To Foreign Residents



Supported by Japanese language volunteers

Places to study Japanese in Kawasaki City



For information on the availability of each Japanese class, please contact each office.

What is literacy learning?

At Kawasaki City Shiminkan (community centers), Japanese language classes for local foreign residents are called literacy learning. This name is based on the concept of international literacy activities by UNESCO and other organizations. According to UNESCO, literacy is useful for human liberation and all-round human development, and is not only about knowing letters.

Literacy is a fundamental human right. We believe that our activities support the independence of foreign citizens by working to eliminate the disadvantages and inconveniences caused by their lack of Japanese language skills. We aim to create a place for multicultural coexistence in the community where Japanese language volunteers and foreign residents can build trust and learn together by respecting and recognizing each other's native language and culture.

Kawasaki City Board of Education Kawasaki City Regional Japanese Language Liaison Group

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Let's talk about Japanese language and life in Japan with people from different countries! Anyone who lives or works in Kawasaki City is welcome to join. For more information, please call the number nearest you (speaking by Japanese).

For inquiries about this leaflet, please contact: Lifelong Learning Promotion Section, Kawasaki City Board of Education TEL: 044-200-3304

	Class name	Day of the week	Time	Fee	Childcare	Contact	Place
Kawasaki-ku	Reading and Writing Class Nihongo Hiroba	Wed	19:00 ~ 20:30	Free	None	Kawasaki Education and Culture Hall In charge of Japanese language TEL:044- 233-6361 FAX:044- 244-2347	Kawasaki Education and Culture Hall 2-1-3 Fujimi, Kawasaki-ku •Get off at JR Kawasaki station, and then walk for 15 minutes •Bus from bus stop No. 12, No. 14, No. 15, No. 16 at the East Exit of JR Kawasaki Station (no special express nor express buses) and get off at "Culttz Kawasaki Fujimi-park".
		Tue	10:00 ~ 11:30		V 1 11		Fureaikan 1-5-6 Sakuramoto, Kawasaki-ku
	Fureaikan Reading and Writing Class	Reading and fee only for	Yes: 1 year old and up Insurance Premium 800 yen/year	Fureaikan TEL:044- 276-4800 FAX:044- 287-2045	Take the bus bound for Kawasaki Daishi (Kawa 23) from JR Kawasaki Station East Exit, platform 7, and get off at "Yotsukaku". Walk 5 minutes.		

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Saiwai-ku	Saiwai Nihongo Class	Wed	10:00 ~ 11:30	Free	Yes: 1 year old and up Insurance Premium 900 yen/year	Saiwai Civic Hall In charge of Japanese language TEL:044- 541-3910 FAX:044- 555-8224	Saiwai Civic Hall 1-11-2 Totehonmachi, Saiwai-ku • Get off at Yakō station on the JR Nambu line, and then walk for 15 minutes. • Bus from JR Kawasaki Station LAZONA Kawasaki plaza to Kawa 71 Kosugi Station • Bus from JR Musashi Kosugi Station to Kawa 71 Kawasaki Station
		Thu	19:00 ~ 20:00	Free	None		
	Nihongo World	Tue	10:00 ~ 12:00 About twice a month	100yen/time	Yes: from about 1 year old *Insurance not provided 100 yen/family (for snacks, etc.)	Ikeda TEL: 090- 5538-8798 nihongoworld 25@gmail.co m	Saiwai Civic Hall, etc. 1-11-2 Totehonmachi, Saiwai-ku

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Nakahara-ku	Nakahara Nihongo	Tue	10:00 ~ 11:30	There is a fee only for educational materials	Yes: 1 and a half years old and up Insurance Premium 1,000yen/year	Nakahara Civic Hall In charge of Japanese language	Nakahara Civic Hall 3-1100-12 Shin-Maruko Higashi, Nakahara-ku
	Class		18:30 ~ 20:00	Free	None	TEL:044- 433-7773 FAX:044- 430-0132	Get off at Musashi Kosugi Station on the Tokyu Toyoko Line, Meguro Line, JR
	Nihongo Class Sekajjin	Fri	18:30 ~ ~ 20:30	Free	None	Tomiko Oshima TEL:044- 799-9303	Nambu Line, or Yokosuka Line, and walk for 3 minutes
	Nihongo Course, Kawasaki City International Association	Tue • Fri	9:50 ~ 11:50	550yen/ time Prepaid before the semester	Yes: 1year old and up Free	Kawasaki International Assosiation In charge of Japanese language TEL:044- 435-7000 FAX:044- 435-7010	Kawaski International Center 2-2 Kizuki Gion-cho, Nakahara-ku Get off at Motosumiyoshi Station on the Tokyu Toyoko Line or Meguro Line, and walk for 10 minutes
		Wed	18:30 ~ 20:30		None		
	Nihongo Club "Saturday Meeting"	Sat	14:00 ~ 15:30	Free	None	Hajime Sato TEL:090- 1049-3526 hajime.sato0 211@gmail.c om	Kawasaki Civic Action Center 3-1100-12 Shin-Maruko Higashi, Nakahara-ku Welfare Pal Nakahara Wada Bld.,1F,
						Junko Matsumoto TEL:090- 6717-4724	1-34,Imaikamicho, Nakahara-ku * Advance contact required.

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Takatsu-ku	Takatsu Nihongo Classroom	Wed	10:00 ~ 11:30	There is a fee only for educational materials	Yes *Advance consultation required.	Takatsu Civic Hall In charge of Japanese language TEL:044- 814-7603 Nocty 2, 11/12F, 1-4-1 Mizoguchi, Takatsu-ku, In front of Mizonokuchi statio on the Tokyu Denentoshi Line /	1-4-1 Mizoguchi, Takatsu-ku,
		Thu	19:00 ~ 20:30	Free	None		Denentoshi Line / In front of Mizonokuchi Station on the JR
	Tomoshibi-no -kai Nihongo Classroom	Sat	15:00 ~ 17:00	There is a fee only for educational materials	None	Syunsuke Takahashi TEL:044- 822-3067 Phone:090- 1506-4304 Please contact us at that number above in advance, if you participate in lessons.	Mizoguchi Catholic Church 5-15-7 Futago, Takatsu-ku Get off at Takatsu Station on Tokyu Denentoshi Line., then walk for 5 minutes Get off at Musashi Mizonokuchi Station on JR Nambu Line, then walk for 8 minutes
	Wai Wai Hiroba	Sat	14:00 ~ 16:00	200yen/ time	None	Shinji Kusano TEL:080- 7941-1127 Azusa Suda TEL:090- 8115-2819 waiwai.nihon go2023@gma il.com	Welfare Pal Takatsu 1-6-10,Mizonokuchi Takatsu-ku Get off at Musashi Mizonokuchi Station on JR Nambu Line, then walk for 6 minutes

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	Miyamae Nihongo Class (morning)	Fri	10:00 ~ 12:00	500yen/ year	Yes: half year old and up Insurance Premium 1,000yen/year	Miyamae Civic Hall In charge of Japanese language	Miyamae Civic Hall 2-20-4 Miyamae-ku Get off at Miyamaedaira Station on Tokyu Denentoshi Line, then walk for 10 minutes (Next to Miyamae Ward Office) Welfare Pal Miyamae Miyazakidai Garden Office 4F, 2-6-10 Miyazaki, Miyamae-ku Get off at Miyazakidai on the Tokyu Denentoshi Line, and then walk for 5 minutes
	Miyamae Nihongo Class (Evening)	Wed	19:00 ~ 20:30	Free	None	TEL:044- 888-3911 FAX:044- 856-1436	
Miyamae-ku	Miyamaedaira Nihongo Classroom	Thu	10:00 ~ 11:30	300yen/Se mester	None: You can bring your child with you	Shinji Kaneko TEL:044- 977-2910	
ũ	LET'S be Nihongo Salon	Mon	10:30 ~ 12:00 or 13:30 ~ 15:00	200yen/time	None	Kimika Ono kimika.happine ss9101315@ez web.ne.jp	
Tama-ku	Tama Nihongo Class (morning)	Wed	10:00 ~ 12:00	500yen/ year	Yes *Advance consultation required.	Tama Civic Hall In charge of	Tama Civic Hall 1775-1 Noborito, Tama-ku Get off at
	Tama Nihongo Class (Evening)	Fri	19:00 ~ 20:30	Free	None	Japanese language TEL:044- 935-3333 FAX:044- 935-3398	Mukogaoka-Yuen Station on the Odakyu Line, then walk for 5 minutes Get off at Noborito Station on JR Nambu Line, and then walk for 10 minutes
	Nihongo Salon	Thu	10:00 ~ 11:30	500yen/ Month	None: You can bring your child with you	Nihongo Salon yokoso_nihon go@yahoo.co .jp Please contact us at that number above in advance, if you participate in lessons.	Tama Civic Hall 1775-1, Noborito, Tama-ku Welfare Pal Tama 1891, Noborito, Tama-ku No.3 Ide Bldg. 3F

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	Asao Nihongo Class	Thu	10:00 ~ 11:30 18:45 ~ 20:15	Free	Yes: 1year old and up Insurance Premium 1,000yen/year	Asao Civic Hall In charge of Japanese language TEL:044- 951-1300 FAX:044- 951-1650	Asao Civic Hall 1-5-2, Manpukuji, Asao-ku Get off at Shinyurigaoka, Odakyu Line, and then walk for 3 minutes
Asao-ku	Nihongo Asao, Monday Class	Mon	10:00 ~ 11:30	Free (educational materials 300yen/Seme ster)	None	m.nihongoas ao@gmail.co m	Asao Civic Hall 1-5-2, Manpukuji, Asao-ku Welfare Pal Asao 1-2-2, Manpukuji, Asao-ku Shinyuri 21 Bldg. 1F Asao Ward Office Kakio Building 6-29-18 Kamiaso, Asao-ku
	International Exchange Asao Shinyuri Class	Tue	18:00 ~ 19:30	100yen/ time	None	Furukawa 044-954 -8551 Fujikawa 044-989 -4434	Welfare Pal Asao 1-2-2, Manpukuji, Asao-ku In front of Shin-Yurigaoka Station on Odakyu Line Shinyuri 21 Bldg. 1F
	Kakio Nihongo	Wed	14:30 ~ 16:00	400yen / Month	None	(Temporarily closed)	(Temporarily closed)

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Asao-ku	Kakio Nihongo Class on Saturday	Sat	10:00 ~ 11:30	Free	None	k_doyo@yaho o.co.jp HP https://k-doyo .wixsite.com/m ysite Please contact us at that number above in advance, if you participate in lessons.	Kakio District Hall 6-29-18 Kamiaso, Asao-ku Get off at South Exit of Kakio Station on Odakyu Line, and then walk for 5 minutes

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