# Welcome to Ibi SHS!

#### Location

Gifu Prefecture's Ibi Senior High School is located in Ibigawa Town, which is just north of Ogaki City and close to Shiga and Fukui prefectures. In the middle of town, flows the Ibi River.

### History

Ibi High School was established in 1919 and a memorial building was built in 2009 celebrating the 90th anniversary of its foundation. More than 18,000 people have graduated and been active throughout the country. From 2004, the school has taken a new step forward by being a feeder school for students who wish to apply from Ibigawa Junior High School and Hokuwa Junior High School. In doing so, we have taken an integrated approach with these junior high schools by having faculty exchanges with them.

### **Facilities**

Our campus consists of two main buildings with four floors and two gymnasiums. The large gymnasium is used for sports and club activities such as basketball, badminton, volleyball, and drama club. The smaller gymnasium is used for fencing. There is also a swimming pool, tennis courts, and a large playing field for soccer, baseball, and track and field.

#### **Educational Policy**

The educational policy of Ibi SHS is to produce students with a rich and strong heart while fostering their ability to think for themselves. As we provide them with greater knowledge and virtue, we seek a harmonious personality and body. In nourishing their minds and bodies, it is our aim that our students will contribute to the betterment of local communities and areas.

# Mascot character"lbi-chan"

This is our school mascot character "Ibi-chan". He comes from the leaf of Ibi-cha, or Ibi tea. He was designed by our students with the hope our local students would be able to return their local hometowns with a renewed sense of pride and ability to overcome any difficulties graduation.

