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Tokyo Metropolitan Library

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## Tokyo Metropolitan Library

The Tokyo Metropolitan Library promotes library services in two libraries;  
The **Central** Library and the **Tama** Library.

The Tokyo Metropolitan **Central** Library is a library to support surveys, research and finding solution for the residents of Tokyo. The Tokyo Metropolitan **Tama** Library offers a variety of magazines and services for children and youth. These two Metropolitan Libraries propel the services with close cooperation.

### Tokyo Metropolitan **Central** Library



**Holdings** 1,800,000 books

We hold **212,000 books written in foreign languages.**

- Chinese : 59,000
- Korean : 17,000
- English and others : 136,000
- Japanese : 1,552,000

A wide range of research materials is available in various foreign languages, including books on Tokyo and books on photographs, newspapers and magazines. Library provides useful information on everyday life in Tokyo as well.

Please use the Tokyo Metropolitan Central Library, as well as your local library and university library.

- **Free-of-charge** to read materials
- When you need books in closed stacks, please ask librarians.
- Eating and drinking are allowed only in the cafeteria.

### Services

#### Materials on Tokyo

(Including literature, history, politics and economy, etc.)

#### Special Collection of Classics and related materials

(Classics and its-related materials in Japan, China and Korea)

**Electronic resource** (Internet access, Online databases)

**Business information service**

**Health information service**

**Legal information service**

### Searching materials

**OPAC is available through internet.**

- Materials in all languages  
<https://catalog.library.metro.tokyo.jp/winj/opac/search-detail.do?lang=ja>
- Materials in Chinese and Korean, you can search "NACSIS Webcat" <http://webcat.nii.ac.jp/>  
Or "CiNii Books" with library ID code FA022594 <http://cinii.ac.jp/books>
- Current acquisition list of books in Chinese and Korean  
[http://www.library.metro.tokyo.jp/about\\_us/syusyu\\_hozon/fl\\_material/tabid/2092/Default.aspx](http://www.library.metro.tokyo.jp/about_us/syusyu_hozon/fl_material/tabid/2092/Default.aspx)

### Using materials

Library materials are **not available for loan** service.

We provide **inter-library loan** service among public libraries in Tokyo Metropolitan area. Please ask nearby municipal library. (2012.2)

## Tokyo Metropolitan **Central** Library

< Address >

5-7-13 Minami-Azabu, Minato-ku, Tokyo (located in Arisugawa-no-miya Memorial Park)

< Tel >

03-3442-8451

< Opening Hours >

Mon.-Fri. :  
10:00a.m. - 9:00p.m.

Sat., Sun. & Holidays :  
10:00a.m. - 5:30p.m.

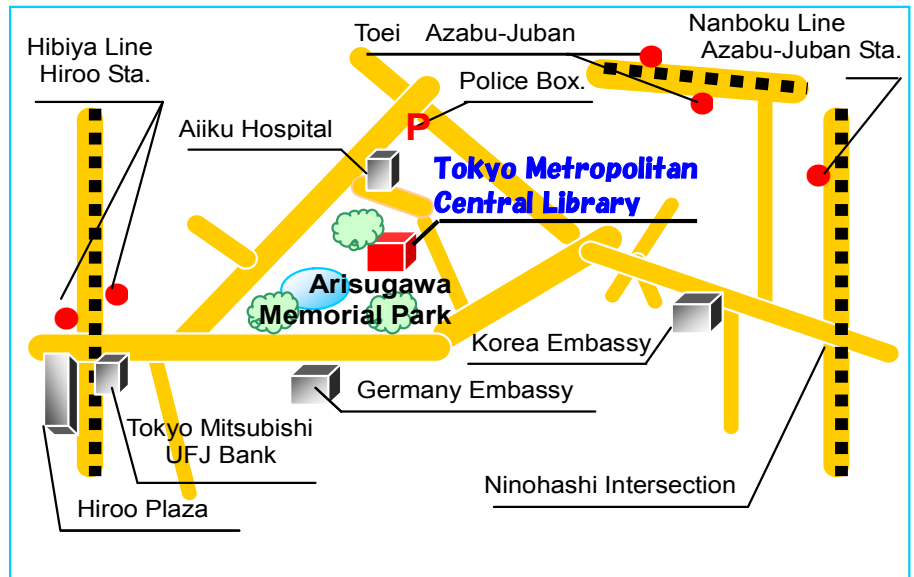
*For further information, please check the Library Homepage and the Calendar there.*

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Tokyo Metro Hibiya Line

Tokyo Metro Nanboku Line

Tokyo Subway Oedo Line



8 minute walk from Hiroo Station (H3)

20 minute walk from Azabu-juban Station (N4)

20 minute walk from Azabu-juban Station (E22)

## Tokyo Metropolitan **Tama** Library

### Tokyo Magazine Bank

**More than 16,000 titles of journals and magazines on various subjects**

< Address >

6-3-1 Nishiki-cho, Tachikawa-city

< Tel >

042-524-7186

< Opening Hours >

Mon.-Fri. : 9:30a.m.-7:00p.m.

Sat., Sun. & Holidays: 9:30a.m.-5:00p.m.

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JR Nanbu Line

10 minute walk from Nishi-Kunitachi  
Station

JR Chuo Line

20 minute walk from Tachikawa Station

Keio Bus

3 minute walk from Nishiki-cho  
san-chome Stop



250 titles of overseas magazines in various languages.

e.g. "Vogue" from all over the world !

### Books for Children:

We hold **166,400 vols.**

Japanese	144,600
Chinese	3,200
Korean	1,300
English and others	17,300

