

Wednesday, November 5, 2025

The drill will start simultaneously throughout Osaka Prefecture.

10:00 Earthquake simulation begins.

10:03 Tsunami warning issued.

(Emergency alerts sent via Area Mail

/ Emergency Notification Mail)



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The Osaka 8.8 Million Person Drill is conducted to Confirm and Rehearse our **Disaster Plans.**

What will be carried out on the day of the Osaka 8.8 Million Drill?

- On the Day of the Drill (November 5 Tsunami Disaster Prevention Day):
 - 10:00 a.m. The drill will begin with a disaster prevention broadcast.
 - 10:03 a.m. Emergency alerts (Area Mail / Emergency Mail) will be sent across all areas of Osaka Prefecture.
 - **X**Some municipalities will send alerts at 10:05 a.m.
 - **XAlerts** from neighboring municipalities may be received near municipal borders.

The alert will sound even in silent mode. (Not an earthquake early warning sound), If you wish to avoid the sound, turn off your device or adjust the settings. (For details, please check the website.)

What should I do on the day of the Osaka 8.8 Million Drill?

Let's conduct drills by imagining a real disaster.

- Practice protecting yourself under a table or other furniture (Shake-Out Drill)
- Check the contents of emergency alert messages and conduct an evacuation
- Try eating your emergency food supplies, then be sure to restock.



[Official Website]

For individuals (organizations) conducting training as part of the Osaka 8.8 Million Person Drill, please register for training participation using the QR code above. Registered participants will receive a Certificate of Participation. Examples of past successful drills are available for reference.



Let's prepare for disaster once again!

- ☑ Check your evacuation sites and routes.
- Check your emergency food and supplies. Prepare essential carry-out items for emergencies. Stock at least three days of essentials, ideally one week. See supply and carry-out list on the website.

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Check how to confirm safety! Confirm your family contact method, such as Disaster Emergency Message Dial (171).

☑ Secure furniture to prevent falling! Take preventive measures to secure furniture. Arrange furniture to create safe spaces. Review furniture layout to secure evacuation routes.





Osaka Disaster Prevention App.



It is vital to have multiple ways to access disaster information.

The Osaka Disaster Prevention App provides earthquake/tsunami information, weather advisories/warnings, heat stroke alerts, linear precipitation bands, and municipal evacuation information. It offers location-based alerts and push notifications for imminent dangers.

Download this app for timely disaster info and evacuation support.

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Watch the video!

The video shows safe evacuation steps during an earthquake with the Osaka Disaster Prevention App.

> Watch the video and simulate your actions ♪



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