



From Elementary School Children to Adolescents

Children's life and education

After-school programs for elementary school children

Sound development of children

Youth Exchange Plaza

Consultation for children and youth facing difficulties (Child and Youth Comprehensive Consultation Center)

Inquiries Nagoya City Child and Youth Comprehensive Consultation Center ☎ 052-961-2544

Face-to-face counseling is available for children, young people (up to approximately 39 years of age), and their parents, to help them address various issues such as social withdrawal and unemployment.

Consultation dates/hours 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Mon–Sat (excluding national holidays and year-end/New Year holidays)
*An appointment is required. Please make your reservation by phone in advance.

Location Nagoya City Child and Youth Comprehensive Consultation Center: 8F, Nagoya City Education Hall, 1-1-4 Izumi, Higashi Ward

Child education consultation service, Heart Friend Nagoya

Consultations are offered on all matters related to education and child-rearing for children from infancy through high school age, their parents, and school personnel.

Consultation dates/hours (Excluding Sundays, national holidays, and year-end/New Year holidays)

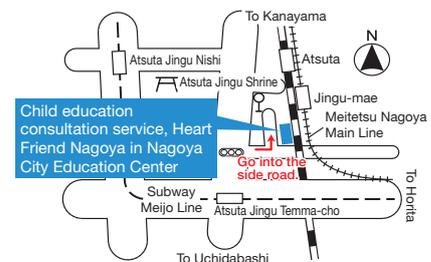
Telephone consultation 052-683-8222 (General consultation line)
Mon–Fri: 9:30 a.m.–7 p.m. / Sat: 9:30 a.m.–12 noon
*You can receive consultation immediately and anonymously.

Email consultation You can seek consultation by email from the website of Heart Friend Nagoya.
*It may take a few days before you receive a response.

On-site consultation (Reservation required) 052-683-6415 (For reservations)
Mon–Fri: 9:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Home visit consultation The application should be made through the school.
Mon–Fri: 9 a.m.–4 p.m.
*For elementary and junior high school students who are not attending school

Location Nagoya City Education Center, 3-6-14 Jingu, Atsuta Ward



Nagoya Friendly Now (Child Counseling Center)

Educational consultation, learning guidance, and life guidance are provided for elementary and junior high school students residing in the city and their parents. These services are offered through day-attendance programs to support children who are not attending school for emotional or psychological reasons.

Consultation dates/hours 9:30 a.m.–3:20 p.m., Mon–Fri (excluding national holidays and year-end/New Year holidays)
*Please apply through your school. *Applications for visits are accepted at any time.
*Educational consultation alone is not provided.

Location	Nagoya Friendly Now (Child Counseling Center)	Kasadera satellite office	Kasadera satellite office: Child Support Department
	3-20-30 Josai, Nishi Ward	5F, Sports Promotion Hall, 5-1-16 Higashimatabee-cho, Minami Ward	1F, Minami Lifelong Learning Center, 5-1-10 Higashimatabee-cho, Minami Ward

Inquiries ☎ 052-521-9640

Tsurumai satellite office
5-18-24 Chiyoda, Naka Ward

Inquiries ☎ 052-262-2320

Ozone satellite office
2-21-61 Heian, Kita Ward

Inquiries ☎ 052-750-8971

Wakuwaku Kids Navi, a website with information on exciting events for children

Inquiries Youth and Family Division, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-972-3258

The website provides information on various hands-on activities and related facilities for children available on Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

URL <https://www.wakuwaku.city.nagoya.jp/>

Eligibility Mainly elementary school children and junior high school students and their family members

Children's association

Inquiries Ward Office: Civil Affairs and Children's Division

Children's associations have been formed in local communities to promote the sound development of children and to provide opportunities for them to make friends through various community-based activities. They not only help children build friendships but also provide opportunities for parents to connect with one another.

Eligibility Mainly elementary school children and junior high school students

Twilight School

Inquiries After School Project Promotion Office, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-972-3229

This program aims to foster children's independence, social skills, and creativity through activities such as playing and learning freely with friends of different ages, participating in hands-on experiences, and interacting with people in the community.

Eligibility Students in grades 1–6 who are enrolled in a participating elementary school or who live within its school district

Open days Mon–Sat (excluding national holidays and year-end/New Year holidays)

Open hours ● On school days: After school–6 p.m. ● On non-school days: 9 a.m.–6 p.m.

Location Inside the elementary school building

Fee Participation is free. However, an insurance fee is required.
In addition, participants may be asked to pay the actual cost of materials used for hands-on activities.

Twilight Room

Inquiries After School Project Promotion Office, Child and Youth Affairs Bureau ☎ 052-972-3096

This program provides children with a place for play, learning, hands-on experiences, interaction, and daily activities. It also offers additional support (optional programs) for children whose families need childcare assistance when the parents are not at home during the daytime due to work or other circumstances.

Eligibility Students in grades 1–6 who are enrolled in a participating elementary school or who live within its school district

Open days Mon–Sat (excluding national holidays and year-end/New Year holidays)

Open hours ● On school days: After school–7 p.m. (Optional programs: 5 p.m.–7 p.m.)
● On non-school days (excluding Saturdays): 8 a.m.–7 p.m. (Optional programs: 5 p.m.–7 p.m.)
● On Saturdays: 9 a.m.–6 p.m. (Optional programs: 5 p.m.–6 p.m.)

Location Inside the elementary school building

Fee Participation is free until 5 p.m. However, an insurance fee is required. Optional programs are available until 6 p.m. for a monthly fee of 1,500 yen, or until 7 p.m. for a monthly fee of 6,500 yen. (Fee reduction/exemption available)
In addition, participants may be asked to pay the actual cost of materials used for hands-on activities.

After-school childcare program (Gakudo-hoiku)

Inquiries Nago Homes: Each facility. Please refer to p. 28 and onward for details. /
Ikuseikai: Civil Affairs and Children's Division at each ward office

Children who are left at home without adult supervision because their parents are away at work or for other reasons are cared for after school hours at latchkey children's clubs located in Nago Homes or in community-based childcare groups (Ikuseikai), where they are guided to develop basic daily habits through play.

Eligibility Elementary school children residing in Nagoya City who need after-school care

Operating days Every day except Sundays, national holidays, and the year-end/New Year holidays

Operating hours At Nago Homes, from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. However, programs are also offered in the morning during the spring, summer, and winter vacations. The hours varies depending on each Ikuseikai.

Fee Nago Homes: 3,000 yen per month (excluding snack fees). Ikuseikai: The usage fee varies depending on each Ikuseikai.

● Various activities for children and young people are offered, including social activities, volunteer activities, community-based and intergenerational interactions, residential programs, and outdoor activities in nature.

Youth Exchange Plaza (Main building: Yousquare)

Inquiries ☎ 052-991-8440 FAX: 052-991-8441

Children and young people take the initiative in planning and implementing various programs and engage in diverse activities in the community. Equipped with a sound studio and activity rooms, this facility can be used for practicing and presenting musical, theatrical, and dance performances and for holding meetings.

Eligibility 9 a.m.–9:30 p.m.

Closed Mondays (except national holidays), the year-end/New Year holidays, and the 1st Monday in August

Location 3-6-8 Yanagihara, Kita Ward 462-0845

Youth Accommodation Center (Annex of the Youth Exchange Plaza)

Inquiries ☎ 052-624-4401 FAX: 052-624-4403

This accommodation facility can be used for a variety of purposes, including sports training, practicing musical, theatrical, and dance performances, university seminars, student club activities, and recreational and networking activities. There is also an outdoor kitchen for barbecues. The facility is available not only for young people but also for overnight childcare programs for preschool children and their parents.

Eligibility 9 a.m.–9 p.m.

Closed Mondays (except national holidays; if Monday is a national holiday, closed on the first weekday of that week), the year-end/New Year holidays, and the day following national holidays (open when that day falls on a Saturday or Sunday)

Location 4-6 Mamushi-ike, Odaka-cho, Midori Ward 459-8001