

Now taking application for the Practical Japanese course

Those who live, work, or go to school in Hyogo prefecture can take this course. We will use the textbook, "Dekiru? Dekita!! Japanese for Daily Life," to learn Japanese that is useful for 10 situations in daily life, such as shopping, procedures at the government offices, and disaster preparedness. We aim to increase the independence of foreign residents in Japan and help them be able to do many things by themselves.

Period	August 25, 2021 (Wednesday) ~ September 17, 2021 (Friday) (18 total classes)
Time	9:30~12:00
Location	Hyogo International Association
Application	
Period	July 5, 2021 (Monday) ~ August 20, 2021 (Friday)
How to apply	Registration is on a first-come-first-serve basis. Please bring the application to the HIA office or submit it by email or fax within the application period. * The application form is available from July 5 on the website (link below) and at the HIA office. http://www.hyogo-ip.or.jp/torikumi/tabunkakyose/yakudatsu/index.html Or fill out the online application at: https://bit.ly/3ytmr5r
Fee	4000 yen (the textbook is free)
For inquires	Multicultural Affairs Division, Hyogo International Association TEL: 078-230-3261 FAX: 078-230-3280 Email: nihongo (at) net.hyogo-ip.or.jp

The Second HIA International Exchange Salon of 2021**"Did you know the similarities between Japan and Egypt?"**

Date	August 2, 2021 (Monday) 13:00~15:00
Access	via Zoom
Lecturer	Fujiwara Gina
Interviewer	Mizuho Matsuo
Content	An interview on Egyptian food and language and similarities between Egypt and Japan

Maximum
Participant 50 people (on a first-come-first serve basis)

Fee None

Intended for Anyone

Organizer Hyogo International Association

Application
Deadline July 21, 2021 (Wednesday) (prior registration required)

How to apply Please apply from the following link:
<https://www.hyogo-ip.or.jp/torikumi/tomonokai/moushikomi0723.html>

For inquires International Exchange and Cooperation Division,
Hyogo International Association
TEL: 078-230-3090 FAX: 078-230-3280
Email: hia-ex-co (at) net.hyogo-ip.or.jp

For more information, please check the following link:
https://www.hyogo-ip.or.jp/torikumi/tomonokai/event/r3salon_egypt.html

The Fifth Japanese Speech Contest and the Second Nodo Jiman Competition (singing competition)

We are looking for participants for the Japanese Speech Contest and the Nodo Jiman competition.

Date November 28, 2021 (Sunday)

Location Yashiro Kokusai Juku L.O.C Hall

Fee None

Intended for Foreign residents living in or near Kato City

Organizer Kato International Association

Application
Deadline July 30, 2021 (Friday)

How to apply Please fill out the necessary information on the application form and bring it into our office or send it by email

For application and inquires
NPO Kato International Association
TEL: 0795-42-6633 Email: kia (at) katokokusai.org

For more information, please check the following link:

<http://www.katokokusai.org/index.php?pid=20210603112611>

The Second "My International Exchange" Exhibition (now taking applications)

A collection of senryu (Japanese poems) will be added to the well-received photo exhibition last year, "My International Exchange." You can participate by sending photos of your international exchange experience and senryu under the same theme. We are awaiting the works of many!

Winners will be presented with gift cards, etc.

The awarded works will be open to the public at the exhibition held at Egret Himeji from November 15 to November 30.

Fee None

Intended for Anyone living, working, or attending school in Himeji City

Organizer Himeji Cultural and International Exchange Foundation

Application

Deadline September 25, 2021 (Saturday)

How to apply Apply by post, mail, with the QR code by phone, or from the form on the homepage

For application and inquires

 "My International Exchange" Exhibition,

 Himeji Cultural and International Exchange Foundation

 3F of Egret Himeji, 68-290 Honmachi, Himeji City, 670-0012

 TEL: 079-282-8950 Email: info-iec (at) himeji-iec.or.jp

For more information, please check the following link:

<https://www.himeji-iec.or.jp/6711>

"2021 Workshop on Refugee" (via Zoom)

There are approximately 80 million refugees and internally displaced people around the world who have fled conflict and persecution and have been displaced from their hometowns. Refugees from various countries are also seeking asylum in Japan. Let's think about what we can do for them.

Date July 21, 2021 (Wednesday) 19:00~20:00

Access via Zoom

Language Japanese

Maximum Participant	40 people (on a first-come-first serve basis)
Fee	None
Intended for	Anyone interested in refugee issues
Organizer	Refugee Assistance Headquarters (RHQ) Kobe YMCA
Application Deadline	July 20, 2021 (Tuesday) 17:00
How to apply	Please apply from the following link: https://ux.nu/QjPCR
For inquires	Refugee Assistance Headquarters (RHQ) TEL: 078-361-1700 Email: kansai (at) hq.gr.jp International service center at Kobe YMCA TEL: 078-241-7204 Email: houshi (at) kobeymca.org

For more information, please check the following link:
<https://www.hyogo-ip.or.jp/hyogo-unaj/oshirase/index.html>

International Communication Shared House Yadokari

This program is to help international students who could not go forward in education or get a job and technical intern trainees who were forced to leave their jobs during the difficulties of COVID-19 to study Japanese and look for a job. If you have studied abroad at a Japanese language school or completed technical intern training and want to get a job in Japan, you can learn Japanese and the expertise of caregiving and construction free of charge. For those who have difficulty paying rent and utilities, we will provide a room free of charge and pay for the expenses such as food expenses and living expenses when you go to an internship at a company. You can rest assured that our organization will support you and provide employment support.

This subsidy project for COVID-19 by Japan Network for Public Interest Activities (JANPIA).

Date	You can participate anytime from July 5, 2021 (Monday)
Intended for	Japanese proficiency of N3 level (all nationalities are eligible)
Fee	None
Content	You can learn N3 level Japanese and the expertise of caregiving and construction (including practical skills).

There are exam preparation and employment support.

The goal is to obtain a visa for specific skills related to caregiving and construction.

For inquires Mr. Nakano, NPO Oneself

TEL: 078-224-5247 Email: info (at) kobeyadokari.com

* If there are many similar inquiries, we will consider offering consultations for other matters, such as family stay visas and job changes from specific skills, so please feel free to contact us.

For more information, please check the following links:

<https://www.facebook.com/kobe.yadokari/posts/1801367710071288>

<https://oneself-kobe.org>

UNICEF's 2021 summer school

"Learn about coins from around the world"

By sorting rare foreign coins, we will learn about the lives of children around the world and how these coins reached these children. Let's think about children's rights while playing sugoroku (Japanese board game) and have fun.

Date August 7, 2021 (Saturday) 10:30~12:00

Location 4F of the Kobe Coop Culture and Lifestyle Center

Language Japanese

Maximum

Participant 15 people (on a first-come-first serve basis)

Fee None (prior registration required)

Intended for Elementary students

How to apply From the form on the homepage (link below)

Organizer

(For application and inquires)

UNICEF Hyogo

TEL: 078-435-1605 (Weekday 10:00~16:00)

For more information, please check the following link:

<https://office-bit.com/unicef-hyogo/activity-event.html#event20210807>

The 26th Children's Composition Contest

Application

period July 20, 2021 (Tuesday) ~ September 30, 2021 (Thursday)

Eligibility Elementary school, junior high school, and high school students living in Japan (regardless of nationality or language)

Content A composition of thoughts from children with various roots about their friends, school, and society. Should be an original creation and unpublished.
1 composition per person. Japanese, Chinese, and Korean characters up to 4000 characters or European languages up to 2000 words.

How to apply Apply by clearly stating the title, your real ethnic name*, school, grade, gender, nationality, roots, school location, and a representative of your school.

*Please add katakana to your real ethnic name. If you have a Japanese name, please write that as well.

Submit your original work or a copy by post.

Organizer Kansai Net

For application and inquiries

Kobe Center for Overseas Migration and Cultural Interaction

4F of Kobe Student Youth Center, 4-9-22 Yahata-cho, Nada Ward, Kobe, 657-0064

TEL&FAX: 078-861-6888

Email: kengaikyo (at) jeans.ocn.ne.jp

For more information, please check the following link:

<http://kengaikyo.sakura.ne.jp/>
