

# Hiroshima NOW

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English No. 18

**Japanese Language for Work:****Free Training Course  
for Promoting Stable Employment for International Residents**

定住外国人向け しごとのための日本語 「ひろしま市民と市政」 9月15日号 (P7)

These free Japanese language classes are for those studying Japanese for the first time and/or who can speak Japanese, but are not confident in reading or writing hiragana and/or katakana.

**What is the aim of this training?**

This course aims to promote stable employment for international residents by providing opportunities to learn Japanese used in workplace, as well as business customs and employment practices.

**Who can apply?**

Permanent residents, spouses or children of Japanese nationals, spouses or children of permanent residents, or long-term residents

**When and where the classes will be held?**

Period: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays between November 7, 2023 and February 27, 2024

Time: 6 pm-9 pm (33 classes in total)

Place: Hiroshima City Sōgō Fukushi Center  
(BIG FRONT Hiroshima 5F & 6F, 5-1 Matsubara-cho, Minami-ku)

**How to apply**

Apply directly to your local Hello Work (Hello Work Hiroshima, Hello Work Hiroshima-higashi or Hello Work Kabe)

Application deadline: Friday, October 20

Maximum number for the course: 20 people

- ▶ Please make sure to bring your ID photo (H4cm x W3cm) and resident card or passport when you apply.
- ▶ If the number of applicants substantially exceeds our expectation, we may close the application before the deadline.

**★ Placement Test ★**

All participants are required to take the placement test to determine their Japanese level. Please note that if the test results indicate that none of the course levels would be appropriate for your level, you may be asked to participate in upcoming courses instead. Please bring a pencil and an eraser for the placement test.

Date & Time: October 31 (Tue), 6:30 pm

Place: Hiroshima City Sōgō Fukushi Center, Meeting Room 1 (*Kaigi-shitsu 1*)

**Inquiries:**

Please check the following websites for more information:

JICE: <https://www.jice.org/tabunka/course/>

JICE Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/jice.tabunka/>

Or your local Hello Work

- ① Hello Work Hiroshima (4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Hiroshima Shimizu Building, 8-2 Kami-hatchobori, Naka-ku)  
Tel: 082-511-1181
- ② Hello Work Hiroshima-higashi (13-7 Higarigaoka, Higashi-ku) Tel: 082-264-8609
- ③ Hello Work Kabe (3-3-36 Kabe-minami, Asakita-ku) Tel: 082-815-8609