



Use Childcare Services

1 Program for expanding extended childcare services at private kindergartens

Inquiries Early Childhood Education and Care Planning Division, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-971-1101

In Nagoya City, 19 private kindergartens offer childcare service after regular kindergarten hours and during summer vacations beyond their extended childcare service.

Eligibility Children who live in Nagoya City, attend a kindergarten that offers this program, and whose parents are both working or otherwise meet the eligibility criteria set by the municipal government

1 Holiday childcare program

Location See childcare facility maps by ward on p. 33 and onward.

Inquiries Early Childhood Education and Care Planning Division, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-228-6940

Childcare is provided for children attending licensed nurseries on Sundays and national holidays when the nursery is closed, if their parents need to work or have other commitments.

Eligibility Children who live in Nagoya City, attend a licensed nursery school, certified children's center, or small-scale childcare facility, and have no one to look after them on holidays

Open hours From around 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. on Sundays and national holidays (excluding year-end/New Year holidays)

Capacity In principle, up to 15 children per facility per day

Fee In principle, free of charge (A daily fee of up to 2,000 yen and meal charges may apply depending on household income, service hours used, and other conditions.)

How to use the service A registration (free) is required at least 10 days before the desired first date of use. Please contact the nursery school or daycare center you wish to use in advance and submit the registration form. To reserve childcare service in advance, call the facility from three months to three days before the desired date of use and submit the application form on the day of use. If you need to cancel the reservation, please inform the facility at least three days in advance.

1 Temporary childcare services

Location See childcare facility maps by ward on p. 33 and onward.

Inquiries Ward Office: Civil Affairs and Children's Division; Branch Office: Resident Welfare Division

Children can be accepted under the following circumstances.

Irregular childcare service: This service is for parents who are occasionally unable to look after their children at home due to work or other reasons, up to three days a week. It can be used for up to six months.

Emergency childcare service: This service is for parents who are temporarily unable to look after their children at home due to emergencies such as illness, injury, childbirth, caregiving, or attending a wedding or funeral. It can be used for up to 14 consecutive days.

Refresh childcare service: This service allows parents to take a short break from childcare and recharge themselves. (It can be used for up to three days a month.)

Eligibility Varies depending on the nursery school/daycare center. (At small-scale childcare facilities, eligible children are up to two years old [until March 31 following the child's third birthday].)

Open hours The service can be used for the required number of hours between around 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., Monday through Saturday (excluding national holidays and year-end/New Year holidays).

Capacity Approximately six children per facility per day (three children per day at small-scale childcare facilities)

Fee Varies from 0 to 2,000 yen per day, depending on household income and hours of use. An additional 300 yen for the actual cost of lunch and snacks is required.

How to use the service Please inquire at the Civil Affairs and Children's Division of your ward office.

1 24-hour emergency temporary childcare services

In case of emergency, childcare services are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, including night and overnight care.

Eligibility Children aged around six months to preschool age living in Nagoya City whose parents are temporarily unable to care for them at home due to work, hospitalization, or outpatient treatment

Location Meihoku Nursery School (Kita Ward), Tanpopo Nursery School (Mizuho Ward)

Usage period Available up to three times per month, for a maximum of 24 hours each time. Services can be used for up to 48 consecutive hours in principle.

Fee A usage fee based on household income and hours of use, as well as payment for the cost of meals and snacks, is required.

	Mon–Sat, 7 a.m.–7 p.m.	Hours other than those listed on the left
Households on welfare and households exempt from municipal tax	200 yen per hour	250 yen per hour
Other households	400 yen per hour	500 yen per hour

How to use the service Please contact the facility where you wish to use the service.

Refresh temporary childcare service

Location See childcare facility maps by ward on p. 33 and onward.

Inquiries Childcare Operations Division, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-972-3198

Refresh childcare is provided at public nursery schools as part of our temporary childcare services.

Open hours The service can be used for the required number of hours between approximately 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding national holidays and year-end/New Year holidays).

Capacity Approximately two children per facility per day

Fee A fee of 1,200 yen plus 300 yen for meals and snacks is required.

How to use the service Children to be accepted for this service are selected by online lottery. Online lottery reservations will be accepted from the 26th to the end of the month, two months prior to the month of use. For details, please visit the Nagoya City official website. Information on available slots after the lottery will be posted on the Nagoya City official website. To use the service, please call the nursery school you wish to use to make a reservation, and then submit your application.



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Short-stay residential care services for children (short stay program)

Inquiries Ward Office: Civil Affairs and Children's Division; Branch Office: Resident Welfare Division

This service is for parents who become temporarily unable to look after their children at home due to illness, childbirth, etc. An infant home, group home for children, or foster home takes care of the children.

Eligibility Children under 18 years of age who live in Nagoya City

Fee

Varies from 0 to 5,350 yen per day, depending on household income.

Daycare services for sick and convalescent children

Inquiries Each implementing facility / Early Childhood Education and Care Planning Division, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-971-1101

Eligibility Temporary day care service is available for children aged from six months up to the sixth year at elementary school who are ill or recovering from illness and cannot be cared for in a group, and whose parents are unable to look after them at home due to work or other reasons. (The age of children accepted may vary depending on the facility.)

Location **Nagoya City:** See childcare facility maps by ward on p. 33 and onward; **Outside Nagoya City:** You may use facilities in municipalities that have a mutual use agreement with Nagoya City under the same conditions as those available to its residents. For more details, please contact the municipality where the facility you wish to use is located.

Open hours In principle, the service can be used for the required number of hours between approximately 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., Monday through Saturday (excluding national holidays and year-end/New Year holidays. Please note that some facilities do not offer the service on Saturdays.)

Usage period Up to seven consecutive days per use

Fee Varies from 0 to 2,000 yen per day, depending on household income and hours of use. The actual costs for lunch and snacks are required separately.

How to use the service Please check the facility's availability before making a reservation. Please have a doctor at the medical institution that operates the facility, or your family doctor, complete the "Notice of Use" form and bring it with you on the day of use.

Nagoya Nobinobi Kosodate (Parenting) Support Program

Inquiries Main office: Located within the Childcare Support Division, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-962-5102

Please feel free to contact the nearest city office for any inquiries.

Open hours 10:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.; Closed on Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays, and year-end/New Year holidays

Kita branch (Chikusa, Higashi, Kita): Located within Meihoku Nursery School

☎ 915-3071

Nishi branch (Nishi, Naka, Atsuta): Located within Akatsuki Nursery School

☎ 531-0937

Nakamura branch (Nakamura, Nakagawa, Minato):

Located within Nakamura Nursery School ☎ 482-4022

Showa branch (Showa): Located within Irinaka Nursery School

☎ 908-9093

Mizuho branch (Mizuho, Tempaku): Located within Angel Day Nursery

☎ 822-1033

Minami branch (Minami, Midori): Located within Nanohana Nursery School

☎ 612-1577

Moriyama branch (Moriyama): Located within Washinkan Nursery School

☎ 791-2845

Meito branch (Meito): Located within Meito Nursery School

☎ 709-6881

Open hours Mon–Fri: 9 a.m.–7 p.m.; Sat: 9 a.m.–3 p.m.; Closed on Sundays, national holidays, and year-end/New Year holidays

The "Nagoya Nobinobi Kosodate Support Program" connects people who need help with childcare (support-seeking members) and those who wish to assist them (supporting members) in a mutual support system. This is a membership organization founded on the idea of supporting child-rearing together.

Support-seeking member Residents, workers, or students in Nagoya City who have children aged from 57 days after birth up to sixth grade in elementary school / Registration fee: 1,000 yen at the time of enrollment *Please pay 800–1,000 yen per hour directly to the supporting member as a fee after the support activity is completed.

Supporting member Residents of Nagoya City, aged 20 or older who have taken training in advance

After-school childcare program (Gakudo-hoiku)

Please see p. 32.

Free preschool education and childcare including extended childcare programs

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When children aged 3 to 5 who have been certified as needing childcare, or children aged 0 to 2 from households exempt from resident tax, use extended childcare programs or unlicensed childcare facilities, the usage fees will be covered up to the specified limit, thereby making the services free of charge within that limit.