

DON'T FORGET TO FILE YOUR FINAL TAX RETURN!



What is a Final Tax Return (kakutei shinkoku)?

Individuals and businesses have a responsibility to calculate both the amount of money made the previous year, and the amount of income tax owed, paid or withheld. In order to determine whether a taxpayer paid in excess, or is required to pay more, a Final Tax Return is filed at the local tax office.

Who needs to file a Final Tax Return?



If you have just one employer, you will most likely not have to file, as the company should file the paperwork on your behalf during the "Year-End-Adjustment."

However, if you fall into any of the categories below, you may be responsible for filing a Final Tax Return on your own.



*There may be other cases where taxpayers must file Final Tax Returns, so be sure to confirm with your local tax office.

So how do I file?!

For English language information on how to file Final Tax Returns, follow the link below.

<https://www.nta.go.jp/taxes/shiraberu/shinkoku/tebiki/2022/foreigner/index.htm>
<https://www.nta.go.jp/english/taxes/individual/index.htm>

You can also consult with your local tax office. Check the following link to find the tax office in charge of your area. (Japanese)

<https://www.nta.go.jp/about/organization/sapporo/location/index.htm>

If consulting in Japanese is difficult, the Tokyo Regional Taxation Bureau can answer questions in English.



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(English available)



The filing period for this year is
Feb. 16, 2023 to March 15, 2023.
 Be sure to prepare all of your documents in advance and keep an eye on the deadline!