

# kokoka EVENT CALENDAR



kokoka Kyoto International Community House

This Month We Are Closed On:

4 (Mon) 11 (Mon)  
19 (Tue) 25 (Mon)



2023  
September

Date	Event	Time	Place	Contents	Fee	Organizer
1 (Fri) - 29 (Fri) *Except Mondays and 19 (Tue)	Picture Book Exhibition Sri Lanka - The League of Historical Cities -	9:30 - 17:00	kokoPlaza (2F)	An exhibition which introduces the country of Sri Lanka, its history and its culture, using picture books.	Free of Charge	Kyoto City International Foundation kokoPlaza 075-752-1187
2 (Sat)	Free Legal and Visa Consultation for Foreigners	13:30 - 16:00	Community Salon (1F)	Free legal consultation with lawyers, and free visa consultation with visa specialists. Interpreters are available.	Free of Charge, Reservations Required	Kyoto City International Foundation※
2 (Sat)	For parents and children: "koko Kids"	15:30 - 17:00	Volunteer Room (3F)	A meetup to support children of overseas origin (between 6 and 15 years old, including Japanese returnee children) and their parents.	Free of Charge	
2 (Sat)	"Hotto" (Relieve & Relax) Chat "Explore the World - Myanmar"	14:00 - 15:30	Kids Play Area (1F)	Encouraging communication between parents and caregivers about raising children. We welcome those from any country who are raising children in Kyōto! (Easy Japanese language will be used.)	Free of Charge, No reservation required.	
3 (Sun)	kokoka Volunteer Orientation	① 14:00 - 15:30 ② 15:30 - 16:00	Special Conference Room (2F)	New volunteer orientation to present all of the opportunities and activities at "kokoka" Kyoto International Community House. (All information will be presented in Japanese only.)	Free of Charge Reservations Required	
5, 12, 26 (Tue)	Sōgetsu Flower Arrangement	9:00 - 12:00	No. 4 Conference Room (3F)	Introduces the basics of <i>ikebana</i> to foreigners.	Please contact the organizer.	Ms. Hiraishi 075-871-5429
6, 20, 27 (Wed)	Korean Language Classes: Beginner and Intermediate	19:00 - 20:30	Beginners: No. 3 Conference Room (3F) Intermediate: Seminar Room (3F)	Korean Language Classes Introductory: Read and write <i>Hangul</i> characters Intermediate Class: Conversation practice	¥32,000 (40 lessons) Fee for textbook is separate.	Kyoto City International Foundation※
7, 21, 28 (Thu)	Korean Language Classes: Basic, Conversation	19:00 - 20:30	Basic class: No. 4 Conference Room (3F), Conversation class: No. 3 Conference Room (3F)	Korean Language Classes Beginner: Basic grammar and conversation. Conversation: Challenge conversation with native speakers.	¥32,000 (40 lessons) Fee for textbook is separate.	

Event dates and content are subject to change. Please inquire directly to each organizer for more details.

※ Inquiries for events held by Kyoto City International Foundation, please call 075-752-3511.

★ You can also check for the latest information on our website at: <https://www.kcif.or.jp/en>

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9, 23 (Sat)	<i>Shōgi</i> Class	9:00 - 12:00	No. 4 Conference Room (3F)	<i>Shōgi</i> (Japanese chess) class for foreigners and children.	¥300 per family	Shōgi World Club 090-6988-1584
9, 23 (Sat)	Culture Workshops by "COSMOS"	① 10:00 - 12:00 ② 12:30 - 14:30 ③ 15:00 - 17:00	Community Salon (1F) and Office Room (3F)	Classes/activities introducing various cultures of Japan and other countries, such as: ① • Japanese traditional dancing ② • Entertaining with <i>Matcha</i> • Let's enjoy " <i>Origami</i> Art" ③ • Ukrainian Folk Dance • Magic in English	Fees vary by class. Please ask at the Information Counter in the Lobby (1F).	Kyoto City International Foundation※
10 (Sun)	TABUNKO Event "Coffee Talk"	10:30 - 11:30	Kids Play Area (1F)	Families from multicultural backgrounds will share about parenting.	¥500 per family Reservations Required	
16 (Sat)	Counseling Day for Non-Japanese Residents	13:00 - 17:00	Nos. 3 and 4 Conference Rooms, Seminar room (3F)	Free counseling and consultation on legal matters, visas, insurance, labor issues, pensions and emotional/mental health issues. English, Chinese, Korean, and Spanish interpreters are available.	Free of Charge, Reservations Required	
29 (Fri)	Easy Japanese I "Introduction to Japanese"	9:30 - 11:30 18:30 - 20:30	No. 3 Conference Room (3F)	This class is for those who are studying Japanese for the first time. The goal of this class is to help you achieve basic Japanese language ability. This is a two-month class starting Sept. 29.	¥12,000 (12 lessons) Please contact the organizer.	
29 (Fri)	Easy Japanese II "Advanced Beginner Course"	18:30 - 20:30	No. 1 Conference Room (1F)	This class is intended for those who already have the ability to read and write <i>hiragana</i> and <i>katakana</i> . This is a two-month class starting Sept. 29.	Applications are accepted from Sept. 1 to Oct. 20 (first-come, first-served)	
29 (Fri)	"My Number" Card application at kokoka	12:00 - 14:00 15:00 - 18:45	No. 4 Conference Room (3F)	Support for your application for a "My Number" Card.	Free of Charge,	Kyoto City My Number Card Outreach Window Secretariat 075-600-2121
30 (Sat), Oct. 1 (Sun)	Kyoto/Cologne Sister City Partnership 60th Anniversary KYOTO Oktoberfest	10:00 - 17:00	Front Garden Plaza	Enjoy German festivals in Kyoto through food and music!	Admission Free	Kyoto City International Foundation※

For more information, please see the overview on our website.

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Closed Monday (If Monday is a National holiday, open Monday, but closed Tuesday).

