

Pick up News







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This is a newspaper for foreigners living in Shibata City. It is published once a month.

# There is a website where you can learn frequently used Japanese.

Here is a site for foreigners living in Japan where you can learn Japanese for daily life. The site is called "Tsunagaru Hirogaru Nihongo deno Kurashi (commonly known as Tsunahiro)".



You can learn Japanese used in daily life by watching videos. For example, you can learn Japanese that is often used in the situations below.



You may feel it is difficult to learn Japanese because it has many types of characters.

This site is also useful for learning reading and writing Japanese.

You can learn some tricks how to read and write in your life.



You can access the site through the QR code. ▲"Tsunagaru Hirogaru Nihongo deno Kurashi" tsunagarujp.mext.go.jp You can use this site by not only Japanese,but also 18 languages , like Chinese or English and so on.

### Do you know how to take out garbage?

We need to separate garbage into "burnable garbage", "non-burnable garbage" and "Recyclable garbage". Garbage collection point and day of week are decided from your home address.

The schedule of household garbage collecting shows the day of taking out.

There are English version, Chinese version and Vietnamese version. Please visit Environment Hygiene department (Kankyo Eisei ka) which are 1st floor in the city hall or call to 0254-28-9115 if you need.



Information on events and outings

#### Job support seminar for international students will be held.

A job support seminar will be held for people who are studying at universities or vocational schools in Niigata Prefecture and wish to work in Japan.

You can hear about preparations for job hunting and stories of senior international students'

job-hunting experiences. Would you like to learn about job-hunting?

●Date and Time: Tuesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 10a.m to 12noon

- ●Place: Toki Messe (6-1 Bandaijima, Chuo Ward, Niigata City)
  - $3^{rd}$  floor small conference rooms 303 and 304
- ●Capacity: 40 people

Application is required to participate.

Please apply using the QR code on the right by Tuesday, September  $17^{\rm th}.$ 

Organizing an event: Public Interest Incorporated Foundation Niigata International Association Tel: 025-290-5650



### Would you like to join Halloween Potluck Party?

We will have a fun party where each person brings a dish and socialize while eating.

We are looking for Japanese and foreigners to join this party.

This is a party that anyone can join, so please feel free to come !

- Date and time : Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 12noon to 3p.m.
- Place : Shogai Gakushu Center Tamokuteki Hall.
- Capacity : 30persons. ( Japanese15, Foreigners 15)
- Participation Fee : 200 yen.
- What to bring : Food to share with everyone. (You can't bring raw food.) .Drink.

October is Halloween season, so we will be playing Halloween-related quizzes and games.

There will also be singing, so let's all have fun together.

For more details, please see Shibata's website or the flyers available at city hall.

To participate, you must register.

Please apply between Tuesday, September  $24^{th}$  and Tuesday, October  $15^{th}$ .



You can also apply online. For more information, please visit the Shibata City website by scanning the QR code on the left.

Contact Us: Shimin machi-zukuri shien-ka. Tel:0254-28-9640

## Ikunesu cinema in September.

Monthly event which is showing various movies genres with free fee at central library in Shibata. The movie of September is below.

#### Title: The Pursuit of Happyness

It was made in America in 2007.

The true story of bond between parent and child was made into a movie.

Date and time: Saturday,September 21st

From 10 a.m. to 11:57 a.m. with Japanese dubbing.

From 2 p.m. to 3:57 p.m. with Japanese subtitle.

Capacities are 40 people for each show.





Shibata Japanese class helps foreign people who wants to learn Japanese.

You can join anytime.

For more information and inquiry: Noriko Takahashi Tel (0254-22-6441)



Cl	lass	Wednesday Daytime	Thursday Daytime	Thursday Night	J school
For		Adults	Adults	Adults	Elementary and Junior high school students
Day		Wednesday	Thursday	Thursday	Saturday
Time		10:00a.m. ~11:30a.m.	10:00a.m. ~11:30a.m.	19:00p.m. ~20:30p.m.	13:30p.m. ~15:00p.m.
Place		Shimin Bunkakaikan Kodo	Shogai Gakushu Center Kensyushitsu 2	Kenko chojyu active koryu center Okunai hiroba	Kenko chojyu active koryu center Koryushitsu
Address		4-11-7 Chuo-cho, Shibata City	5-8-7 Chuo-cho, Shibata City	3-13-2 Chuo-cho, Shibata City	3-13-2 Chuo-cho, Shibata City
Fee		¥ 2,000/ 1 <sup>st</sup> term: April~July %Fee for textbook is not included.	¥ 2,000/ 1 <sup>st</sup> term: April~July %Fee for textbook is not included.	¥ 2,000/ 1 <sup>st</sup> term: April~July %Fee for textbook is not included.	¥ 1,000∕month
	Sep.	4, 11, 18, 25	5, 12, 19, 26	5, 12, 19, 26	7, 14, 21, 28
	Oct.	2, 9, 16, 23	3, 10, 17, 24	3, 10, 17, 24	5, 12, 19, 26
	Nov.	6, 13, 20, 27	7, 14, 21, 28	7, 14, 21, 28	2,9,16,30
	Dec.	4, 11, 18	5, 12, 19	5, 12, 19	7,14,21
	Jan.	8, 15, 22, 29	9, 16, 23, 30	9, 16, 23, 30	11, 18, 25
	Feb	5, 12, 19, 26	6,13	6, 13, 20, 27	1, 8, 15, 22
	Mar.	5,12	6,13	6,13	1, 8, 15

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