TOKYO
DISASTER PREVENTION

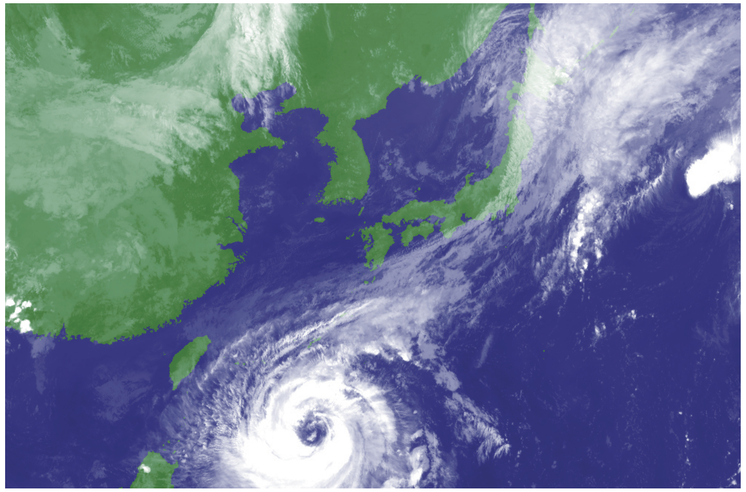
Tokyo My Timeline



Unbeaten by rain

Unbeaten by wind

Tokyo Metropolitan Government



Courtesy of the Japan Meteorological Agency

Question

A typhoon will hit Tokyo in three days!
What will you do?

1. Take out (bring) the "Tokyo My Timeline" you had prepared
2. Hurriedly start creating a "Tokyo My Timeline"
3. Spend all your time looking up at the sky

Answer 1

A "Tokyo My Timeline" is preparation for storm and flood damage, taking **the characteristics of Tokyo** into consideration. To avoid panic in case of emergency, create your "My Timeline" in advance and be prepared for storm and flood damage.

Characteristics of Tokyo

Diverse topography



- Tokyo features a wide variety of terrain, including mountains, hills, plateaus, lowlands, large and small rivers, as well as the coast of Tokyo Bay and the Izu and Ogasawara Islands.

⇒ **The storm and flood damage that occurs varies depending on the area.**

[See pages 6, 7, 12, and 13 for details]

Diverse urban structures



- Tokyo has a variety of urban structures, including the increasing use of underground spaces such as underground malls and the construction of many condominiums and other housing complexes.

⇒ **It is necessary to know in advance which areas are safe and unsafe against storm and flood damage.**

[See pages 22 and 23 for details]

Diverse people



- Tokyo is home to people of all ages and various nationalities. There are also many single-person households, such as elderly people living alone, and the composition of households is diverse.

⇒ **It is also important that we help each other in the community.**

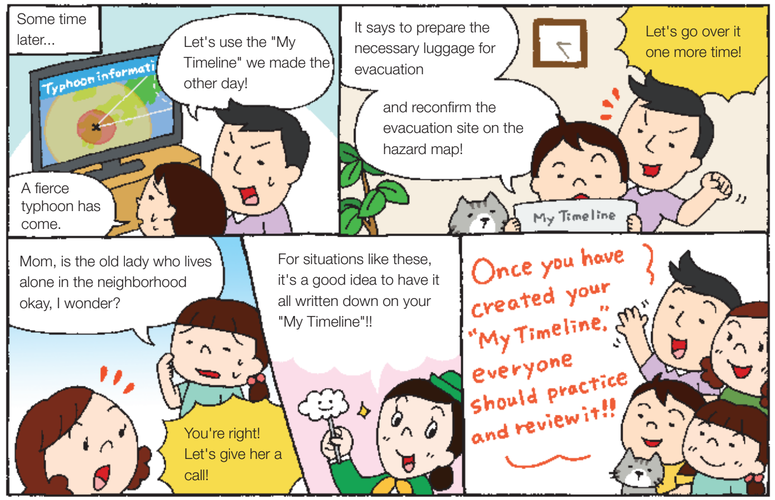
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More Safely and More Securely

A large typhoon is approaching. Heavy rains have been continuing for a long time. The weather suddenly changed and there is torrential rain. Will I be OK? If you start thinking about various things once the time comes, you will not be able to act safely and securely. It is important to always be prepared, with a sense of urgency, for when the time comes.

The "Tokyo My Timeline" is a tool to protect your life from typhoons, prolonged heavy rains, and sudden downpours.

More safely and more securely. Prepare for storm and flood damage with a "Tokyo My Timeline."



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