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17 Jan every year Disaster Drill

# Join us for the annual drill!

Wednesday **17 January 10:00** a.m. start! This is a drill. There has just been an intensity level (shindo) upper 6 earthquake.

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Food

Supply

An announcement from the public address system speakers signals the start of the drill\*

\* The public address system speakers are one way to communicate information in a disaster. You cannot hear them inside buildings, and may be unable to hear them depending on your situation (e.g. in strong wind or rain). Please join in the drill at 10:00 a.m.

#### In Minoh City on 17 January every year, regardless of which day of the week, **we run a disaster drill together!**

In Minoh City, every year on the anniversary of the Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake, 17 January, the entire city runs a disaster drill. Whether it's on a weekday and the whole household is out doing different things, or on a holiday when everyone is home together, by practicing on different days of the week you can be prepared for any situation.

On a Monday morning in June 2018, the Northern Osaka Earthquake caused damage to many parts of the city. In such a large-scale disaster, it is very important to protect people's lives by quickly checking the safety of your

neighbors, and finding those who need rescue. Using methods like the "Yellow Cloth Strategy" (see QR code for details), please join in the drill wherever you are in your designated role!



A backpack is best because

it leaves your hands free!

Protect yourself and your family from natural disasters

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Please join in the drill from wherever you are in your designated role!

# Get ready now! Make sure that your household is prepared



9 liters x No. of people per household Each person needs 3 liters

of drinking water per day (4 person household = 9 liters x 4 people)

## It's OK to use what you eat every day!

Please store food that you can eat without cooking

eat without cooking
Retort pouches (okayu, zosui, stew, etc.)
Canned, bottled food Always keep your fridge and pantry full! Buy lots of groceries, eat the oldest produce first, and buy more as soon as you use them. Always keep a "new stockpile" in your house.

### Preparing an Emergency Bag

- Handheld radio Batteries Flashlight
- Portable battery charger and cable
- Wet wipe tissues Emergency toilet
- Whistle (to call for help)

 Things you might need (some water and snacks, baby milk, diapers, your regular medicine, contact lenses (or spare glasses), menstrual products, tissues, masks, thermometer, alcohol-based sanitizer

Regularly put these items in your emergency bag, and place it near your entrance!

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## In a disaster, the city sends emergency information (evacuation centers opening, etc.) via E-mail, social media, and apps! On 17 January, drill alerts will be sent out, so please sign up before and join in the drill!







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**Citizen Safety Alert** 









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