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# 大阪880万人訓練

Osaka 8.8million drill

**A Disaster Drill will be conducted throughout Osaka on Friday, September 5, 2014!!**

**11AM: Earthquake!!**

*(Announced over public address (PA) system – both indoors and outdoors)*

**11:03AM: Tsunami Warning!!**

*(Announced through "Area Mail"/Emergency Alert Message ※This is not the alarm for the Earthquake Early Warning)*

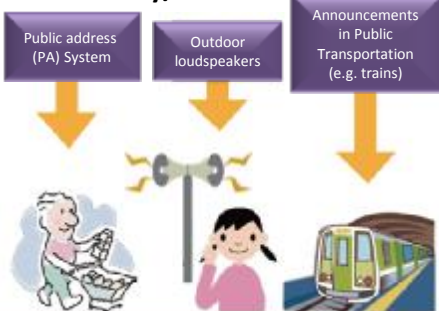
※ Some municipalities may send another alert message after sending the prefecture-wide alert message.

Everyone in Osaka will have the opportunity to plan, act, and review their actions (see below):



## Drill notification methods:

### ■ In the city/town



• 11:03 am (approx.)

• **"Area Mail"/ Emergency Alert Message (available for compatible models only)**

**Your phone will ring even if it is in silent mode!**

※ Ask your cell-phone company for details on whether your phone is a compatible model  
 ※ Some municipalities may send another alert message after the prefecture-wide alert message.  
 ※ Maximum availability ratio was 71.2% (as of the end of March 2014)

• Osaka Disaster Prevention Information Message (members only)  
 • Yahoo! Disaster Newsflash 「防災速報」 (members only)

### ■ Via cell phone



# Make a disaster preparedness plan, and act accordingly during the drill on **Friday, September 5th!**

During an earthquake, protect yourself first

Once the shaking has stopped, find an escape to prepare for tsunamis

## When you feel a tremor/hear an emergency earthquake alert:

- If indoors, take cover under a table
- If outdoors, watch out for collapsing walls or other falling objects



## When the shaking stops:

- Turn off all stoves and put out any fires immediately
- Open the front door to secure a means for escape – do NOT panic
- Watch out for fallen objects such as tiles and glass
- Call out to your neighbors and evacuate together
- Walk (do NOT run) to safety, with minimal luggage



## Areas with high risk of floods:

- Flee from tsunamis by going to at least the third floor of a concrete building or other higher ground
- Do NOT return to your original location until the tsunami warning or advisory is lifted



### If you are driving:

#### When you feel a tremor/hear an emergency earthquake alert:

- Do not read or send text messages even if you hear your cell phone ringing
- Reduce speed slowly (no sudden braking)
- Turn on your hazard lights



#### When the shaking stops:

- Pull off to the left side of the road
- Check surroundings – do NOT panic
- Do not blindly rush out of your car

※Do not actually simulate the above on the day of the drill. Please obey traffic rules.

## Being prepared can save your life

### Prepare beforehand to minimize damage

It is important to always be prepared for an emergency so you can take action in a quick and calm manner.

- Have an emergency survival kit on hand  
Pack your emergency bag with survival kit items, such as food, drinking water, medicine, a radio, a flashlight, valuables, etc. that you can take with you right away at anytime  
※Make sure it is light enough to carry
- Prepare emergency supplies such as food, drinking water, a portable gas stove, spare batteries, etc., necessary for surviving about one week after the disaster, assuming that water supply, gas, and electricity services are not available
- Make your home a safer place
  - Use clasps and/or fasteners to secure furniture and large electrical appliances
  - Attach anti-shatter films to windows
- Reinforce your house against earthquakes
- Check your evacuation shelter and escape route
- Determine a contact method and meeting place for emergencies

### Yahoo! JAPAN "Disaster Newsflash" 「防災速報」App

For the disaster drill, notifications will only be available from this cell phone application and not from the Yahoo! JAPAN website. Be sure to install the "Disaster Newsflash" 「防災速報」 App to receive push notifications on earthquakes, heavy rain, or tsunamis (Japanese only)



### Sign up for the Osaka Disaster Prevention Information Network

Members will receive text messages or e-mails about weather/earthquake/tsunami information, evacuation advisories or orders, and other urgent messages during an emergency.

Strongly recommended for those whose cell phones cannot receive Area Mail/Emergency Alert Messages. Sign up now!

※You can register by scanning this QR code with your cell phone. ⇒  
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(Japanese only)

### Contact Information

Osaka Prefectural Office  
06-6941-0351 (Main Number)  
06-6910-8001 (Contact Info Center for Prefecture Residents)  
Osaka City Office  
06-6208-7387  
Sakai City  
072-228-7605

We recommend calling in advance as phone lines may be busy on the day of the drill.