

# 03 Think about places to evacuate to!

## A-3 Check where to evacuate

Place to evacuate		How to evacuate	How long it takes to evacuate
The nearest "Evacuation Shelter" in the Flood Hazard Map.	<b>Minami Elementary School</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On foot <input type="checkbox"/> By bicycle <input type="checkbox"/> By car <input type="checkbox"/> By train <input type="checkbox"/> Other (                      )	<b>15</b> minute(s)
Your acquaintance's house, Japanese class, church, etc. where floodwater will not reach	<b>Friend's house</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> On foot <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By bicycle <input type="checkbox"/> By car <input type="checkbox"/> By train <input type="checkbox"/> Other (                      )	<b>10</b> minute(s)
A safe and sturdy building that is close to your house and floodwater will not reach	<b>Hospital</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On foot <input type="checkbox"/> By bicycle <input type="checkbox"/> By car <input type="checkbox"/> By train <input type="checkbox"/> Other (                      )	<b>3</b> minute(s)

Suggest various places to evacuate.



The nearest "Evacuation Shelter" in the Flood Hazard Map.

- If you are sheltered there, you will receive necessary items.

Your acquaintance's house, Japanese class, church, etc. where river floodwater will not reach

- Ask if you can go there when raining heavily.
- If you have nowhere to go, consider sheltering in a hotel.

Others

- If you feel danger while evacuating, go to somewhere on higher ground near you.

### Column

Questions:  
Which would you choose when evacuating?

For the answer, see P10.

1

Which bag would you use when evacuating?

A. Rucksack

B. Paper bag



2

Which footwear would you choose when evacuating?

A. Shoes in which you can move easily

B. Rain boots





### Think about evacuation

Look at P3 and think if you need to evacuate. Also, think about where you are going to evacuate.

### Location of your home

Yes  No 

Is your home located in a place where floodwater reaches?

Is it in “the area where houses may be destroyed when rivers flood” ?

Is your home in a place where floodwater reaches 0.5 meters and above?

If floodwater reaches your home, will the water come to all of the rooms?

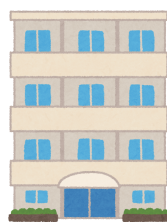
**It is safe to stay at home.**

Be vigilant at home.  
If your home is located in a low ground or floodwater reaches near your home, please consider evacuating.



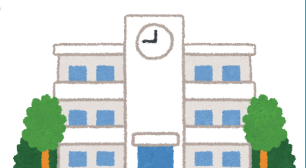
**Go to a higher floor.**

Floodwater may come into your home. Go to a place higher than the possible floodwater height.



**Evacuate to a safe place.\***

Floodwater may come into all the rooms of your home. Leave your home and evacuate to a safe place.



**Evacuation methods vary, depending on the place you live, so please check.**

\* In the case that evacuation is risky (e.g. after river has flooded), stay in the safest place in your home and be vigilant.