

# Important notification about “The Social Security and Tax Number System”

## What is “The Social Security and Tax Number System” ?

In this new system, one number (12 digits) will be issued individually to every person possessing a resident record, including international students and researchers residing in Japan. This number, so called “My Number”, will be used for administrative procedures related to Social Security or Taxation etc. Municipality of your residence will send you a notification card telling your personal number. After you receive, please store it in a safe place.

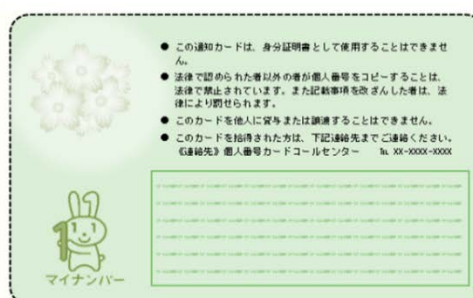
## Example of a notification card of “My Number”

A notification card will be delivered to you as simple registered mail.



【Notification Card (Front side)】

【Notification Card (Back side)】



## “My number” will be needed in the following situations

- Submit to a place of part time job or of employment after graduation
- Submit to a bank in the case of remittance from/to overseas
- Submit to a municipal office in an administrative procedure

## Important Notes!

- Please store it in a safe place
- Do not give out “My Number” to others except for aforementioned situations
- Do not confuse “My Number” and number written on Residence Card, both of which have 12 digits.

## Detailed Information

【English】

<http://www.cas.go.jp/jp/seisaku/bangoseido/english.html>

<http://www.cas.go.jp/jp/seisaku/bangoseido/pdf/en2.pdf>

【Chinese】

<http://www.cas.go.jp/jp/seisaku/bangoseido/chinese-kantaiji.html>

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