Notice Regarding the Osaka City Bathing Tax

A bathing tax will be introduced in Osaka City as a special-purpose tax according to the local tax law from October 1, 2018.

Bathing Tax

For the use of a mineral hot spring bathing facility ("onsen")

150 yen per person per day

- The bathing tax applies to guests who pay 1,501 yen or more (excluding consumption tax) to use the bathing facilities or to stay at the accommodation.
- In the case of staying at the accommodation, one night is considered as one day. This includes guests using the Day-use Plan.
 - Children under 12 as of March 31 this year and students on school trips or any other such event and accompanying teachers are exempt from the tax.
 - The bathrooms at this hotel are supplied with mineral spa water and a bathing tax is charged whether you bathe in it or not

Please refer to the Osaka City website for more details regarding Osaka City's bathing tax.

http://www.city.osaka.lg.jp/zaisei/cmsfiles/contents/0000415/415335/nyuutouzei.pdf