

Fundamental Library Data (2020)

● Number of books and journals

		Books		Journals		E-Journal	A/V materials
		Japanese	Non-Japanese	Japanese	Non-Japanese		
Kinugasa	HIRAI KAICHIRO Memorial Library	887,093	145,721	14,543	2,294	43,131	7,671
	Shugakukan Research Library	267,956	296,840	10,189	7,774		26,668
	Arts & Humanities Library	290,656	94,506	5,918	278		1,144
	Research Organizations	174,841	125,541	2,671	383		3,528
Biwako -Kusatsu	Media Center	264,709	116,947	3,731	2,685		2,460
	Media Library	259,395	122,324	6,734	2,744		4,872
Suzaku	Suzaku Research Library	53,962	3,948	1,113	127		73
Osaka Ibaraki	OIC Library	181,267	99,667	2,507	989		5,308
Total		2,379,879	1,005,494	47,406	17,274	43,131	51,724

※All books・Journal・A/V materials as of March 31, 2021.

(The number of books and A/V materials includes consumer items. The number of journals do not include consumer items.)

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※The number of E-Journal titles are calculated based on the number of titles registered in SFX as of April 2021.

● Number of books and journals acquired annually

		Books		Journals	
		Japanese	Non-Japanese	Japanese	Non-Japanese
Kinugasa	HIRAI KAICHIRO Memorial Library	7,920	472	2,552	186
	Shugakukan Research Library	867	1,549	2,134	923
	Arts & Humanities Library	2,175	635	2,170	150
	Research Organizations	1,433	231	1,066	96
Biwako -Kusatsu	Media Center	3,874	179	590	191
	Media Library	3,311	330	1,118	194
Suzaku	Suzaku Research Library	767	22	432	23
Osaka Ibaraki	OIC Library	4,175	823	1,336	313
Total		24,522	4,241	11,398	2,076

※April 1st, 2020 - March 31st, 2021 (Including consumer items)

※The number of books includes A/V materials.

● Usage status

		Number of library visitors	Number of books loaned out
Kinugasa	HIRAI KAICHIRO Memorial Library	229,995	146,459
	Shugakukan Research Library	10,529	17,252
	Arts & Humanities Library	9,214	8,349
Biwako -Kusatsu	Media Center	97,044	33,079
	Media Library	54,049	28,118
Suzaku	Suzaku Research Library	11,162	6,207
Osaka Ibaraki	OIC Library	55,765	35,607
Total		467,758	275,071

※April 1st, 2020 - March 31st, 2021

※Due to the temporary closure of COVID-19, the number of visitors and the number of books lent have decreased significantly.

● Area of reading rooms / Numbers of seats

		Area of reading rooms (m ²)	Numbers of seats
Kinugasa	HIRAI KAICHIRO Memorial Library	14,585	2,000
	Shugakukan Research Library	2,271	34
	Arts & Humanities Library	842	53
Biwako -Kusatsu	Media Center	5,922	888
	Media Library	10,690	1,009
Suzaku	Suzaku Research Library	1,361	309
Osaka Ibaraki	OIC Library	8,477	1,108
Total		44,148	5,401

※Numbers as of April 1st, 2021

● Number of operating days

		Days
Kinugasa	HIRAI KAICHIRO Memorial Library	254
	Shugakukan Research Library	227
	Arts & Humanities Library	227
Biwako -Kusatsu	Media Center	263
	Media Library	257
Suzaku	Suzaku Research Library	246
Osaka Ibaraki	OIC Library	256

※April 1st, 2020 - March 31st, 2021

※Due to COVID-19, the library was temporarily closed.