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1st Term Japanese classes (online)

Class	Beginner						Lower Intermediate Study for N4	Intermediate Study for N3	Advanced Study for N2/N1
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Day	Sunday						Saturday		
Time	10:10 ~11:40	13:30 ~15:00	11:50 ~13:20	15:10 ~16:40	16:50 ~18:20	8:30 ~10:00	10:30 ~12:00	13:00 ~14:30	14:40 ~16:10
Teacher	Asakura/Ogura	Takahashi, etc.	Funahashi, etc.	Asakura	Matsuoka	Matsuoka	Asakura	Asakura	Asakura

Date/time

May 12 to August 4 (12 times) (Every Saturday and Sunday)

Saturday: ①5/11 ②5/18 ③5/25 ④6/1 ⑤6/8 ⑥6/15 ⑦6/22 ⑧6/29 ⑨7/13 ⑩7/20 ⑪7/27 ⑫8/3

Sunday: ①5/12 ②5/19 ③5/26 ④6/2 ⑤6/9 ⑥6/16 ⑦6/23 ⑧6/30 ⑨7/14 ⑩7/21 ⑪7/28 ⑫8/4

Venue

Study at home by computer or smartphone.

Eligibility

Foreigners who can study by ZOOM

Number of participants

20 per class

Fees

Tuition 1,000 yen (If not a member, KIA annual membership fee of 2,000 yen required) text fees: A to F class: 1,000 yen, G to I class: 2,000 yen

* You can also buy a hiragana drill book. (500 yen)

Application

Pay the lesson and text fees when applying.

Use the check sheet at KIA to choose your class to study.



Inquiries

Komaki International Association (KIA) TEL.0568-76-0905 FAX.0568-71-8396

E-mail: kia@ma.ccnw.ne.jp 3-555 Lapio 5F Komaki, Komaki City

*9:00 to 17:00 (Closed 12:00 to 13:00, Sundays, Mondays, third Tuesdays and Holidays)

Mother/child Health Examination Calendar

Type	Date	Venue	Reception Hours	Eligibility/Description/Application/etc.
Health examinations for 4-month-old infants, dental examinations for mothers	Apr 9 (Tue)	Health Center	13:05 to 13:55	Born Nov 21 to 30, 2023
	Apr 16 (Tue)			Born Dec 1 to 10, 2023
	Apr 23 (Tue)			Born Dec 11 to 20, 2023
Health examinations for 18-month-old infants	Apr 12 (Fri)	Health Center	13:05 to 14:15	Born Oct 1 to 10, 2022
	Apr 19 (Fri)			Born Oct 11 to 20, 2022
	Apr 26 (Fri)			Born Oct 21 to 31, 2022
Dental examinations for children aged 2 years, 3 months	Apr 11 (Thu)	Health Center	9:00 to 10:10	Born Jan 1 to 15, 2022
	Apr 18 (Thu)			Born Jan 16 to 31, 2022
Health examinations for 3-year-old children	Apr 10 (Wed)	Health Center	13:05 to 14:15	Born Apr 1 to 10, 2021
	Apr 17 (Wed)			Born Apr 11 to 20, 2021
	Apr 24 (Wed)			Born Apr 21 to 30, 2021

*Those eligible were sent an examination card in advance. Please check the details on the card.

*Make sure to wear mask and bring your Maternal and Child Health Handbook and bath towel.

*Please undergo your checkup. If you are unable to attend for some reason, please contact the Health Center.

Baby food class (Initial Gokkun (swallowing) class)	Apr 10 (Wed)	Health Center	10:00 to 11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligibility: Guardians of children 4 months or older. Babies can participate too. ● What to bring: Maternal and Child Health Handbook, bath towel, tea and writing utensils. ● Fee: 0 yen ● Application: Health Center 	Reservation required
Baby food class (Later kami-kami (biting) class)	Apr 19 (Fri)	Health Center	10:00 to 11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligibility: Guardians of children 9 months or older. Babies can participate too. ● What to bring: Maternal and Child Health Handbook, bath towel, tea and writing utensils. ● Fee: 0 yen ● Application: Health Center 	Reservation required
Niko-niko cavity prevention class	Apr 22 (Mon)	Health Center	10:00 to 11:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligibility: Nursing children (especially about one-year-old) ● Content: Consultation regarding worries/concerns about brushing teeth or teeth alignment ● What to bring: Maternal and Child Health Handbook, toothbrush and bath towel ● Fee: 0 yen ● Applications: Health Center 	Reservation required
Baby visit	About 1 to 3 months after birth, a health contact or a veteran health contact will come visit your home with a few gifts to congratulate you on the birth of your baby. (You will be contacted in advance to set a convenient time.)				
Grant Maternal and Child Health Handbook	Mon through Fri (Excluding National Holidays and Year End/New Year Holidays)	Kosodate Sedai Houkatsu Shien Center (Lapio 3rd floor)	9:30 to 17:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Content: A Public Health Nurse or a Midwife will hand out the Maternal and Child Health Handbook. Please consult your anxiety and worry about pregnancy with us. ● What to bring: Pregnancy notification or medical certificate, Zairyu Card, My Number Card and a copy of the pregnant woman's bank book to receive financial help. 	
Nursing counseling	April 2 (Tue) Apr 9 (Tue) Apr 15 (Mon) Apr 23 (Tue) Apr 30 (Tue)	Kosodate Sedai Houkatsu Shien Center (Lapio 3rd floor)	10:00 to 12:00 10:00 to 12:00 10:00 to 12:00 10:00 to 12:00 10:00 to 12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Fee: 0 yen ● Application: Kosodate Sedai Houkatsu Shien Center (Lapio 3F) TEL.0568-71-8611 	Reservation required
Low-weight Infant Notice	Please submit the Low-weight Infant Notice if your child's birth weight is under 2,500g. ● Submit: Kosodate Sedai Houkatsu Shien Center(Lapio 3F) or at the City Hall (Hoken Iryouka Division 1st F)				
1st Birthday Celebration	You will be send a questionnaire about 10 months after birth. Submit your questionnaire by the due date to receive a gift. ● Locations: Kosodate Sedai Houkatsu Shien Center (Lapio 3F) or Jidokan in Komaki city.				

For more information, please contact below.

Inquiries

Health Center TEL.0568-75-6471 FAX.0568-75-8545

Kosodate Sedai Houkatsu Shien Center (Lapio 3rd floor) TEL.0568-71-8611 FAX.0568-71-8612

Come study Kanji with us

Let's learn kanji and Japanese.



Date Sundays in April and May...Apr 7, 14, 21, 28 May 5, 12, 19, 26

Venue Lapio 4F Circle Room 1, Multipurpose Room 2 (3-555 Komaki, Komaki City)

Time 13:30 to 15:30

Eligibility Foreigners wanting to learn kanji or Japanese

Fee 0 yen

Application No application necessary. Come to the study venue. There's no commitment so come any time.

Inquiries Kanji volunteer class (Oshima TEL.090-9188-3761)

Aid for at-home care (service at home) for persons living with cancer

The City provides partial support for expenses related to home service care so that persons living with cancer can stay at home without worry.

Eligibility Persons living with cancer (limited to persons determined by a physician to have progressed beyond the ability of medicine to treat) under 40 that require assistance for living at home or nursing care

Amount 90% of the expenses of covered services
(up to 54,000 yen/month)

For more information,
please visit the City website.



Aid for purchase of medical assistive devices for persons living with cancer

To reduce the mental and financial burden of persons living with cancer and facilitate their treatment, employment and participation in society, Komaki City provides financial aid for part of the expenses of purchasing medical assistive devices.

Eligibility Wigs (including scalp protection nets) and breast prosthesis
[prosthetic breast pad and artificial masts
(including mastectomy bras)]

Amount Half of purchase price
(all maximum amount of 20,000 yen)

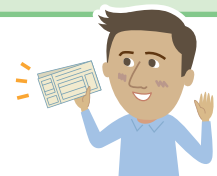
If you would like more information or
would like to download an application
form, please visit the City website.



Inquiries Health Center TEL.0568-75-6471

Changes to National Pension Premiums

National pension premiums will change to 16,980 yen per month from April 2024.



When you receive the payment slip, please make the payment at a financial institution or convenience store.

You can also pay with (cashless) electronic payment methods using a smartphone app.

Upon application, payment can be made by direct deposit or credit card.

When you are unable
to pay the National
Pension Insurance
premiums

If your household has low income, you may apply to have your national health insurance premiums lowered. (This is called an application for exemption.)
Persons under 50 years of age can apply with only their income at the Citizen Inquiry Division.

Inquiries Citizen Inquiry Division TEL.0568-76-1124

Next tax payment deadline: April 30 (Tue)

Fixed Asset Tax (1st term)

Avoid missed payments by setting up direct debit payments from your bank account. If you have already set up direct debit payments for your taxes, be sure that your account has sufficient funds available by the day before payment is due. You can pay taxes using smartphone apps including PayB, PayPay or LINEPay.

Submit your payments promptly!

* Persons using direct deposit to account cannot use payment by app. Instructions are available on the website of the app.



When you are unable to pay by the predetermined date due to decreased wages or other reason, consult with the taxation division. If the deadline passes, you will need to pay arrears (penalty for late payment).

If you are too busy during the day on weekdays to make your payment...

① The main building's second floor will be open to answer tax-payment related questions. Payments are accepted as well.

Hours ▶ Apr 14 (Sun) and Apr 28 (Sun) From 8:30 to 17:15

A tax payment service counter will be open every Sunday. (Except year end/ New Years)

② The main building's first floor will be open to pay taxes.

Hours ▶ Apr 7 (Sun), 14 (Sun), 21 (Sun), 28 (Sun) 8:30 to 17:15

③ You can pay for payment notices with bar codes at convenience stores.

*Only effective during the period written on the payment slip.

* Certificates..... Tax payment certificates are available at the Tax Collection Division (2F⑥). Income tax certificates are available at the Citizens Tax Division (2F④).

Inquiries Tax Collection Division TEL.0568-76-1117/0568-76-1118

Subsidy for Home Global Warming Prevention Measures Equipment Installation Cost



The installation expenses for Komaki City residents who installed Home Global Warming Prevention Measures Equipment to their houses will be subsidized.

Eligibility

Those who install equipment to their houses or build a new house for their own living (including house complexes combined with stores, etc.) in Komaki in FY2024

Eligible equipment and subsidies

① Independent Support

- Home Fuel Cell System 100,000 yen
- Home Energy Management System (HEMS) 10,000 yen
- Stationary Lithium Ion Battery System (rechargeable battery) 150,000 yen
- Power Charging Facility for Electric Vehicle, etc. (V2H) 50,000 yen

② Integrated Adoption Support

1. Solar Power Generation System/HEMS/Rechargeable Battery Max. 280,000 yen
2. Solar Power Generation System/HEMS/V2H Max. 180,000 yen
3. Solar Power Generation System/HEMS/ High Performance Cladding (Zero Energy House; ZEH) Max. 230,000 yen

*For all the equipment, when the cost eligible for the subsidy is below the subsidy, the amount of subsidy is equal to the cost (tax excluded) rounded down to the nearest thousand.

Application

Accepting from Apr 11 (Thu). Apply via the City website or Zero Carbon City Promotion Office. Bring the application for and required documentation to the Zero Carbon City Promotion Office.

Inquiries Zero Carbon City Promotion Office TEL.0568-39-5574

FY2024 Tax Payment Deadlines List

Taxes	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Municipal and Prefectural Tax (Normal Collection)			1st term		2nd		3rd			4th		
Fixed Asset & City Planning Tax	1st term			2nd					3rd		4th	
Light Vehicle Tax (Category base)		All terms										
National Health Insurance tax (Normal Collection)			1st term	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th term	8th term	9th term	10th term
Nursing Care Insurance (Normal Collection)				1st term	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th term	8th term	9th term
Late-term Medical Insurance for the Elderly (Normal Collection)					1st term	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th term	8th term
Due date and account transfer date	Apr 30 (Tue)	May 31 (Fri)	Jul 1 (Mon)	Jul 31 (Wed)	Sep 2 (Mon)	Sep 30 (Mon)	Oct 31 (Thu)	Dec 2 (Mon)	Dec 25 (Wed)	Jan 31 (Fri)	Feb 28 (Fri)	Mar 31 (Mon)

* The last day for payment is the last day of the month of each month (in December, the 25th)

* If the last day is a weekend or holiday, the following business day for financial institutions becomes the due date (account transfers).

Q From what age should I pay Nursing Care Insurance?

Nursing Care Insurance Division Tel.0568-76-1197

A Payment for Nursing Care Insurance starts from 40 years old. 40 to 64 years old pays their Nursing Care Insurance with their enrolled health insurances (health insurance of the company or the national health insurance). From 65 years old or older, payments shall be made with the payment statement sent from the city (or account transfer), or deducted from the pension. As a general rule, payment is made through a pension deduction. (This is determined by the Long-Term Care Insurance Act.) You cannot choose your own method of payment.

Q Should I pay the insurance premium even if I am not using the services?

A Yes. Nursing Care Insurance system is constituted to support the nursing care for the aging society with the whole society. Please make your payment even though if you are currently not using the care service, for those who are using the care service as well as for in case you become in need of care service.

Eligibility for Late-term Medical Insurance for the Elderly

Insurance and Health Section Tel.0568-76-1128

▶ **75 years old or older** Join from the 75th birthday. Application procedure not required.

▶ **Persons with a certain disability from 65 to 74 years old*** Those who have been certified by the Regional Federation can enroll in the Late-Term Medical Insurance for the Elderly System. Applicant shall apply for the authorization at the Medical Section, Health Insurance and Medical Division, City Hall.

* People with certain disabilities are mainly those who hold one of the following certificates: ●Class 1 to 3 Physical Disability Certificate
●Class 4 Physical Disability Certificate (Voice/Language, Lower limb No. 1, 3 and 4) ●Class A Nursing (Protection) Certification (Level 1 and 2)
●Class 1 and 2 Health Welfare Certificate for Mental Disorder

Personal Municipal and Prefectural Taxes

Municipal Tax Division
Tel.0568-76-1182

▼ Taxpayer

- Persons with an address in the city as of January 1, this year.
 - Persons do not have an address in the city but with an office, place of business, house or residence with an address in the city as of January 1, this year
- * If you moved out of the country on January 1, but moved into Komaki City within a year, you will have to pay taxes

▼ **Tax payment** Tax payment is available in two ways, Normal Collection and Special Collection.

- Normal Collection ... Payment method with 4 separate payments in June, August, October and January of the next year.
- Special Collection ... Deducted from the salary or the pension every month.



Fixed Asset & City Planning Tax

Property Tax Division
Tel.0568-76-1115

▼ Taxpayer

Persons with land, house, or depreciable property in the city as of January 1, every year. Such persons are subject to city planning tax for lands and houses in the urbanization area.

Light Vehicle Tax (Category base)

Municipal Tax Division
Tel.0568-76-1114

▼ Taxpayer

The owner of a light vehicle, motorized two-wheeled vehicle or motorcycle with its parking space in the city as of April 1, every year.

▼ Application (registration) and Tax payment

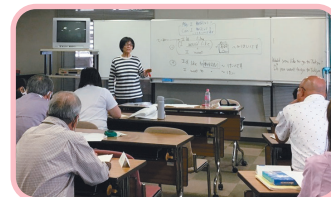
Notify when applying (registering) changes to purchase, transfer, scrap and application (registration).



Spring Basic English Lessons

Want to try English again?

- Date/time** Beginner class **May 10 to July 12 (Fridays 13:00 to 15:00)**
Intermediate class **May 11 to July 13 (Saturdays 13:00 to 15:00)**
(Total 10 lessons for both classes)
- Venue** **Lapio 4F Classroom, etc.**
- Eligibility** KIA members 18 years old or older and persons living, working or studying in Komaki.
- Number of participants** 16 students each in beginner and intermediate classes
* It will be decided by lottery in case of more than 16 applications.
* Cancelled if less than 6 people apply.
- Fees** Beginner 5,000 yen (KIA annual membership fee of 2,000 yen + tuition 3,000 yen)
Intermediate 6,000 yen (KIA annual membership fee of 2,000 yen + tuition 4,000 yen)
- Other** The teacher will give out printed materials as texts. **Application period** **April 2 (Tue) to 20 (Sat)**
- Application** Please come to the Komaki International Association (KIA) with the fee.



Beginner Korean Lessons

Try your first words in Korean!

- Date/time** **June 5 (Wed) to August 21 (Wed) 10:00 to 12:00** Total 10 times
- Venue** **Lapio 4F Classroom, etc.**
- Instructor** Ms. CHOI SOOK KYUNG
- Eligibility** KIA members 18 years old or older and persons living, working or studying in Komaki.
- Number of participants** 16 persons (It will be decided by lottery in case of more than 16 applications.
Cancelled if less than 6 people apply)
- Fees** Members 5,000 yen (includes 2,000 yen KIA membership) General 6,000 yen
- Application** **Apr 2 (Tue) to May 15 (Wed)** Please come to the Komaki International Association (KIA) with the fee.



Beginner Spanish Lessons

Would you like to start learning Spanish

casually with a native Spanish teacher?

- Date/time** **June 8 (Sat) to August 10 (Sat) 13:00 to 15:00** Total 10 times August 17 (Sat) back up date
- Venue** **Lapio 4F Multipurpose Room, etc.**
- Instructor** Ms. Patricia Morikawa
- Eligibility** KIA members 18 years old or older and persons living, working or studying in Komaki.
- Number of participants** 16 people (in order of application)
Cancelled if less than 6 people apply)
- Fees** Members 5,000 yen (includes 2,000 yen KIA membership fee)
Non-members 6,000 yen (includes fee for textbooks)
- Application** **Apr 2 (Tue) to May 15 (Wed)** Please come to the Komaki International Association (KIA) with the fee.



Inquiries

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