

## Mie Prefecture Business Continuity Support Fund for Restaurants and their Business Partners

Due to the issuance of Mie Prefecture's "Emergency Declaration" and other factors, there was a continual request to refrain from eating and drinking in large groups or for long periods of time. From December 2020 to February 2021, restaurants and their business partners were particularly affected. The program is designed to support the continuation of business and can be widely used for business in general.

### 1 Target Business

#### 《Target Companies》

- Restaurants(※1)
- Restaurant business partners(※2)
- Taxi operators・Driving agents

Must be a small or medium-sized enterprise (including sole proprietorship) with a place of business in Mie Prefecture.

#### ※1 Restaurants

Good: Cafeterias, restaurants, taverns, coffee shops, etc.

N/A: Excluded are restaurants with outdoor space only, take-out stores, kitchen cars, food stalls, etc.

N/A: Supermarkets and convenience stores with an eat-in space are not eligible.

#### ※2 Restaurant business partners

Good: Food suppliers, hand towel suppliers, and other businesses that have a direct and continuous business relationship with restaurants in Mie Prefecture.

[For details, please refer to the application guidelines and Q&A posted on the Mie Prefecture website.](#)

### 2 Payment amount

- Restaurants 300,000 yen per restaurant
- Restaurant business partners 300,000 yen per company
- Taxi operators and driving agents 300,000 yen per company

### 3 Main requirements for payment

Please be sure to check the guidelines before applying.

- (1) The applicant must have a store, etc. in Mie Prefecture and have been operating a business since before November 30, 2020.
- (2) The applicant must have obtained the [necessary permits, etc. to operate each business](#) on or before November 30, 2020.
- (3) [Sales](#) in any month of [December 2009, January 2010, or February 2021 must have decreased by 50% or more compared to the same month of the previous year.](#)

### 4 Application period and submission method

**Mail Only** From **Monday, March 8, 2021** to **Friday, April 16, 2021**

(Must be postmarked on or before April 16, 2021)

To: Mie Prefecture Business Continuity Support Fund for Restaurants and their Business Partners Secretariat

Registered at Tsu Central Post Office, 514-8799

[Recipient: 13 Komei-cho, Tsu-shi, 514-8570]

Please write "Application Form Enclosed" on the front of the envelope.

## 5 Documents required for application

- Please read the application guidelines on the Mie Prefecture website carefully and prepare the necessary documents before submitting your application.
- The following documents are required for application, in addition to the application form, written pledge, etc., as specified in the application guidelines.

(1) Copy of business license, etc. (When necessary for business)	Copies of permits, certifications, etc., necessary for conducting the project to be supplied.
(2) Sales ledger, etc.	The month of the decrease in sales (December 2010, January 2011, or February 2021) and the same month of the previous year
3) Copy of tax return	Receipt stamp required. If the application is submitted via e-Tax, the receipt notice must be submitted.
(4) Documents that verify your identity	A copy of your driver's license or other photo ID
(5) Copy of bankbook	The front side of the bankbook and the first and second pages that show the account number and account holder.
(6) (Restaurants only) Photographs of interior and exterior view of the store	Photographs taken in or after March 2021 (We may also ask for photographs of restaurant transaction business, taxi operators, and driving agents)
(7) (Business partners only) Documents confirming direct dealings with restaurants	Documents confirming direct transactions with the restaurant (e.g., delivery receipts, receipts, etc.)

※ In addition to the above, additional application documents may be required, so please be sure to check the application guidelines on the Mie Prefecture website before submitting your application.

## 6 How to obtain the application guidelines, etc.

You can get it in one of the following ways:

(1) Download from the website of the Mie Prefectural Government  
(<https://www.pref.mie.lg.jp/SHINSAN/HP/m0143000180.htm>)



(2) Request by mail

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**\* Must be arrived on or before April 5 (Mon.)**

\*Please write "Application Form Request" on the front of the envelope.

\*Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope (No. 2, square type) with 250 yen worth of stamps attached.

\*Please note that we will not be able to reply if the fee is insufficient.

## 7 Contact

**If you have any questions about this grant, please contact the followings:**

Phone number: 050-8882-6380

Office hours: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Open: March 8 (Monday) - April 16 (Friday) \*Except Saturdays, Sundays and National holidays