# KUMAGAYA

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#### Resident's Tax Report 2018 from February 8th (Thur.) through March 15th (Thur.)

Please file a resident's tax report to the City Office related facilities by March 15th, 2018 on the income you earned during the previous year (2017).

Eligible person: Everyone who lives in the municipality as of January 1st, 2018 and has income for the previous year (2017).

- \* Note: However, those who are subject to the items below do not need to file a resident's tax report;
- (1) if you are salaried employees of a company that submits a salary payment report to the City Office.
- ② if you are under 65 years old, and living with only the retirement income of which the upmost limit is 1,010,5000 yen a year. (For 65 years old and over, the upmost limit of the retirement income has to 1,515,000 yen a year.)
- ③ if you have filed an income tax report with the Kumagaya tax office.
- ④ if you didn't earn any income in 2017. (except you need an income certificate or you join the National Health Insurance system and the Care Insurance system.)

Inquiry: Resident's Tax Affairs Section Ext. 247





#### Spanish Language Class for beginners

Anyone who is interested in learning Spanish is welcome.

Time: January 22nd - February 26th every Monday

10:00~11:30 am Venue: Ryokuka Center

(Green Center, next to the city hall) Lesson fee: 2,000 yen for membership

(If you are not a member, the annual membership fee

1,000 yen is additionally required.)

Inquiry: 048-524-1111 Ext.220 **Public Relations Section** 

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Kumagaya International Friendship Association



#### Japanese Language Class

You can learn Japanese for your daily life. All you need to do is just turn up on the day and fill in the registration form.

Date & Hours=

2 pm-4 pm

Every 1st, 2nd & 3rd Sundays

Place=Green center ( next to the Kumagaya City Hall )

Fee= 100yen (\*free of charge for members)

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Let's learn about the World!

Date: February 4th, Sunday, 2018



Time: 10:00 a.m.~ 11:30 a.m. Place: Kumagaya Chamber of **Commerce and Industry** 

Fee: free of charge for members

Advance application needed

( You need to be a member of KIFA before attending this workshop. The membership fee/year is ¥ 1,000 ) For further information, please feel free to contact us.

#### Office Information

Days: Monday through Friday (Closed on Saturdays, Sundays and national holidays)

Hours: 8:30 am to 5:15 pm

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Population (As of December 1st, 2017)

The number of Foreign Registrants: 3,068

Population: 198.824

