしょ
場所 Location 上课地点 장소 Nơi

わかやましやくしょ かい きしゃかいけんしつ わかやましちばんちょう ばんち
和歌山市役所（7階 記者会見室） 和歌山市七番丁23番地
Wakayama City Hall (7th floor briefing room) 和歌山市役所（7楼 记者会见室）
와카야마시청 7층 기자 회견실 Tòa thị chính Wakayama (phòng họp báo tầng 7)



 ひょう
費用 Fee 听课费 비용 Chi phí

むりょう きょうかしょ じぶん か
無料（教科書は自分で買ってください）

Free (but must purchase your own textbook) 免费（需自购课本）

무료 (교과서는 자신이 구입해야 합니다.) Miễn phí (vui lòng mua sách giáo khoa của riêng bạn)

 もうしこみ ほう ほう
申込方法 Application Method 报名方式 신청 방법 Làm thế nào để đăng ký

こーど もうしこ わかやましやくしょ もうしこ
QRコードから申込む ※和歌山市役所でも申込めます。

Apply from the QR code. ※You can also apply at the Wakayama City Hall.
扫二维码申请。*您也可以直接到和歌山市政府国际交流科报名。
QR 코드에서 신청합니다. ※와카야마 시청에서도 신청할 수 있습니다.
Áp dụng từ mã QR. ※Bạn cũng có thể đăng ký tại Tòa thị chính Wakayama.





すけじゅーる

スケジュール

Schedule

课程表

스케줄

Lịch



こーす Course 1 课程1
コース1 Khóahọc 1 코스1

こーす Course 2 课程2
コース2 Khóahọc 2 코스2

ぜんき
前期

First half
前期课程
전기 과정
Giai đoạn trước

ぜんき きょうしつ しゅうりょう
前期教室は終了しました。

The first set of classes has ended.

前期课程已经结束。

전반기 수업이 끝났습니다.

Khóa học kỳ trước đã kết thúc.

こうき
後期

Second half
后期课程
후기 과정
Giai đoạn sau

10月 Oct.

8 15 22 29

6 13 20 27

11月 Nov.

5 12 19 26

10 17 24

12月 Dec.

3 10 17

1 8 15 22

1月 Jan.
(2027年)

7 14 21 28

5 12 19 26

ぜんき こうき おな ないよう
※前期と後期は同じ内容です。

※The first half and the second half have the same content.

※前期后期の课程内容相同。

※전기 과정과 후기 과정은 동일한 내용입니다.

※Nửa đầu và nửa sau có cùng nội dung.

ていいん かく にん とちゅう さんか
※定員（各コース20人）がいっぱいでなければ、途中から参加できます。

※Capacity (20 people per course) If the class has not reached full capacity, you can join anytime throughout the term.

※名额（各班20名）未滿名额时可以中途参加

※정원 (각 코스 20명) 정원이 차지 않으면 도중에도 참가할 수 있습니다

※Bạn có thể tham gia giữa chừng nếu không quá 20 người mỗi khóa học.



きょうかしょ

教科書

Textbook

课本

교과서

Sách giáo khoa

じかん
「にほんご45時間」

じぶん か
「にほんご45時間れんしゅうちょう」を自分で買ってください。

Please buy "Nihongo 45 Jikan" and "Nihongo 45 Jikan Renshucho" by yourself.

请自行购买“にほんご45時間”和“にほんご45時間れんしゅうちょう”

「니혼고 온주고(45)지칸」하고 「니혼고 온주고(45)지칸렌슈초」 교과서는 자신이 구입바랍니다.

Vui lòng tự mua "Nihongo 45 Jikan" và "Nihongo 45 Jikan Renshuuchou".



れんらくさき
① 連絡先

Contact 联系 연락처 địa chỉ liên lạc



073-435-1010



kokusai@city.wakayama.lg.jp

わかやましやくしよ

かい こくさいこうりゅうか

わかやましちばんちょう

ばんち

和歌山市役所（10階 国際交流課）和歌山市七番丁23番地

International Affairs Division, Wakayama City Hall 10F, 23 Shichibancho, Wakayama City 640-8511

和歌山市政府 国際交流科（〒640-8511 和歌山市七番丁23）

와카야마시청 10층 국제교류과（와카야마시 시치반초23）

Tòa thị chính Wakayama (tầng 10, Phòng Giao lưu Quốc tế) 23 Nanbandō, thành phố Wakayama.