Life in Fukui GUIDEBOOK

International Center

International Affairs Division (IAD)

University of Fukui

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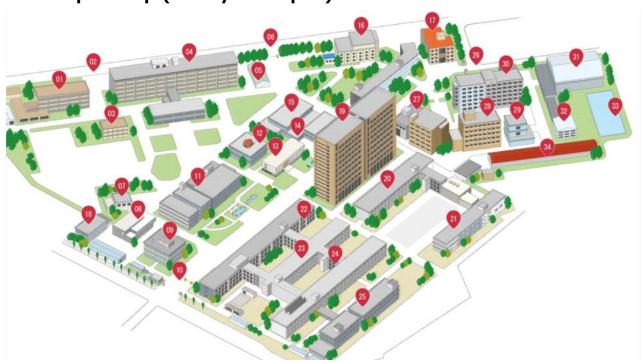
Academic Calendar 2023 (Bunkyo Campus)

2023 Spring (April 1 – September 30)	Start of Spring Semester Class Start University Festival Exam Week Summer Vacation End of Spring Semester	April 1 April 10 May 27, 28 July 31 – August 4 August 7 – September 30 September 30
2023 Fall (October 1 – March 31,2024)	Start of Fall Semester Class Start Winter Break Exam Week Spring Vacation End of Fall Semester	October 1 October 2 December 27 – January 4 February 1 – 7 February 8 – March 31 March 31

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2nd Period	10:30	\sim	12:00
3rd Period	13:00	\sim	14:30
4th Period	14 : 45	\sim	16 : 15
5th Period	16:30	\sim	18:00
6th Period	18:00	\sim	19:30

About University of Fukui Campus Map (Bunkyo Campus)



01. Education and Regional Studies Building No.3	13. UF Student Central 1F International Affairs Division/ Language Center/ International Center	22. Accounting Division
02. North Gate		23. Engineering Building No.1
03. Integrated Research Center Educational Practice	★SEIREN GLOBAL HUB 2F Career Support Division, multipurpose room	24. SHOP Comet
	3F Admission Center, Faculty Room	25. Engineering Building No.4
04. Education and Regional Studies Building No.1	14. ATM (Yucho Bank)	26. East Gate
05. Multi-Purpose Hall	15. Student Service Center 1F Cafeteria Ajisai/SHOP Manten	27. Headquarters for Innovative Society-Academia Cooperation
06. Side Entrance	2F Book Shop Asuwa/ Student Support & Counselling Office, Educational Division, Student Affairs Division	Building II/ Headquarters for Regional Revitalization
07. Health Administration Center	16. Lecture Hall	28. Research Center for Development of Far-Infrared Region (FIRFU)
08. Academy Hall	17. Extracurricular Activities Building	29. Cryogenic Laboratory
09. Main Office• Campus bus stop	18. Makishima House	30. Engineering Building No.3
10. Main Gate Guard Station	19. Science Tower I	31. Gymnasium I
11. University Library/ 2F LDC	20. Engineering Building No.2	32. Gymnasium II / 33. Swimming Pool
12. Center for Information Initiative (CII)	21. Laboratory Building	34. Center for Innovative Research and Creative

Education

On-Campus Help Desk

The numbers next to each help desk correspond to the numbers in the Campus Map (p. 7) $\, \blacktriangledown \,$

			Help Des	šk
	In Case You	Regular Stude		Exchange students, Research students, Credit students
General	want to consult with the professor in charge of international student matters.	Torao Office 🔞 International Affairs Division 🚯		B
General	don't know which help desk to go to when having a trouble.			Division 🚯
	want to know about Residence Card	International Affairs Division 🚯		
Visa	want to extend my stay period.			
	want to do a part-time job.			
	want to know about Japanese language class	Internatio	onal Affairs	Division 🚯
	want to know about course registration.	Educational Div International Educational		onal Affairs Division
Class	want to know where my class room is or about class information.	Division 🚯		
	can not take exams		Educ	ational Division 🚯
	want to know if class is canceled.	Bulletin Boa	rd ★ Stud	lent Portal, HP
	want to use the library		Library 🚺)
	want to visit my home country temporarily.	International Affairs Division 🔞		Division 🚯
Report information	changed my address, phone number, or email.	International Affairs Division 🚯 & Educational Division 🚯		
	want to reissue my student card.		Educational Division (1)	
	want a certificate of enrollment or transcript.	Certificate Vending Machine		International Affairs Division 🚯
Student Certificate	want a certificate of health			Health Administrative Center 7
	want to know about the dormitory.	Student Affairs Division 🚯		vision 🚯
Life	want to know about a guarantor for a rental contract			
	want to subscribe or renew comprehensive renters' insurance.	International Affairs Division 🚯		Division 😈
	want to pay my tuition.	Accounting Division 🕲		sion 🕲
Tuition, Scholarship	want to apply for tuition exemption.	Student Affairs Division 🚯		
	want to apply for a scholarship.	Internatio	onal Affairs	Division 🚯
District	worry about my academic and personal matters	Student Support and Counselling Office 🚯		nselling Office 🚯
Physical and Mental	want to ask about my health, sickness, and injury.	Health Administrative Center ♂ [Health Consultation by Appointment, See the ★table below]		
Health	want to know about a health check-up? (Health check-up is held in every November for international students)			
E ha	want to use university equipment/facility.	Student Affairs Division 🚯		
Extra- curricular	want to know about circle activities			
Activity	want to know/attend international events.	Torao Office & International Affairs Division 🚯		
	want to get information about getting job in Japan	Torao Office & Office for Career Support 🚯		Career Support 🚯
	want to apply for university email account.	Center for Information Initiative 🔞		- T12-12
Other	want to apply for Wi-Fi on campus			i initiative 🖤
	want to know about academic insurance.		L A 66- · · · - ·	
	lost my belongings on campus.	Student Affairs Division 🚯		VISION 🕕

★ Health Consultation and Counseling

Content	Open Day	Open Hour	How to make an appointment	
Physician	Monday - Friday	9:00~17:00		
Psychiatrist	Monday - Friday	9:00~17:00		
Gynecologist	4 th Thursday	15:00~17:00		
Clinical psychologist	Monday - Friday	9:00~17:00	* Appointments for counseling may be made by phone or letter.	
Clinical psychologist	Monday - Friday	9:00~17:00	Student Support and Counseling Office () Bunkyo TEL: 0776-27-9986/9987 Email: g-soudan@ad.u-fukui.ac.jp Matsuoka TEL: 0776-61-8802 Email: mg-soudan@ad.u-fukui.ac.jp Tsuruga TEL: 0776-25-0078 Email: maezaki@u-fukui.ac.jp	

2. Residence Status

Residence Card

A Residence Card is issued for people from overseas who will stay in Japan for more than 3 months. Its contents vary between people based on their visa status and period of stay. You must carry your Residence Card at all time. When police officer asks you to show your residence card and if you fail to present it, police officer may not let you go until he/she confirms your status.

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Status

- Please check the status shown on your Residence Card. It should be "College Student". If your status is shown as "Dependent" or "Researcher", you need to change your status. In case your status is other than student, please come to IAD immediately and apply for reissuance.
- In order to maintain your status of residence, <u>you must take at least 10 hours of course of study</u> (7 classes) per week. Without any legitimate reasons for not earning enough credits or withdrawing from classes, your extension of residence card may not be approved. If you have any difficulties catching up with classes, please consult with your supervisor, staff of the Educational Division and the International Affairs Division, or any instructors of the International Center.
- If you decide to work as an intern or look for a job after graduating from UF, you need to change your status of residence. Once you figure out your plan after graduation, please come to IAD to obtain the application form.

Period of Stay

- Please check the period of stay shown on your Residence Card and keep it in your mind. <u>Staying</u> in Japan beyond the shown date is illegal. If you need to extend your period of stay, you need to apply for extension <u>at least 1 month prior to the expiration date</u>. Please come to IAD to obtain the application form. (You may file the application 3 months before the expiration.)
- If you wish to extend the period of stay on your residence card for reasons, such as extended duration of your current program, advancing your education, and starting a job after graduation, you'll need to file the application for extension of the period.

Procedures for Residence Card Renewal

How to apply for extension of period of stay

You will need to submit the following documents to the immigration office. Please come to IAD to obtain the necessary documents.

- 1) Application for Extension of Period of Stay (By Applicant as well as By Organization)
- 2) Certificate of Enrollment
- 3) Academic Transcript (or Plan for Research Instruction if you are a research student)
- 4) Passport
- 5) Residence Card
- 6) 4,000 yen revenue stamp (you can buy it at a post office)
- 7) Proof of financial support (one of the followings)
 - Bank book (to check the balance)
 - Certificate of Financial Support (need to be filled out, signed by your supporter e.g. your parents, etc.)
 - \cdot Certificate of Scholarship Student

* Once your Residence Card is renewed, please bring the new card to the International Affairs Division. You also need to go to the Fukui Bank to show your new card.

Bringing family to Japan

If you want to bring your family members to Japan to live with you, they must obtain a visa with the "Dependent" status. You must apply for this visa at the immigration bureau on behalf of your family. Please come to IAD for consultation.

If your family members want to visit you temporarily, they must apply for the short visit visa at the Embassy of Japan by themselves.

It normally takes about 1 week for the International Affairs Division to prepare the official documents. So make sure to visit our office in advance.

In Case you lost your Residence Card

You'll need to apply for reissuance immediately. For this, you'll have to report the loss to the police station within 2 weeks after the loss. Please come to IAD to obtain the necessary documents. You can also find more detailed information at Ministry of Justice website.

* Once your Residence Card is reissued, please bring the new card to the International Affairs Division.

Temporary Leave and Re-entry Notification

If you leave Japan temporarily to visit your home country or other foreign countries, you must submit "Temporary Leave and Re-entry Notification" to IAD (This form is available at the office), and "Temporary Leave Notification for Traveling Abroad" via Google Form in advance. Please make sure that your period of stay on your Residence Card and visa does not expire while you are outside of Japan. If it expires, you will need to apply for a new visa to come back.

Part-time Job

Your visa status (College Student) only allows you to do study-related activities in Japan.

Therefore, if you have an inevitable reason to work as a part timer, you will have to apply for

"Permission to Engage in Activity Other Than That Permitted under the

Status of Residence Previously Granted (hereafter Permission)" from the Immigration Bureau. If you work without the Permission, you will be fined. After getting the permit, you will have this stamp on the back of your Residence Card.

Application for the Permission

- Please submit the following documents to the International Affairs Division at least
 - 1 week before you start your part-time job.
 - 1) Application Form (Available at the International Affairs Division)
 - 2) Survey Form (Available at the International Affairs Division)
 - 3) Passport
 - 4) Residence Card
- Once you have all the documents, please go to the immigration bureau to apply for permission.

If you entered Japan from the international airports such as NRT, KIX, or NGO, you may have the Permission upon entry. However, you will have to ask for Permission from the University of Fukui. You will also need approval from your supervisor.

Work-Related Laws for International Students

There is a working time limit as follows:

Less than 28 hours per week (within 8 hours per day during school holidays)

- Anything involving adult and sexual entertainment business is prohibited.
- \cdot The amount of fine if international students work without Permission: 2 million JPY
- The amount of fine if the employer hires an international student without Permission: 3 million JPY

Work-Related Rules by University of Fukui

- If you decided to have a part-time job, you must submit the **"Survey Form" to IAD in advance**. This form needs your supervisor's Hanko.
- · You will need a Permission to work as a Student Assistant (SA) or a tutor at UF.
- You do NOT need a Permission to work as a Teaching Assistant (TA) or Research Assistant (RA)
- You may be supervised to limit the hours of working and/or change the workplace if you don't meet the academic requirements.

Nagoya Regional Immigration Bureau, Fukui Branch

[Mailing Address] Haruyama Building 14F, 1-1-54 Haruyama, Fukui-shi, Fukui 910-0019
 [Phone Number] 0776-28-2101
 [Office Hours] Monday - Friday 9:00 - 12:00, 13:00 - 16:00
 Closed on weekends and public holidays.



3. Insurance

Japanese Health Care System

National Health Insurance *Mandatory

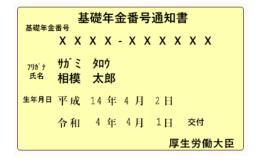
• <u>All residents of Japan must register for the National Health Insurance.</u> The insurance will cover 30 % of your medical fee that you pay at the hospitals. The premium varies according to your income and where you live, but <u>it is about 18,000 yen</u> for students who have no income. The insurance does not cover the orthodontic treatment, health check-up and cosmetic plastic surgery. National Health Insurance Card

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• In case you are charged excessive amount of medical fee such as hospitalization, you may be eligible to apply for the reimbursement. If the amount exceeds more than about 35,400 JPY, you may be applicable. When you receive a bill from the hospital, please come IAD before you make a payment.

National Pension ★Mandatory

All residents of Japan must register for the National Pension. However, while you are a student, you will be exempted from the payment. You need to apply for the waiver. Please note that you will need to update in every April. You will soon receive the Pension Book, please keep it safe. Once you receive your "Basic Pension Number Notification", please keep it safely.



Other Insurance

Gakkensai (Personal Accident Insurance for Students Pursuing Education and Research)

★ Mandatory for all international students

Gakkensai applies to the accidents, such as physical injury, occurring during educational and research activities, during the commute to school or while in transit between school facilities. All int'l students must purchase this insurance. The premium is 800 yen per year.

Gakkenbai (Liability Insurance coupled with Gakkensai)

Those who purchase "Gakkensai" are eligible to purchase Gakkenbai. It applies to the accidents involving third parties or their property. The premium is 340 yen per year.

Inbound insurance (Comprehensive Insurance for Student Lives Coupled with "GAKKENSAI")

★ Mandatory for the dormitory residents

Those who purchase "Gakkensai" are eligible for this insurance. It covers liability, injury, illness, rescuer expenses, death and residual disability. For further details, please see the pamphlet. <u>All the students who</u> live in the university dormitory must purchase this insurance.

*Please make sure to purchase either Gakkenbai or Inbound insurance.

* Actual premium for each insurance depends on your enrollment period. Please refer to the insurance premiums table before purchasing.

Ryuhosyo (Comprehensive Renters' Insurance for international students)

*ONLY for those who live in a private apartment

It is comprised of Overseas Travel Insurance and Guarantors' Protection Fund. All international students who live in a private apartment are required to have a contact guarantor when signing a contract, and if you request UF to be your guarantor, you must purchase this insurance. The premium is 4,000 yen per year. For more information, please refer to the brochure.

If the tenancy period is less than 1 year, part of your insurance fee may be refunded. You will get detailed information during the "Returning Orientation" in January and August. If you hope to apply for the refund, please come to the IAD office.

Daily Life

There are many differences in daily life in Japan compared to the life in your home country. The common sense and laws may be quite different and you may encounter some difficulties adjusting yourself to new environment. We encourage you to understand the Japanese culture and common sense while you study here. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to ask us.

My Number Card

After you register your address at the City Hall, they will issue you a 12-digit number. An "Individual Number Notice" will be sent to your registered address by postal mail in a few weeks after completing resident registration. This is a notice delivered to each resident to inform them of their Individual Number (My Number). You need to receive your "Individual Number Notice" directly from the delivery person. This cannot be used as proof of your Individual Number or as identification. "Application for issuance of the Individual Number Card" is enclosed with the Individual Number Notice. An Individual Number Card is a card with an ID photograph in which the Individual Number is described. This card can be used as an identification card for identity verification as well as to receive a wide range of services including municipality service. This is issued only to those who apply for it. The first issuance is free of charge. You must receive "My Number Card" at the City Hall.

Please keep your card safe. If you lost your card, you must report to the police office and the City Hall immediately. Also, please remember that sharing your number with someone or getting someone's number is prohibited.

Individual Number Notice Sample	My Number Card Sample
Individual Number Notice sample	Image of the card
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Delivery Notice

The confidential documents such as your cash card from Fukui Bank must be received in person from the delivery person. In case you are not at home, you will receive a notice letter called "Delivery Notice (Gofuzai Renrakuhyo)" in your mail box. Make a call following the instruction of the notice and arrange the re-delivery. Not only the Post Office, but other delivery companies also issue the Delivery Notice, which look like the following photos.





Example 1: Delivery Notice from Post Office

Example 2: Delivery Notice from YAMATO Transport

When you receive a "Delivery Notice", you need to arrange the re-delivery as soon as possible, or go to the post office indicated on the "Delivery Notice" to pick up your item.

 \ast After the storage period, it will not be redelivered.

To arrange re-delivery:

Makishima House \Rightarrow Student Affairs Division will receive your mail, no need to arrange redelivery. **Overseas Student House** \Rightarrow Please schedule re-deliver time that you will be at your room surely. **UF Student Dormitory** \Rightarrow On the weekdays from 8:30AM to 3:30PM, a dormitory manager will be at the dormitory office. However, he may not be there when post officer comes, so please schedule the delivery time between 12:00 to 2:00PM. Please also let him know that you are arranging re-delivery. **Apartment** \Rightarrow Please schedule re-deliver time that you will be at home surely.

*When shopping on the Internet, if you choose "Convenience Store Pickup", you can pick up your package at a convenience store, so there is no need to arrange an "Delivery Notice" procedure.

Procedures for Moving

When you move from your current place to another location, you will have to inform a new address to the International Affairs Division as well as the Educational Division, and complete the change of address procedure at the city hall.

<example 1> When moving from one place in Fukui City to another in Fukui City

1) Please submit "Notice of change of address" to Fukui City Hall.

<example 2> When moving from within Fukui City to outside of Fukui City

- ① Please submit "Notice of moving out" to Fukui City Hall.
- 2 Receive "Moving out certificate" issued by Fukui City Hall.
- ③ Take the "Moving out certificate" to the city hall or ward office of the new address and submit it together with the "Notice of moving in".

*If you need a Resident Certificate, you can go to the citizen services division of the city hall where you registered your address and apply for it. (1 copy 300 yen)

*If you submit a "Notice of Change of Address" at the post office, mail and other items addressed to your old address will be forwarded to your new address free of charge. (within Japan) https://www.post.japanpost.jp/service/tenkyo/index_en.html

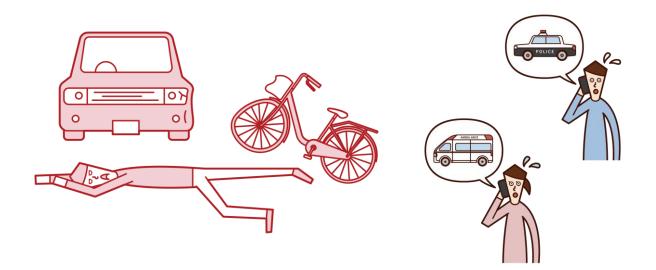
Safety and Accident

Currently the university has been reported by several international students that they were involved with traffic and other accidents. When you go out, or drive a bicycle or a car, please take care of yourself not to be involved with accidents.

• If you have an accident

If you are involved with any accident as a sufferer or a wrongdoer, call the police (TEL: 110).

When you make a phone call, tell your name, address, and phone number. If anyone is injured, make sure you call an ambulance (TEL: 119). After that, make sure to notify the International Affairs Division as well. If you do not report the police, you may not be able to get any benefit from the insurance.



When you ride a bicycle

Bicycles are categorized as mini-vehicles, so you should follow the several rules when you ride a bicycle. If you violate the rules you will receive penalties. Even you ride a bicycle you should be very careful as well as when you drive a car. Please follow the rules below:

- 1. As a general rule, you should share the roadway with cars and keep to the left. However, you may ride bicycle on the sidewalk in the following exceptional cases:
 - If traffic signs indicate that bicycles may be driven.
 - If it's difficult to drive on the roadway due to obstacles (e.g. parked cars).
- 2. When you are on sidewalks, you must slow down. In this situation, pedestrians should be prioritized.
- 3. Drunk-riding is prohibited. Offenders could face up to 5 years or less in jail or fine one million yen or less.
- 4. Double-riding is prohibited. (Riding with two children under 6 year old is exceptionally allowed)
- 5. Riding side by side is prohibited.
- 6. Keep bicycle light on when it's dark.

There are few more things to be followed:

- You must not use umbrellas or cellphones when riding.
- You must not put earphones on when riding.
- You should come to full stop or slow down at intersections where visibility is poor, or narrow roads meet wide streets.

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It will not work excusing that "I did not know" when you are caught in a police officer in violation of the traffic rules. More than anything, you will bear a huge responsibility once you have an accident ended by injury to the other person. Please ride a bicycle with the solid understanding of the traffic rules in Japan.

Fukui Prefectural Bicycle Ordinance

The Fukui Prefecture Bicycle Ordinance was enacted on July 1, 2022! It is for the safe and proper use of bicycles. It imposes you the obligation to purchase bicycle insurance, to wear helmets, and make efforts to inspect and maintain bicycles on a regular basis. For more information, check the website below. https://www.pref.fukui.lg.jp/doc/kenan/koutuu/zitennsyazyourei.html#

*If you have inbound insurance, you are not required to purchase bicycle insurance.







When you drive a car

Please drive a car in Japan on the full understanding of the Japanese traffic rules.

Acquisition of a Japanese driver's license

Your driver's license may not be valid in Japan, so you need to acquire Japanese driver's license. Even when you acquired the International Driver's License in your home country, be sure to confirm whether it is valid in Japan.

If police officers find you driving with a foreign driver's license, strict penalties (¥300,000 or less of the fine) will be imposed or you will receive a disciplinary action from the University of Fukui. Please acquire the Japanese driver's license as soon as possible.

Parking lot

If you own a car, you must ensure to rent a parking lot. It is illegal to keep parking all the way without securing the parking lot.

Vehicle inspection

In Japan a vehicle cannot be operated unless the car or the motorcycle receives a grant of "motor vehicle inspection certificate", normally called "shaken". You are required to undergo this inspection regularly. **Be sure to receive a vehicle inspection before the expiration date, which is described in the "vehicle inspection certificate" of your current automobile.** You can receive the inspection from one month before it expires. Vehicle inspection can be received by designed automobile dealers and maintenance shop.

Insurance

In Japan, if you caused a car accident, all damages are self-responsibility. **Be sure to subscribe both Compulsory**Automobile Liability and optional insurance. The compulsory automobile liability can't cover all damages. Thus, it is required to subscribe the optional insurance too.

<Car insurances>

Compulsory	Those who have a car or motorbike must subscribe it.			
Automobile Liability	You get the part of treatment costs of the victim and compensation of death.			
Optional insurance	You get the damages of your own medical expenses and car or motorcycle.			
	Note: Compulsory for all vehicle and motorbike owners.			

- When parking your bicycle on campus, student house, dormitory, apartment, local stores, train station, etc…, please be sure to lock your bicycle and use the designated bicycle parking area.
 Please note that bicycles left unattended or abandoned are often stolen.
- ※ Riding motorcycle while entering the campus is prohibited. Please be sure to get off your motorcycle at the main gate, push it, and park it at a near bicycle parking lot.

Natural Disaster

In Japan, natural disasters such as earthquakes, typhoons, heavy rain, and heavy snow can occur. In particular, Japan is a country where earthquakes occur frequently.

Earthquakes

The intensity of earthquake shaking ranges from "seismic intensity 0" to "seismic intensity 7". You may feel tremors from "seismic intensity 2-3", and you will feel shaking at "seismic intensity 4". Since you never know when or where an earthquake will happen, it is very important to be prepared on a daily basis.

<How to protect yourself>

- 1. Move under the table to protect yourself from falling objects
- 2. Wear shoes even indoors
- 3. Move away from window side to avoid injury from broken windows
- 4. Take necessary supplies and go to evacuation place near by



Typhoon and heavy rain

Typhoons tend to approach and land many times from July through October. Typhoon storm and heavy rain can cause disasters by wind, water and landslides. Heavy rain can also occur in areas far from typhoons.

<How to protect yourself>

1. Stay inside

- 2. Lock windows and keep curtains closed in case of broke windows.
- 3. Pay attention to weather broadcast
- 4. When the evacuation advisory is issued, follow the evacuation instructions and move to the nearest evacuation place as soon as possible
- Heavy snow

It snows in winter in Fukui. Heavy snow (more than 1 meter of snow) can occur, especially around January and February. Also, please note that snowstorms can cause a condition known as "whiteout", in which visibility turns completely white and you cannot see anything at all.

<How to protect yourself>

- 1. Stay inside
- 2. Do not walk near buildings as snow might fall from roofs
- 3. Walk carefully with small strides as roads are icy and slippery
- 4. Wear a cap, gloves, etc. to prevent injury in the event of a fall





Evacuation Place

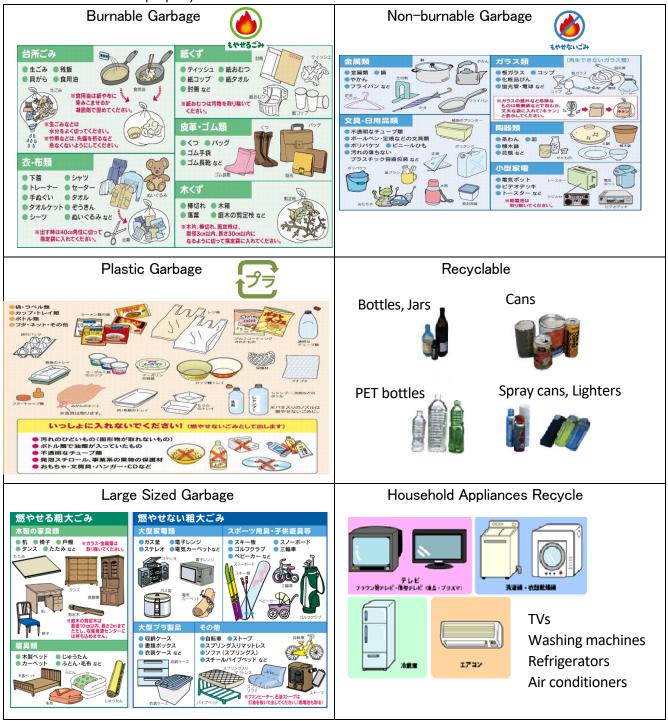
Designated evacuation places near the University of Fukui are listed below, but the first designated evacuation place to be opened is "Haruyama Elementary School".

Туре	Facility name	Address	Earhquake	Flood	Landslide	Tsunami
Designated evacuation place	Haruyama Kouminkan	3-11-12 Bunkyo	0	-	-	-
	Haruyama Elementary School	3-13-1 Bunkyo	Ø	Ø	-	-
	Meido Junior High School	2-5-1 Bunkyo	0	0	-	-
	Fujishima High School	2-8-30 Bunkyo	0	0	-	-
	University of Fukui	3-9-1 Bunkyo	0	0	-	-
	Makishima Nursery School	3-26-23 Bunkyo	0	-	-	-
	Phoenix Plaza	1-13-6 Tawara	0	0	-	-
	Keishin High school	4-15-1 Bunkyo	0	-	-	-



Garbage Disposal

In Japan, each municipality and apartment building has its own rules on how to dispose of garbage. There are certain rules regarding the designation of garbage bags, how to separate garbage, and the days on which garbage should be taken out. Failure to follow the rules will cause inconvenience to others, so please be sure to follow them properly.



*For household appliances recycle, please ask a licensed collection and transportation company.

- *Large sized garbage should be brought to the following facilities or call the collection resources center at 0776-35-0052 to request collection.
- 1) Fukui city clean center (50-41 Ryomachi) tel:0776-53-8999
- 2) Collection resources center (2-1 Minamiemori-cho) tel:0776-35-0052
- If it is difficult to arrange by yourself, please consult with Student Affairs Division.