

Childcare Fee Reduction (Exemption) for the Third and Subsequent Children

If you are raising three or more children, you can receive support for the third and subsequent children to be exempted from childcare fees at kindergartens, nurseries, and early childhood education and care centers.

■ Requirements for eligibility

- (1) Having an address in the city.
- (2) Having at least 3 children out of wedlock and are taking care of them by themselves.
(e.g., receiving child allowance *Jidou Teate*)
- (3) Having a third or more children attending a private kindergarten *Youchien*, a certified nursery *Hoikuen*, a certified children center *Kodomoen*, or a quasi-authorized child care center.
- (4) The applicant is not in arrears with respect to municipal and other taxes (municipal and prefectural inhabitant taxes, fixed asset tax, light motor vehicle tax, national health insurance tax, and nursery and kindergarten childcare fees).

*** To receive support, you must meet the requirements and complete the application.**

■ Procedures

After enrollment is confirmed, please apply online using the 2D code provided in the enclosed notification letter before your child starts the facility.

■ Required Document

Benefit Approval Notification *Shikyu Nintei Tsuchisho*

(The certificate will be posted when your child is admitted to a childcare facility.)

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