

Tips for living

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Meet the Library !

Make Life in Japan More Fun !



No Japanese? No Problem!

Shiojiri city , Foreign Citizens Consultation Desk

【Explore Japan's Libraries

: **Free**, **Friendly**, and **Full of Resources**】

Japan has useful **public libraries** that anyone can use for **free**.

◆ What You Can Do at a Public Library

Read for free

: You can read many books and magazines inside the library without paying any money.

Borrow books for free

: After a quick registration, you can take books home.

*Please return them after you finish reading!

Study in a quiet place

: The library provides a quiet and comfortable space for studying or reading.

Use free Wi-Fi

: You can connect to the internet using the library's free Wi-Fi.

Join events

: There are various events open to everyone in the community.

Use helpful services

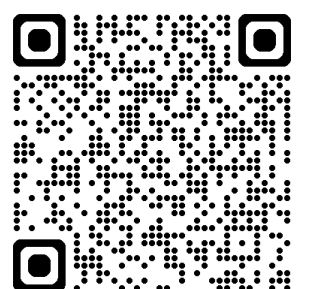
: Staff members are available to help you find information and provide useful services.



◆ The library is very comfortable

It's **cool in summer and warm in winter**. You can sit in a chair and take your time.

There is a **Shiojiri City Library** in Shiojiri City.



◆ Books in Shiojiri City Library

The Shiojiri Public Library offers a special multicultural section with books and resources for international residents.

Languages

:Books are available in **English, Portuguese, Chinese, Korean,** and **other languages.**

Book Types

:You can find novels, picture books, cookbooks, and work- related guides.

Learning Japanese

:The library provides Japanese language textbooks and easy-to-read books for language learners.

◆ There is a multicultural corner.

Book collection

: Essential guides and tips for foreigners living in Japan.
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♥ Services for Working People

Supporting everyone who works or wants to work—with business support services.

♥ Useful services for parents

The Shiojiri City Library offers the Child-Rearing Support Service for parents and guardians raising children from ages 0 to 18.

Shiojiri City Library

Opening Hours

Mon – Fri : 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Sat : 9:30 AM – 8:00 PM

Sun & Holiday : 9:30 AM – 6:00 PM

The Children's Area is open from 9:00 AM on days we are open.



If you have any questions, please ask the staff at the counter.
(Japanese only)

The main library is located in Enpark.



A large monitor has been set up at the entrance.

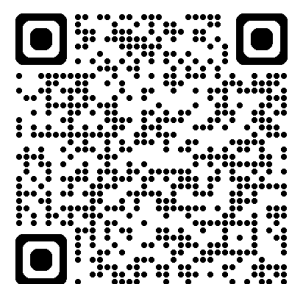
Library Guide System "**Wakaba**"

When you press the button, you will receive guidance via audio, text, and images.

- Information for first-time visitors (how to borrow books, etc.)
- Floor map
- Today's exhibitions and events.

You can choose from **6 languages** : [Japanese, English, Chinese, Portuguese, Vietnamese, and Korean].

When you visit the Main Library (Empark), please feel free to use it.



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外国籍市民相談窓口

City hall1F Counter 2
Monday ~ Friday 9:00~16:30