

## Information for Visitors

### Reading Room [3rd Floor of Main Building]

- Opening Hours  
9:00 ~ 17:00  
(Browsing Request: 9:00 ~ 16:30)  
\* Please contact us before your planned visit.
- Closed Days  
Sunday, NWECC Holidays &  
the New Year's Holiday Period
- Browsing  
Materials are in closed access stores.  
Please fill in an application form and  
submit it to the reception desk.  
\* Please consult us about Saturday,  
Sundays and Public Holiday visits.  
\* If you have any questions, please  
contact us.



### Exhibition Room [1st Floor of Main Building]

- Open to everyone.  
\* A guided tour is available upon request.  
Please contact us in advance.
- Opening Hours  
9 : 00 ~ 17 : 00
  - Closed Days  
Closed days of NWECC

## Access



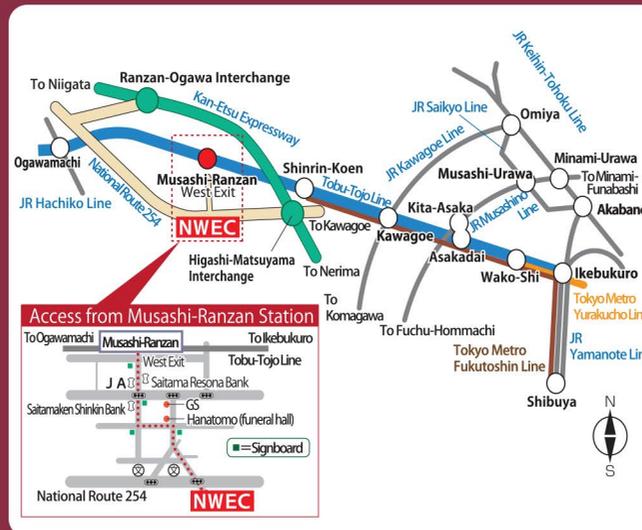
### By train

15 minutes on foot from Musashi-Ranzan Station  
Musashi Ranzan on Tobu Tojo Line:  
60 minutes from Ikebukuro Station  
7 minutes from Ogawamachi Station



### By car

15 minutes via R254 from  
Higashimatsumaya I.C.  
Higashimatsumaya I.C.: 35 minutes via  
Kan-etsu Expressway from Nerima  
15 minutes via R254 from Ranzan-Ogawa I.C.



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## NWEC



## Women's Archives Center

National Women's Education Center



- Tracing back Women's Activities for a Gender-Equal  
Society: Looking for the future -



<https://www.nwec.go.jp/en/index.html>

## Women's Archives Center

The Women's Archives Center at National Women's Education Center(NWEC) collects historical materials on pioneer women, women's group activities and public records on women's education and women's/gender-equal policy.

The acquired materials will be organized and preserved and the Center will make use of them for learning and research activities to realize a gender-equal society in collaboration with other organizations.

## To Enrich Our Collections

The Women's Archives Center needs information to develop the collections. Please contact us if you have any information.

## Collections

### ■ Subject areas :

- (1) Women's education
- (2) Women's issues, women's labor, women's movement and women's policy
- (3) Materials used for compiling women's history
- (4) Individuals and Women's groups
- (5) Materials on NWEC

### ■ Periods : Mainly from Meiji Era (1860's-) to UN Decade for Women (1976-1985)

### ■ Geographical areas : Materials on nationally influenced women's activities

### ■ Materials : Unpublished official and private records, documents, audio records and visual records

## Women's Digital Archive System

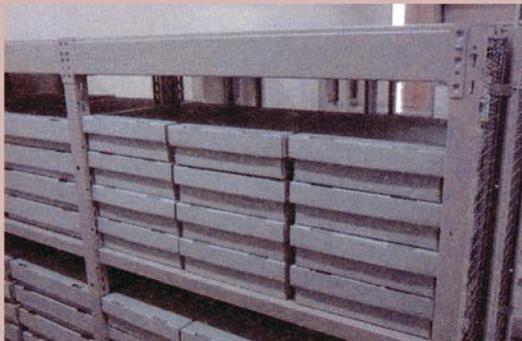
The catalogue records and some digital images of the collections are available on the Internet.

[https://w-archive.nwec.go.jp/il/meta\\_pub/G0000337](https://w-archive.nwec.go.jp/il/meta_pub/G0000337)



The collection can be searched by keywords, type of the material (document, letter, poster, picture etc.)and a chronological table.

## Storage environment



In order to prevent further deterioration, materials are stored in acid-free storage boxes at closed access stores with stable temperature and humidity.

## Exhibition

- Exhibition Room at 1st floor of Main Building
- Admission free



○Regular Exhibition

○Special Exhibition : Once a year

## NWEC Women and Disaster Archive

The Archive provides records of disaster relief activities and educational programs on gender and disaster management undertaken by women's centers and groups in Japan.

[http://w-archive.nwec.jp/il/meta\\_pub/G0000337wd](http://w-archive.nwec.jp/il/meta_pub/G0000337wd)



## Support Us

The Women's Archives Center seeks support for maintaining and acquiring new collections. If you are a tax payer in Japan you can claim a tax reduction for the donation you made. Please ask the Accounting Unit of NWEC for further details.