

# Use kindergartens and nursery schools

The number of foreign residents in Fujimino City reached 3,269 in January 2024, an increase of 708 in four years. We addressed kindergartens and nursery schools because we believe that the number of preschool-aged foreign children is also increasing.

■In principle, there is no charge for children for 3- to 5-year-old classes at kindergartens, nursery schools, etc.

## ■Users are responsible for transportation to and from the nursery school, food costs, and event expenses.

However, children in households with annual incomes equivalent to less than 3.6 million yen and third and later children in all households are also exempt from paying for side dishes, snacks, etc.

\*For kindergartens that are not covered by the Child Care and Child Rearing Support Program, please check with your local municipality as there may be procedures for free certification or reimbursement payment.



## ■In principle, users bear the cost of childcare for children aged 0 to 2, but there is no charge for households exempt from residential taxation.

The oldest child using nursery schools, etc. is counted as the first child, the second child is half price, and the third and subsequent children are free.

#### ■Kindergartens offer day care services

Day care services of kindergarten are childcare that continues after the end of kindergarten hours. Eligible children are 3 to 5 years old class and will be free of charge up to 11,300 yen per month.

\*In order to be eligible for this exemption, "Need for childcare" must be recognized.

#### Childcare services at unlicensed nurseries

Since this is a complicated system, please consult your local city or town hall or use FICEC's life consultation service.

\*This system is eligible for the children who are not enrolled in nursery schools or center for early childhood education and care.

X Only unlicensed childcare institutions that have submitted their application to the prefectural government and meet the national standards.



#### ■ Handicapped preschool children are available for the development support

Eligible children may use for three years from April 1, the first day they turn three years old, until they enter elementary school and may also use a kindergarten, nursery school, or certified childcare center. (In that case, both are free of charge.)

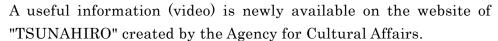
O Expenses other than usage fees (medical expenses, food costs, etc.) are to be paid by the users.

In Japan, fees for kindergartens and nursery schools are free of charge in general, so we recommend that you actively use them for your child's Japanese language learning. As it takes time to complete the procedures for admission to kindergartens, nursery schools, etc., please contact us as soon as possible.

### Videos of useful information in 18 languages







The system and life in Japan are introduced the video in 18 languages.





- Resident registration at the city office
- -Tax system
- -Medical care system
- -Pension System
- -Emergency response
- -Activities in the community
- -Garbage disposal manners
- -Consultation service

In the Website "TSUNAHIRO" (Connecting and Enhance Your Life in Japan), there are also videos such as "Copy the name and address by looking!" in the video of "Reading and Writing in Daily Life."

https://tsunagarujp.bunka.go.jp/readwrite#name\_address





#### Tokyo Regional Immigration Bureau has started a Facebook page

There are lots of useful information!

- Procedures at the airport
- Frequently asked questions about "Engineer/ Specialist in Humanities/ International Services" status of residence
- •Online application with FRESC

### Café FICEC

This is a gathering to enjoy conversation in English only for 90 minutes. Why don't you make friends over tea?

- March 3, April 7, May 12
- ●Time: 14:00—15:30
- Ontact: 049-256-4290



#### Information Fujimino" Historical Exhibition It will be held in Miyoshi-machi

- Period: May 11 to 15
- ●Location: Miyoshi Town

#### Fujikubo Community Center

7-minute walk from Tsuruse Station



#### Translation volunteers wanted! Would you like to work with us?

Translator of Tagalog, Thai, Chinese, Indonesian, etc.

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