

English

MIA Calendar

2017 April~June



Musashino International Association (MIA)

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 * Consultation on
 * Legal & Psychological Matters
 * for Foreign Citizens
 * MAY 27 (Sat) 14:30-16:30
 * @SWING 10F

 * Guidance on High School Entrance
 * for Students & Guardians
 * of Non-Japanese Speakers
 * JULY 9 (Sun) 13:00-16:00
 * @SWING 11F

Free of Charge

No appointment required

Guidebook: ¥300

Appointment required

MIA members with expertise in providing consultation for foreign residents - lawyers, "Gyoseishoshi" administrative scriveners, certified social insurance and labor consultants, labor consultants, psychologists, or interpretation volunteers - will be there for your consultation.

- Eligibility: Anyone can consult the specialists.
- Interpreters (to be arranged): English, Chinese, Spanish, Korean, Filipino, Thai, Russian, Arabic, Tamil, Indonesian, Vietnamese, German, Bengalese and Hindi. *For Portuguese, Myanmarese and Nepalese, please ask MIA.

- Topics for consultation: Residential Status, Visa, Naturalization, Non-payment of Wages, Labor Conditions, Workers' Compensation, Debt, Traffic Accident, Criminal Case, Inheritance, Will, Divorce, Custody, Consolation Money, Adoption, Marriage or Parent-Child Relations, Stress, Bullying, Discrimination, Violence Victim, Public Assistance, Starting a Business etc.

- Students may attend without guardian supervision.
- Topics: Guidance on entrance exams, expenses, how to study, and metropolitan high schools; explanations with actual experiences. Individual consultation may be arranged after guidance.
 - Interpreters (to be arranged): English, Chinese, Korean, Russian, Spanish, Filipino, Thai, Myanmarese, Vietnamese and Nepalese.
 - *Please confirm when you sign up.
 - Apply by: Jul 8 (Sat) via phone or the MIA website.



↑ Individual Consultation
 ← General Guidance
 * Explanations in your language

Feel free to come and visit the event.

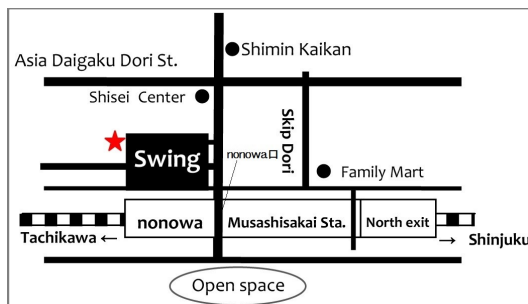
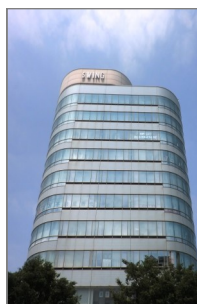
1 minute walk from JR Chuo Line or Seibu Tamagawa Line Musashi-Sakai station !

ACCESS

Swing Building→

- 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 and if you use the Nonowa exit it's just across the street

⚠ You can only use "Suica" or "PASMO" at the nonowa exit; you cannot use tickets there.



MIA Event Calendar









Inquiries/Application ☎ 0422-36-4511 <http://www.mia.gr.jp/>

[Application] Sign up at MIA Office, by phone, or the MIA website format. First come, first served.

Foreign Language Exchange Classes can be applied via reply post cards but not via phone.

We will hold a draw if applicants exceed capacity.

For items with marks **A B C**, please confirm details at the bottom of this list before signing up.

<p>Apr 8 (Sat) 10:00 - 13:00 Parent/Child Participation! Kids Play Club for International Understanding: <Cooking Course> @Civic Center 2F Cooking Room</p>  <p>●Instructor: Marisol-san & Cacho-san (Foreign students from Mexico) ●Menu: Mexican style avocado dip (Guacamole), Mexican style cheese crepes (Quesadilla) ●Apply by: Apr 6</p> <p style="text-align: right;">A</p>	<p>Apr 8 (Sat) 14:00 - 17:00 World's Home Cooking Class: @Civic Center 2F Cooking Room</p>  <p>●Instructor: Ms. Choi Suran (MIA Member from Korea) ●Menu: Korean style chicken porridge (Dakjuk), oi kimchi ●Apply by: Apr6</p> <p style="text-align: right;">B</p>	<p>May 10 (Wed) 15:30 - 17:00 Japanese Language Salon "Time to Chat in Japanese" Part-1 (4 times total) @MIA Conference Room etc.</p> <p>●Program: Chatting in Japanese for communication among participants according to their levels of Japanese. ●Dates: 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 5/31 (every wed) ●Fee: ¥ 1000 for 4 times ●Capacity: 10 foreign natives *no childcare ●Apply by: May6</p>
<p>May 13 (Sat) 10:00 - 12:00 Nepalese Language Exchange Class - The First Step @MIA Conference Room</p>  <p>●Instructor: Ms. Silwal Partima (MIA member from Nepal) ●Saturday, 8 times total: 5/13, 5/20, 5/27, 6/4, 6/11, 6/17, 6/24, 7/1 ●Application deadline: May 2 (Postcards must be received by MIA Office by this date.)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">C</p>	<p>May 13 (Sat) 14:00 - 16:00 Series "Know the World! Let's Communicate with People Worldwide!"- Macedonia @MIA Conference Room</p>  <p>●Speaker: Ms. Zoria Petkoska (Foreign student from Macedonia) ●Topics: Country and towns of Macedonia, life in Japan etc. ●Free of charge ●Capacity:25 people ●Apply by: May 11</p>	<p>May 16 (Tue) 10:00 - 12:00 For Parents and Children: Let's Learn Together Traditional Nursery Rhymes and Games of the Old Days! @MIA Volunteer Room</p> <p>●Program: Japanese traditional nursery rhymes, games of the old days, and how to make hand-made toys ●Free of charge ●Capacity: 10 foreign natives (You can attend with children.) ●Apply by: May 14</p>
<p>May 27 (Sat) 18:30 - 20:30 MIA Program for International Understanding "Let's Get to Know Indonesia! ①" @Musashino Chamber of Commerce 5F Meeting Room</p>  <p>●Speaker: Ms. Tini Kodrat (MIA foreign member from Indonesia) ●Program: Introduction of Indonesia, Experience of Indonesian language ●Fee: ¥ 300 (MIA member: free) ●Capacity: 25 people ●Apply by: May 25</p>	<p>Jun 3 (Sat) 10:00 - 13:00 Parent/Child Participation! Kids Play Club for International Understanding: <Cooking Course> @Civic Center 2F Cooking Room</p>  <p>●Instructor: Ms. Veronese Virginia (Foreign student from Italy) ●Menu: Cold pasta etc. ●Application: MIA members - From Apr 1st 9:00 Others - From May 16th 9:00</p> <p style="text-align: right;">A</p>	<p>Jun 3 (Sat) 14:00 - 17:00 Parent/Child Participation! Kids Play Club for International Understanding: <Cooking Course> @Civic Center 2F Cooking Room</p>  <p>●Instructor: Ms. Criste Yaquet (from Philippines) ●Menu: Mango float etc. ●Application: MIA members - From Apr 1st 9:00 Others - From May 16th 9:00</p> <p style="text-align: right;">A</p>
<p>Jun 3 (Sat) 18:30 - 20:30 MIA Program for International Understanding "Let's Get to Know Indonesia! ②" @Musashino Chamber of Commerce 5F Meeting Room</p>  <p>●Instructor: Tini Kodrat (MIA foreign member from Indonesia) ●Program: Experience of Indonesian traditional dance and the musical instrument (Angklung) ●Fee: ¥ 300 (MIA member: free) ●Capacity:25 people ●Apply by: Jun 1</p>	<p>Jun 7 (Wed) 15:30 - 17:00 Japanese Language Salon "Time to Chat in Japanese" Part-2 (4 times total) @MIA Conference Room etc.</p> <p>●Program: Chatting in Japanese for communication among participants according to their levels of Japanese ●Dates: 6/7, 6/14, 6/21, 6/28 (every Wed) ●Fee: ¥ 1000 for 4 times total ●Capacity: 10 Foreign natives *no childcare ●Apply by: Jun 3</p>	<p>Jun 10 (Sat) 13:00 - 15:00 MIA Lecture for Students on International Understanding "Let's Look into the Islamic World" @MIA Conference Room</p> <p>● Speaker: Mr. Hiroyuki Suzuki (Research Fellow, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science), foreign students and others ●Free of charge ●Eligibility: University students, graduate school students, vocational school students and others ●Capacity:20 people ●Apply by: Jun 8</p>

<p>A Parent/Child Participation! Kids Play Club for International Understanding</p> <p>■Fee: ¥ 2000/pair (MIA member ¥1000), including related material costs. Additional child ¥ 500 (MIA member also ¥500). ■Eligibility: A child from 5 years old to Elementary School 6th grade and a parent. Children who are 10 years old or up can attend by themselves. ■Capacity: 18 people ■The fee shall be fully collected in case of cancellation on the day or the day before.</p>

<p>B World's Home Cooking Class</p> <p>■Fee: ¥ 2000 (MIA member ¥1000), including cooking material costs. ■Eligibility: 18 years old or up ■Capacity: 18 people ■The fee shall be fully collected in case of cancellation on the day or the day before.</p>
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<p>C Foreign Language Exchange Class</p> <p>* 8 times total (8 weeks in a row) on the same day of the week. ■Fee: ¥ 6000 (MIA member ¥4000) ■Eligibility: 18 years old or up, who study the language for the first time ■Capacity: 20 people In case the number of applicants exceeds the capacity, lottery will be held with priority placed on ①Musashino citizens and then ②MIA members. ★ Apply with information on your address, name with <i>Furigana</i>, age, profession and phone number. (Class may be cancelled if the number of applicants is less than 10.)</p>

«Limited Use & Security of 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 program activities and basic information supplied to the instructors for necessary preparation. MIA will not use such private information for the purposes other than the above nor supply such information to any third party.

►Musashino City Information◀

Flood Prevention Drill



May 20 (Sat) 9:00-12:00 (tentative)
Musashino Civic Park

In Japan, we have a lot of rain in summer. It is very dangerous to have heavy down-pours in a short period of time; Rivers may be flooded, landslides may happen, and rain water may get into houses or underpasses, causing accidents. The drill will show you how trainings are conducted to minimize damages by rain. Admission free. No application needed.

Please attend directly.

●Inquiries: Disaster Prevention Section
Tel: 0422-60-1821 Fax: 0422-51-9184

►Information from Other Organizations in the Community◀

0123 Harappa Matsuri



May 5 (Thu) 10:00-15:00

The festival to be celebrated once a year. Anyone is welcome. No application needed. Please attend directly.

Various fun event programs include “One day animal village,” “Let’s ride on miniature steam locomotive with parents!” “Song concert for children,” “Puppet play,” “Let’s become feudal warlord and get photos!” “Making cards with handprint” etc. Time schedule varies depending on programs; please check details for each event. *No parking available. ●Inquiries: **0123 Harappa**

Tel 0422-56-3210 1-3-24, Yahatacho, Musashino-shi * Closed on Fri & Sat.



0123 Kichijoji and 0123 Harappa are facilities for 0-3 year old kids and their families to freely visit and play. When you use them for the first time, you will need to make the city’s public facility user registration card (common to the 4 facilities: 0123 Kichijoji, 0123 Harappa, Toy House “Omocha-no-Gururin,” Sakai Kodomo-En (Ikotto), free of charge. Please bring the official material showing the child’s name and address (ex. “Hokensho” Health Insurance Card, “Boshi-Techo” Maternal and Child Health Handbook, etc.)

►MIA Information◀◀

Musashino Family Program



For Foreign Students Registered/Interested in “Ryugakusei Musashino Family Program”

① “Introductory Meeting”

Apr 22 (Sat) 13:30-16:00 SWING 11F
Families for Ryugakusei will be introduced, for contacting with each other for a year. Details should be updated individually. If you are foreign students interested in the program, please sign up by Apr 12 (wed).



“Nice to meet you.”
The first day for Ryugakusei and the families to meet each other for the first time.

② “Cultural Exchange”

Jun 10 (Sat) 16:00-18:00 SWING 11F
Families and Ryugakusei will show, see and teach one another what they are good at, for cultural exchange. If you have something to present in front of everyone, please contact MIA.



←Exhibition and experience of calligraphy, origami, Game of Go, Japanese Harp etc. Let’s enjoy together!

Why don’t you become an instructor of the class or a guest speaker in radio programs?
Why don’t you teach what you are good at, such as cooking, singing, dancing, playing a musical instruments, arts & crafts, talking, languages etc? It should be all right even if this is the first time for you to teach, or if you don’t speak Japanese well, because volunteers will support you. If you are interested, don’t hesitate to contact MIA.



← Cooking Korean pancakes and enjoyed communication with kids in “Kids Play Club for International Understanding: <Cooking Course>

2 radio programs are provided by MIA
Musashino FM (78.2MHz)



Available also on PC & smartphone!

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

Program ① “NEWS from MIA”

~ Broadcast of useful information for foreigners in 4 different languages ~

Mon~ Fri 10:30~ 10:35

(Re-air) 17:45~ 17:50

(Mon) Japanese (Tue/Fri) English

(Wed) Korean (Thu) Chinese

Program ② “MIA Plaza”

Live Broadcast!

~ Foreign guests talk in Japanese ~

4th Saturday, Every Month 18:00-18:30

◀Apr-Jun Schedule▶ ■Apr 22 (Spain)

■May 27 (Italy) ■Jun 24 (Brazil)



Foreign-native guests wanted!
Why don’t you talk on radio?



<http://www.mia.gr.jp/>

Latest information is available on PC & smartphone etc. !!

Facebook icon Please visit MIA facebook, also!

From MIA Office

* If your address, phone number or email address is changed, please do not forget to update MIA.

☎ **0422-36-4511**

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✉ mia@coral.ocn.ne.jp

Please introduce your friends to MIA!

MIA foreign member registration is available at MIA website free of charge.

MIA Calendars are sent to people registered as MIA foreign members.

<Note>

There will be no special rate for MIA foreign members participating in event programs.

MIA Data

As of Mar1, 2017

MIA Supporting Members: 552 people

MIA Foreign Members: 817 people

(79 Countries/Regions)