



MIA calendar

2024 January ~ March

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Interpretation Volunteer Orientation

Application & Registration
Only once a Year

FEB 17 (Sat)
14:30-16:30
@SWING 10F

Volunteers for
Nepalese and
Filipino are espe-
cially wanted.

Orientation for people who want to be
MIA "Interpretation Volunteers"

- Program: Re-play of consultation settings, introduction of activities, episodes, Q&A corner
- Lecturer: Miyamoto Masaru san (Lawyer) and others
- Aimed at those who are interested to interpret for foreigners in legal/psychological consultations. 18 years old or up. (High school students cannot be registered.)
- Fee: Free. If you decide to register as "Interpretation Volunteer" after the orientation, MIA Membership Fee ¥2500 is required (for 1year).
- Capacity: 20 people (5 people per language)
- Please sign up by FEB 10 (Sat)

May 25 (Sat)

"Consultation for Foreigners on Legal/ Psychological Matters"
Interpretation @SWING 10F

Training sessions after registration - free of charge (tentative)

[1st session] MAR 9 (Sat) 9:45-12:00 @SWING 10F

① Legal consultations for foreigners ①

Lecturer: Yoda Kouichi san (Lawyer)

[2nd session] MAR 23 (Sat) 9:45-12:00 @SWING 10F

② Legal consultations for foreigners ②

Lecturer: Watanabe Noriko san (Lawyer)

[3rd session] APR 20 (Sat) 9:45-12:00 @SWING 11F

③ Interpretation rules/manners in consultations for foreigners

[4th session] MAY 18 (Sat) 14:00-15:30 @SWING 10F

Preparation for professional consultations for foreign nationals

The 30th

Japanese Speech Showcase by Foreign Natives



March 9 (Sat)
14:00-15:30
@SWING 2F Hall

March 23 (Sat) 14:00-15:30
@Zoom video available

※Rehearsal
MAR 2 (Sat)
@SWING 10F



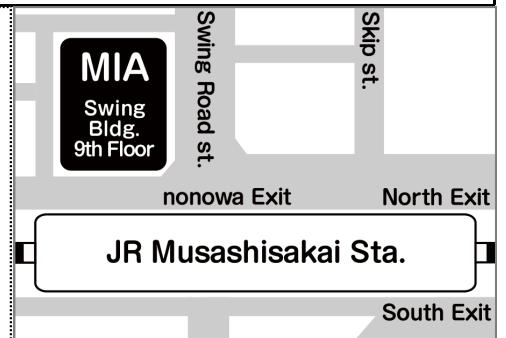
Foreign nationals make speeches on Japanese people & culture from their own viewpoint, as well as on charm of home countries etc!

Please come and listen!






ACCESS

- JR Chuo Line or Seibu Tamagawa Line "Musashi-Sakai Station."
JR "Tokubetsu-Kaisoku (Tokkai: Special Rapid)" trains do not stop there.
- After using the **North exit**, head left for 1 min.; or if you use the **Nonowa exit**,





<p>JAN 13 (Sat) 14:00-16:00 Parent/child participation! Kids play club for international understanding: Cultural experience "Let's make Hong Kong style roasted rice cake with red bean paste with Terence-san" @Civic Center Cooking Room</p> 	<p>FEB 3 (Sat) 14:00-16:00 Parent/child participation! Kids play club for international understanding: Cultural experience "Let's make Pad Krapao with Plane-san & Mew-san" @Civic Center Cooking Room</p> 	<p>FEB 10 (Sat) 14:00-15:30 "Know the world!" Let's communicate with people worldwide! Indonesia @SWING 11F</p> 
<p>Instructor: Terence Lee san (MIA foreign member, from UK) Details: Making Hong Kong style roasted rice cake with red bean paste and cultural introduction Fee: ¥1,000 (MIA member ¥500) Additional child fee ¥250 per person. Eligibility: A child from 5 years old to elementary school 6th grade and a parent. Capacity: 18 persons *A drawing will be held if applicants exceed capacity. Sign up by JAN 4 (Thu) 15:00 via MIA website. Please bring aprons, kid's room shoes and food containers.</p>	<p>Instructor: Boonlayangoon Nithyada san, Fungmongkolsathian Kunwara san (Foreign students, from Thailand) Details: Cooking Pad Krapao and cultural introduction Fee: ¥1,000 (MIA member ¥500) Additional child fee ¥250 per person. Eligibility: A child from 5 years old to elementary school 6th grade and a parent. Capacity: 18 persons *A drawing will be held if applicants exceed capacity. Sign up by JAN 17 (Wed) 15:00 via MIA website. Please bring aprons, kid's room shoes and food containers.</p>	<p>Speaker: Asti Sopiyananti san (Foreign student, from Indonesia) Topics: Country, life and culture of Indonesia, living in Japan etc. Capacity: 25 people (First come, first served) Fee: Free Sign up by FEB 8 (Thu) via phone or MIA website</p>

<p>①FEB 10 (Sat) / ②MAR 16 (Sat) 13:45-16:45 "Jessy-san's yakuzen medical herbal cooking experience class" @Civic Center Cooking Room</p> 	<p>FEB 17 (Sat) 10:00-19:00 FEB 18 (Sun) 10:00-19:00 Musashino Place Gallery exhibition event Tabunka multicultural museum @Musashino Place Gallery 1F</p>
<p>Instructor: Jessy Sakamura san (MIA foreign member, from Hong Kong) Details: Making yakuzen medical herbal soup etc Fee: ¥2,000 (MIA member ¥1,000) Eligibility: 18 years old or up Capacity: 18 people (The class will be started if 10 or more people sign up.) Choose either ① or ② Sign up via MIA website by ①FEB 1 (Thu) ②MAR 5 (Tue) First come, first served. Please bring aprons.</p>	<p>Details: Displays designed by Asia University Multicultural Communication Department students and various pictures related to MIA Fee: Free No need to sign up. Just turn up!</p> 

2 radio programs are provided by MIA

Musashino FM (78.2MHz)

NEWS from MIA: MON - FRI 10:30-10:35

MIA Plaza: 4th SAT every month 18:00-18:30

Why not listen to MIA radio programs?



<http://www.musashino-fm.co.jp/>

Available also on PC & smartphone



* For cooking events: The fee shall be fully collected in case of cancellation on the event day or the day before.
 * In case applicants exceed capacity, a drawing will be held with priority on people signing up for the first time.

※ Please note events may be cancelled or contents be changed, to be posted on website.

«Privacy Information» Private information acquired from your application to MIA programs will only be used for the purposes of registration in the events, correspondence of specific activities and basic information for the instructors. MIA will not use such private information for the purposes other than the above nor supply such information to any third party.



- Thursday 1/11 - 3/14
- Friday 1/12 - 3/22 (2/23 off)
- Saturday 1/13 - 3/16

- Capacity 16 people
- Time 10:30 - 12:00
- Fee ¥6,000 for 10 times total

Childcare service is available on THU & FRI for ¥600 per child.

Study course for elementary/junior high students
(**Study Support Course**)

Free of charge



0422-36-4511

Schedule	Capacity/Place
JAN 10 ~ MAR 13 Every WED 15:00-17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Capacity: 15 people ■ Place: MIA Conference Room * It is possible to attend after the course is started.

At MIA Study Course, volunteers assist pupils individually, by explaining questions from classrooms or support homework. Priority is placed on students attending Musesashino city public elementary/junior high schools.



MIA Consultation ☎0422-56-2922

(For foreign nationals)

<https://mia.gr.jp/foreigner/consultation>

JAN 27 (Sat) / FEB 24 (Sat) / MAR 23 (Sat)

Time: 13:00-16:00

Place: SWING 9F

Fee: Free of charge

- Zoom OK
- Priority on people living in nearby areas
- See p.1 for access to MIA

You can consult with lawyers, psychiatrists and other experts. Interpreter service available. Privacy ensured.

Foreign Language Information @MIA: 10 Languages

Free of charge. Phone or visit MIA in person.

♥ Interpretation/translation assistance also available.

Japanese-English	Tue · Wed · Thu · Fri · Sat 9:00 - 17:00	Spanish	Second Tue 15:00-17:00 (1/9, 2/13, 3/12)
Chinese	Tue · Wed · Thu · Fri · Sat 9:00 - 17:00	Russian	Second Fri 10:00 -12:00 (1/12, 2/9, 3/8)
Norwegian	Second Wed 14:00 -16:00 (1/10, 2/14, 3/13)	Tamil-Hindi	Fourth Fri 15:00 -17:00 (1/26, 3/22) No session in FEB
German	Third Tue 14:00 -16:00 (1/16, 2/20, 3/19)	Thai	Third Thu 10:00 -12:00 (1/18, 2/15, 3/21)

Consultation Service by Other Organizations: Free of charge

When	Where	Point of Contact
JAN 27 (Sat) 13:30-16:30 * Sign up by JAN 19	Minato International Communication Space Toei Kita-Aoyama 1-chome Apartment 3, B1F 1-6-3 Kita-Aoyama, Minato-ku	Minato International Association (MIA) 03-6440-0233
FEB 17 (Sat) 13:00-16:00 * Sign up needed	Suginami City Office 1-15-1 Asagaya-Minami, Suginami-ku	Suginami Association for Cultural Exchange 03-5378-8833
MAR 10 (Sun) 13:30-15:30 * Sign up by MAR 2	Machida Citizens' Forum 4F 4-9-8 Haramachida, Machida-shi	Machida International Center Machida Cultural and International Exchange Foundation 042-722-4260

Information from Musashino City • MIA • Other Organizations in the Community

MIA Notice①

☆“Ryugakusei” Musashino Family Program Work Shop

Date: FEB 3 (Sat)

Time: 14:00-16:00

Place: @SWING 10F

Eligibility: Musashino families & “Ryugakusei”

Details: Get-together & Stories by “Ryugakusei”

Capacity: 30 people

Sign up by JAN 27 (Sat) via phone or MIA website

MIA Notice②

Those of you who become Japanese elementary school 1st graders from APR 2024, why don't you study Japanese at MIA before getting into a school?

Date: Every Friday, JAN 19~MAR 15 (FEB 23 off)

Time: 15:00-16:00

Place: MIA



For Musashino citizens living a tough life due to COVID-19

You can consult with
Musashino City Office

at

**Living Support Sub-section, Social Welfare Section,
Health and Social Welfare Dept.**

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Consultations
free of charge

Pay cut...
Loss of jobs...
Difficulty finding jobs...
Electricity bills...
Water bills... Rent...
What to do...?



☎ 0422-60-1254

Monday - Friday

8:30 - 17:00

Fire Company

New Year Ceremony Event

Date: JAN 14 (Sun)

Time: 10:00~11:30

Place: Musashino Sports Complex

Details: General ceremony

(Fire company staff offer new year greetings)

* Admission free

* Booking is not needed, just turn up.

Tel: Disaster Prevention Section

0422-60-1820

0123 Kichijoji

“Kuricorder Quartet Concert”

Let's enjoy the popular concert with your family!

Date: MAR 23 (Sat) 10:30~11:15

Place: 0123 Kichijoji 1F Play Hall

Eligibility: Children living in Musashino city and their families

* See details on website from FEB 1 (Thu)



How do you grow children's language?
Let's think together and talk!

Date: MAR 10 (Sun) 10:00~11:10

Place: SWING 10F & Zoom

Eligibility: 0~6 year-old children with foreign backgrounds and their mother, father or people around them. It is OK if only a mother or a father joins.

* Interpretation service available for

Chinese, English, Spanish

* Sign up via QR code.



BMCN BM consultation for children

Language for parenting in multilanguage environment
Work shop

MIA Data

As of December 1, 2023

MIA Supporting Members: 392 people

MIA Foreign Members: 625 people
(65 countries/regions)

* MIA Calendar (Japanese) is partly written in "Plain Japanese" (Japanese language made easy for foreigners).