



Global City Ota Cooperation Association Multilingual Consultation Desk

Please note that the Multilingual Consultation Desk's consultation times have changed.

Languages	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
English	10:00-17:00	10:00-17:00	10:00-17:00	×	10:00-17:00
Chinese	10:00-17:00	10:00-17:00	×	10:00-17:00	10:00-17:00
Tagalog	10:00-17:00	×	×	×	10:00-17:00
Nepali	×	×	10:00-17:00	×	×
Vietnamese	×	×	×	10:00-17:00	×

* You can consult with a lawyer in the afternoon of the 1st and 3rd Sunday (13:00-17:00) (Prior reservation is required).

* Please inquire also about other languages.

Daily life consultation

Consultations on matters related to daily living such as children, marriage, divorce, employment and communication difficulties are available in multiple languages. Provides information on Japanese language schools and volunteer-organized Japanese classes located in Ota City.

Interpretation

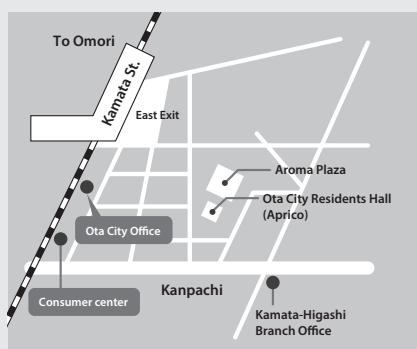
We have interpreters to assist foreigners by accompanying them to designated counters for procedure at the Ota City main office.

Translation

We offer translation service of documents such as certificate to be submitted to Ota City office. Starting from July 2019, translation fee (500yen per A4 page) will be collected.



Access Map



Address

5-13-26 Kamata, Ota-ku
Consumer center 1F



03-6424-8822

FAX

03-5710-6330

HP

<https://www.ota-goca.or.jp/>

Email

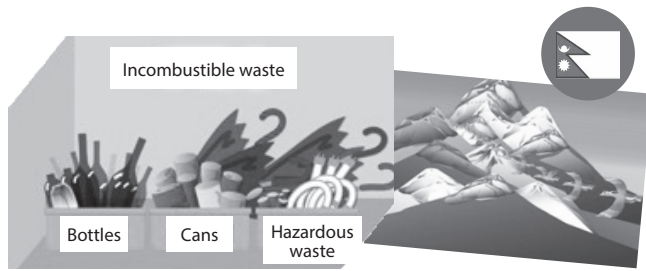
info@ota-goca.or.jp

The Global City Ota
Cooperation Association
has a new logo.



Learn in Nepali

Learn about rules and manners observed in Japanese society.



Have you ever experienced a problem living in Japan? Ota City offers a service that explains Japanese social rules and manners in Nepali. It also gives you an opportunity to ask in Nepali about anything you don't understand.

Who is eligible?

- Speakers of Nepali
- People living, working, or attending school in Ota City

When

Sunday, July 28 13:30 to 15:30

Where

mics Ota (1st floor, Consumer Center, 5-13-26 Kamata, Ota City)

Topics

Waste disposal and rules observed in the home (e.g., not making loud noises at night, etc.)

Cost

Free

Capacity

20 people

A similar service for Chinese speakers is scheduled for December.

How to apply

- Send an e-mail. Send an e-mail providing your ① name, ② address, ③ telephone number, ④ age, and ⑤ e-mail address to mail@ota-goca.or.jp.
- Visit the Multilingual Consultation Desk.
- Fax an application form.

Deadline

Friday, July 12

You will be contacted by e-mail after the application is completed. Please make sure your e-mail program will accept mail sent from mail@ota-goca.or.jp.

Inquiries

Global City Ota Cooperation Association

☎: 03-6410-7981 FAX: 03-6410-7982

Email: mail@ota-goca.or.jp

Safety & security e-mail notification service for residents

Ota City sends E-mail notifications concerning weather, earthquake, and tsunami to registered persons.

What kinds of information can be received?

1 Weather information

When the following warnings or special warnings are announced in Ota City

- * "Warning": An announcement stating "Danger! Be Careful!" will be sent to registered persons.
- Warnings: Heavy rain, flood, windstorm, snowstorm, heavy snow, waves, high tide (storm surge)
- Special warnings: Heavy rain, windstorm, snowstorm, heavy snow, waves, high tide (storm surge)

2 Earthquake information

When an earthquake with a seismic intensity 3 or more occurs in Ota City

3 Tsunami information

When tsunami warnings or major tsunami warnings are announced in the Tokyo Bay area

How do I register?

- 1 Send a blank e-mail to the following address. (There is no need to write anything in the mail.)

English	kumin-en@anzen.city.ota.tokyo.jp
Chinese	kumin-ch@anzen.city.ota.tokyo.jp
Korean	kumin-ko@anzen.city.ota.tokyo.jp
Tagalog	kumin-ta@anzen.city.ota.tokyo.jp

- 2 Click on the link provided in the reply e-mail and follow the instructions on the screen to complete registration.

* If you do not receive a reply after sending a blank e-mail:

- Adjust the settings of your e-mail software to allow messages from the domain anzen.city.ota.tokyo.jp.
- Adjust the settings of your e-mail software to allow receipt of e-mail containing URL links.
- Visit the Ota City website for more information.
<http://www.city.ota.tokyo.jp/seikatsu/chiiki/bousai/suigai/multilingualmail.html>

Inquiries

Community Safety Desk, Disaster Preparation and Crisis Management Division

☎: 03-5744-1634 FAX: 03-5744-1519

Recruitment of international exchange volunteers

Ota City is recruiting people for a volunteer registration program. We are looking for "language volunteers" to provide interpreting and translation using foreign language skills; "planning and management volunteers" to plan events and programs and to staff events; "public relations volunteers" to help prepare leaflets and other materials; "cultural and international understanding volunteers" to present foreign and Japanese culture and speak on experiences abroad; and "homestay volunteers" to accept international students and others into their homes.

Past and current participants in the program have served as event staffers and executive committee members for Japanese speech presentations.

The process from registration to actual volunteering

- 1 Fill in the required items on the application form and submit the form (by post, e-mail, or visiting GOCA). The application form can be downloaded from the GOCA website.
- 2 You will receive a registration completion notice after you have completed the registration procedure.
- 3 You will receive a notice whenever volunteers are needed. Please respond to those notices that interest you. (Volunteers will be chosen by lottery when many responses are received.)

Inquiries

Global City Ota Cooperation Association (GOCA)
 ☎: 03-6410-7981
 Website: <https://www.ota-goca.or.jp/>

Notice concerning Submittal of Current Situation Notifications and Payment Months for the Child Allowance Program

★ Submittal of current situation notification

A current situation notification must be submitted in order to receive the child allowance or special allowance without interruption from June. Forms will be sent by post to those required to submit this notification in early June. Please submit this form by post by the end of June. Please note that the form will not be accepted at Ota City branch offices.

★ Months for child allowance payments

As a general rule, child allowance payments are made to the bank account of the beneficiary in June (for February to May), October (for June to September) and February (for October until the following January).

Child allowance (for person whose income is below the income limit)

Age category	Payment amount (monthly)
0 to under age 3 (flat rate)	15,000 yen/month
From age 3 until completion of elementary school education (1st and 2nd child)	10,000 yen/month
From age 3 until completion of elementary school education (3rd and later children)	15,000 yen/month
Junior high school student (up to first March 31st after 15th birthday) (flat rate)	10,000 yen/month

* A child being raised who is at or under the age of 18 (up to the first March 31st after his/her 18th birthday) is counted as one child.

Special Allowance (for person whose income meets or exceeds the income limit)

No age classification (flat rate)	5,000 yen/month
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Inquiries

Children's Medical Care Section,
 Childcare Support Division
 (Counter 23, 3rd floor, Ota City Office)
 ☎: 03-5744-1275 FAX: 03-5744-1525

"English Picture Book Storytelling" at Ikegami Library

Ikegami Library is presenting an English storytelling program. The program features not only readings of picture books but also picture-story shows and story-based kumiki woodcraft on some days. Other activities including songs, dancing, and hand play, making the program an enjoyable time for babies to elementary school-age children.

The readers are members of a volunteer group called "Lupines." Each time the readers bring a wonderful book. We hope you will find their selections helpful when choosing books for your child. Ota City's libraries have many foreign-language books in their collections. We invite you to make use of them.

Third Saturday of even-numbered months
 (fourth Saturday in August)

11:00 to 11:30

Schedule for 2019

June 15

August 24

October 19

December 21

February 15

Place

Storytelling Room, 1st Floor, Ikegami Library

Application

No application is required. Simply go to the designated room at Ikegami Library on the day of the program.

Inquiries

Children's Services Section, Ikegami Library
 ☎: 03-3751-3341



Ota Children's Japanese Classes

Classes that teach children Japanese before they enter school are available.

Kamata class

Providing organization

Legato Ota

Place

Interpeople Community Center (mics Ota)
Address: Consumer Center, 5-13-26-101 Kamata,
Ota City

Inquiries

☎: 03-6424-8822 FAX: 03-5710-6330

Days and times

Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 9:00 to 12:00

Omori class

Providing organization

Nihongo-Gururitto

Place

International Exchange Facility, Sanno Hall
Address: International Exchange Facility, 3-37-11
Sanno, Ota City

Inquiries

☎ and FAX: 03-5709-1347

Days and times

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays 9:00 to 12:00

Eligibility: Children who meet all of the following conditions (1 to 3).

- 1 Child with non-Japanese nationality who resides in Ota City.
- 2 School-age child who is not yet enrolled in school (born between April 2, 2004, and April 1, 2013) or child who is currently in a period that begins six months prior to enrollment in elementary school and ends with actual enrollment (born between April 2, 2013, and April 1, 2014).
- 3 Child who lacks Japanese skills and is not enrolled in an Ota City school.



The Omori classes are held at Sanno Hall, whose hilltop location offers a magnificent view. Sanno Hall is also an excellent place to enjoy the cherry blossom season.

- * Children study comfortably and relaxedly in four spacious and bright classrooms of various sizes.
- * As a rule, the children's classes teach children up until they enroll in school. This allows them to receive sufficient support in their Japanese language education under an integrated curriculum that takes them from "zero to independence."
- * Teachers with specialized knowledge and experience provide dedicated instruction that is matched to each student's needs.
- * Staff will respond appropriately to consultations concerning coursework and study paths.

Conveniently located, the classes can be attended by children living anywhere in Ota City.

Help your precious child get ready for life in Japan by signing him or her up for the Omori children's classes, a program that receives high marks from school teachers and parents alike.

It's the first step that is most important!

Why not drop by and have a look for yourself?



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