# Takarazuka City Fire Department

➤ Location: 3-14-61 Isoshi, Takarazuka

> The number of staff member:

Head office: 250, West Fire Station: 55

> The number of fire engines: 37



# How to become a firefighter

After graduating from high school, applicants have to pass the employment test. Then they get into the school for firefighters and there they study about the basic knowledge and the usage of fire engines.

### When they receive a notification...?

Right after receiving a notification, the fire fighters rush to the scene immediately even if they are eating or sleeping. A fire fighter's gear with the oxygen cylinder weights over 20 kg and the temperature at the fire scenes is often higher than 1,000 degrees.

# Daily training includes:

Fire extinguishment, water discharge, emergency rescue training, first aids, and fitness training

## Serious cases

Small children with cardiac attests.

Burndown of whole houses.



#### The number of accidents

	Fire	Emergency	Rescue
2017	36	11, 390	218
2018 (as of 8/24)	17	7556	169