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## 【Ota City Announces “Ota Fureai Festa 2023”!】



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is available  
in audio.



### Ota Fureai Festa

#### • Furusato-no-Hamabe Area

This area will be bustling with stage events and international exchange under the theme of multiculturalism.

#### • Sun Area

This will feature a fire engine exhibit, hands-on sporting activities, and other attractions for enjoyment by children.

#### • Green Area

Environment-themed exhibits and street performances will be presented here.



Saturday, November 4, and Sunday, November 5, 2023  
10:00 am to 4:00 pm on both days  
To be held rain or shine



Furusato-no-Hamabe Area  
(Omori Furusato-no-Hamabe Park,  
1-1 Furusatonohamabe-Koen, Ota-ku)  
Sun Area (Heiwajima Park, 4-2-2 Heiwajima, Ota-ku)  
Green Area (Heiwa-no-mori Park, 2-1 Heiwanomori-Koen, Ota-ku)



Admission: Free



Cultural Promotion Division  
☎ 03-5744-1226 FAX 03-5744-1539 E-mail [bunka@city.ota.tokyo.jp](mailto:bunka@city.ota.tokyo.jp)



When



Charge or amount



Capacity



How to apply



Where



Where to apply



Inquiries

## 【In-Person (Appointment Required) and Telephone Consultation with a Childcare Service Advisor】

• Are you planning to place your child in a nursery school? Ota City's Childcare Service Advisors can answer your questions concerning application, nursery school availability near your home, eligible ages, facilities, and other matters.

- In-person consultation: Call the application desk to make an appointment for the day you plan to visit the Ota City Office.
- Telephone consultation: Call the childcare service advisors (no appointment is necessary).

🕒 Monday to Friday (except national holidays)  
Hours: 8:30 am to 4:00 pm

💰 Free of charge

📄 In-person consultation: Please make an appointment by calling the application desk.

📍 Nursery Usage Support Section,  
Nursery Services Division  
Childcare Service Advisors  
Ota City Office (3rd floor)  
☎ 03-5744-1617  
FAX 03-5744-1715

\* Consultation by telephone is also available.



## 【Application for Enrollment in Ota City Elementary and Junior High Schools for Children of Foreign Nationality】

If you have a child of foreign nationality who wishes to enter an Ota City elementary or junior high school in April 2024, you must apply for his or her enrollment. Ota City will send an enrollment guide to the households of eligible children in early October.

### Eligibility:

Children born between April 2, 2017, and April 1, 2018 (for entry into elementary school)

Children born between April 2, 2011, and April 1, 2012, who are expected to graduate from an Ota City elementary school (for entry into junior high school)

🕒 Applications must be received by October 23, 2023.

📄 As your child's parent or guardian, please complete the application procedure by bringing your child's residence card or special permanent resident certificate to the application counter.

📍 School Entrance and Guidance Section, School  
Affairs Division (5th floor, Nissay Aroma Square)  
☎ 03-5744-1429  
FAX 03-5744-1536



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## 【The 10th Itsutsunowa Fureai Festival】

The Itsutsunowa Fureai Festival is a local event organized by the Omori-Higashi Community Association. Among the scheduled features and attractions are booths selling frankfurters and oshiruko sweet red-bean soup and a hands-on drone flying trial, mini train, and trampoline for kids. Booths presented by ANA, JAL, Tokyo Monorail, and other companies as well as a station offering health counseling are also planned. There will be plenty of fun things to do and see for people of all ages.

🕒 10:00 am to 3:00 pm, Sunday, October 22, 2023 (cancelled only in heavy rain)

📍 Morigasaki Ryokuka-en lawn, Omori Higashi Branch Office, Morigasaki Kotsu Park, and Factory Complex Omori-Minami 4-chome (Techno FRONT Morigasaki)

📞 Omori-Higashi Branch Office  
☎ 03-3741-8801  
FAX 03-3741-8552  
E-mail [omorih@city.ota.tokyo.jp](mailto:omorih@city.ota.tokyo.jp)

## 【Ota City's Loan-Type/Benefit-Type Scholarship Program for Students Going on to Higher Education】

Ota City offers a "loan-type/benefit-type scholarship" program for people planning to enter a university or similar institution who meet certain criteria.

\* Please inquire about requirements and selection criteria.

- 🕒 From early September to early November
- 💰 Benefit-type: 150,000 yen (lump-sum payment made before entering university, etc.)  
Loan-type: National or public institution: Maximum of 35,000 per month  
Private institution: Maximum of 44,000 per month
- 👤 Benefit-type: 50  
Loan-type: To be announced when decided
- 📄 Bring in the necessary forms or send them by post.
- 📞 Welfare Management Division, Welfare Department,  
Ota City Office 5-13-14 Kamata, Ota-ku 144-8621  
☎ 03-5744-1245 FAX 03-5744-1520

## 【COVID-19 Vaccination News】

Ota City provides COVID-19 vaccinations.  
Visit Ota City's website for details.



- 📞 Ota City COVID-19 Vaccination Call Center  
☎ 03-6629-6342 FAX 03-5744-1574  
(Monday to Friday: 8:30 am to 5:15 pm)
- Ota City Multilingual COVID-19 Vaccination Help Desk  
(for assistance in making an appointment)  
☎ 03-6436-4731  
(Monday to Friday: 8:30 am to 5:15 pm)  
\* Closed Saturdays, Sundays, and national holidays

## 【Regarding Resident Tax Payments】

The third payment of the special city inhabitant tax and metropolitan resident tax (resident tax) is due on October 31. Please be sure to make your payment by the due date. The due date for the fourth payment is January 31, 2024. Please visit the Ota City website for information concerning tax payments.



- 📞 Tax Payment Division  
Omori: ..... ☎ 03-5744-1200  
Chofu: ..... ☎ 03-5744-1201  
Kamata: ..... ☎ 03-5744-1202  
Outside of Ota City: ... ☎ 03-5744-1203
- Please see the notice you received via post for the contact information applying to you.  
FAX 03-5744-1517

## 【“Ota Residents’ Week” at Tokyo Mega Illumination】

“Ota Residents’ Week” is a special program to take place during Oi Racecourse’s light-up event titled “Tokyo Mega Illumination.” It will feature a variety of events as well as special promotions.



- 🕒 4:30 pm to 9:00 pm from Saturday, December 9, to Friday, December 15, 2023  
\* Last admission: 8:00 pm
- 📍 Oi Racecourse (2-1-2 Katsushima, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo)
- 📄 Ticket types: Date-specific advance tickets and same-day tickets  
\* Preschool children are admitted free  
\* Welfare discount tickets (same-day) are sold at the venue’s ticket counter
- 📄 Advance tickets may be purchased through ticket vending websites or at convenience stores. Same-day tickets may be purchased at the venue’s ticket counter.
- 📞 Tokyo Mega Illumination Management Office ☎ 03-3762-5230

# [Ota Japanese Class for Children]

The Ota Japanese Class for Children is a Japanese language class for children who have difficulty speaking Japanese and do not attend school.

## Eligibility

Children who meet all of the following requirements (1) to (3).

- (1) Child who resides in Ota City.
- (2) School-age child (from 6 to 15 years old) who has not yet enrolled in school.
- (3) Child who lacks Japanese skills and is not enrolled in an Ota City school.



## ● Kamata class

🕒 Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

📍 Ota International Exchange Center ("Minto Ota")  
Address: 2nd floor, 4-16-8 Kamata, Ota-ku

💰 Free of charge    👤 20 children

📋 Apply in person at the counter or by calling

📺 Legato Ota  
☎ 03-3731-3831    FAX 03-5710-6330

## ● Omori class

🕒 Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

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

💰 Free of charge    👤 10 children

📋 Apply in person at the counter or by calling

📺 Nihongo Gururitto  
☎ 070-1404-8738    FAX 03-5709-1347

📞 Global City Ota Cooperation Association (GOCA)  
☎ 03-6410-7981    FAX 03-6410-7982    E-mail [mail@ota-goca.or.jp](mailto:mail@ota-goca.or.jp)



# [International Exchange through Ota Sports (Futsal ⚽)]

Participate in international exchange through sports! "International Exchange through Ota Sports" is a program to encourage interaction between Japanese and foreign young people who live, work, or study in Ota City.

Step across nationality and language barriers to enjoy interaction through sports♪

Sign up if you enjoy futsal.  
Sign up if you are new to futsal. Sign up even if physical activity is not your thing!



🕒 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm,  
Sunday, December 10, 2023

📍 Futsal Grounds / Youth Soccer Ground,  
Showajima 2 Chome Park

💰 Free of charge

👤 About 15 players

📋 The Global City Ota Cooperation Association (GOCA) website

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▼ Information for foreign residents



▼ Multilingual Consultation Desk

