

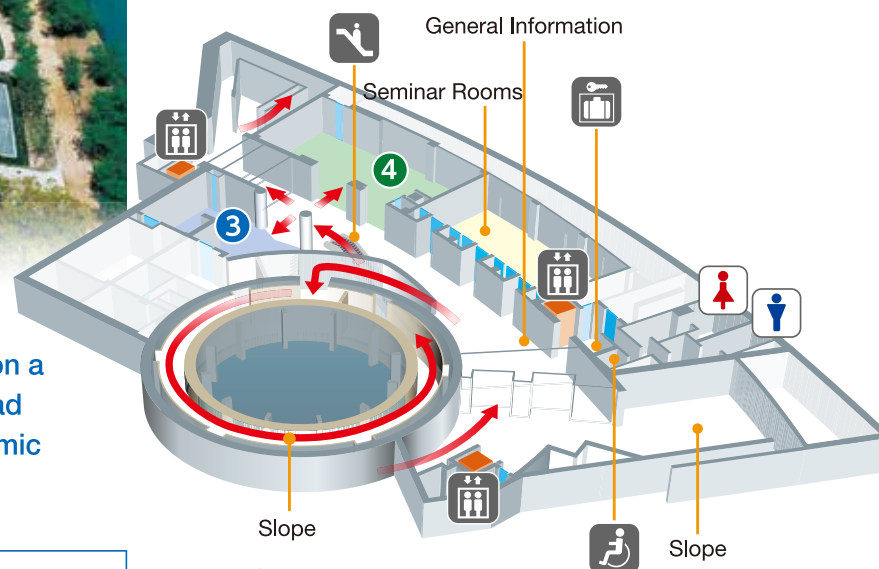


Hiroshima National Peace Memorial Hall for the Atomic Bomb Victims was established by the Japanese government in August, 2002 to remember and mourn the sacred sacrifice of the atomic bomb victims. It is also an expression of Japan's desire for genuine and lasting peace. This Hall is designed to convey the truth of the tragedy to people around the world and ensure that future generations will learn from the experience.

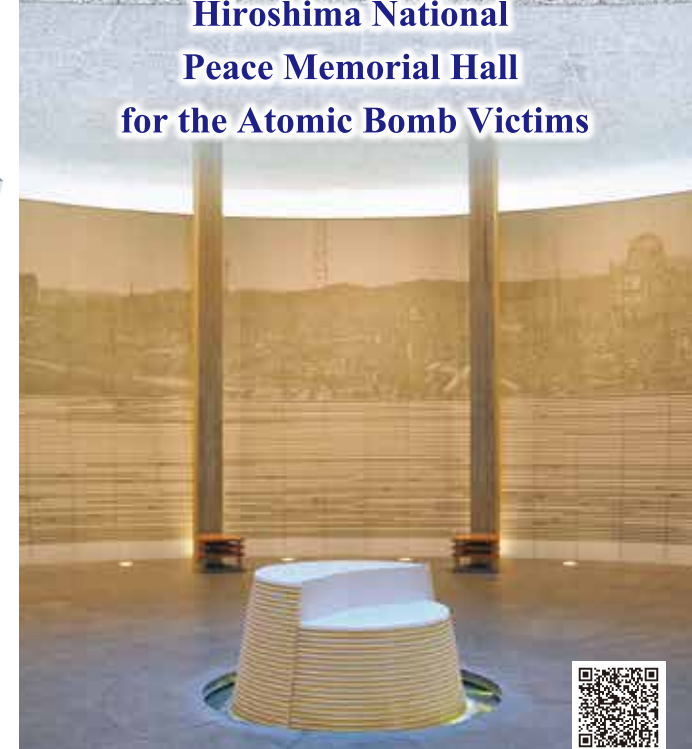


Monument indicating "8:15"

To mourn for the dead who sought water, a fountain was set up around the monument indicating the time the atomic bomb was dropped; roof tiles burned in the explosion were unearthed during construction work and are now on display.



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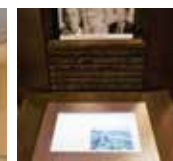


Upper Level

Special exhibitions are held on a regular basis. Visitors can read personal accounts of the atomic bombing.



3 Temporary Exhibition Space



Commentary Device

Visitors can read notes about the experience on the screen in four different languages.

An exhibition displays personal accounts of the atomic bombing in line with a specific theme. Mementos related to personal accounts of the experience are also exhibited.



4 Library



Materials are available in **Japanese, English, Chinese, and Korean**, and some personal accounts have been translated into other languages. Visitors are also welcome to access materials stored at Nagasaki National Peace Memorial Hall for the Atomic Bomb Victims.

Visitors can search, read, and watch personal accounts of the atomic bombing, testimonial videos (about 20 min.), and videos of materials in storage by using the touch panel.



