

How to use VACAN

1. Turn on your GPS.
2. Access [VACAN](https://vacan.com).
(Allow permissions if prompted.)



<https://vacan.com/en/area/minamiboso-city?genre=evacuation-center>

The screenshot shows the VACAN mobile application interface. At the top, there's a search bar and navigation icons. Below the search bar, there are filters for 'Min...', 'Ev...', and 'Vacant'. The main area displays a map with several evacuation center markers. A red callout box points to a facility card for '富浦体育館' (Tomura Sports Center), stating 'Tap to see pictures of the facility.' Another callout points to the '~2 min' travel time, saying 'Tap for directions. (Opens in Google Maps)'. A third callout points to a purple location pin on the map, saying 'Your location'. A fourth callout points to a legend, stating 'The occupancy rate of an open evacuation center will be shown here.' The legend shows three colored squares: Green = Empty, Orange = Quite full, and Red = Full. A fifth callout points to a compass icon at the bottom right, saying 'Tap to center to your location.' The facility cards also show 'Closed' status and icons for '10min Hold' and 'Favorites'.

How to allow permissions

iOS Safari (iPhone or iPad)

1. Select 'Settings'
 2. Select 'Privacy'
 3. Select 'Location Services'
 4. Turn location services 'On'
 5. Select 'Safari Websites'
 6. Select 'While Using the App'
- * You may need to restart Safari.

Android

1. Swipe down from the top of the screen.
 2. Touch and hold Location .
 3. Tap App permission.
 4. Find the app under 'Ask every time,' and allow permission.
- * You may need to restart your browser.
(See [Google Account Help](#) for more details.)