Fiscal Year 2027(Reiwa 9) Admission Guidelines to Nursery Schools Shibuya City

For enrollment applications, please use the convenient online application!!

【First-round for April enrollment】 Online application acceptance period

◇October 1, 2026 (Thu) – November 20, 2026 (Fri)

【Second-round for April enrollment】 Online application acceptance period

◇December 1, 2026 (Tue) – February 9, 2027 (Tue)

For online applications,



List of online application schedules by enrollment month from May onwards

Enrollment month	Online application deadline
May 2027	March 26, 2027
June 2027	April 30, 2027
July 2027	May 27, 2027
August 2027	June 25, 2027
September 2027	July 27, 2027
October 2027	August 26, 2027
November 2027	September 29, 2027
December 2027	October 27, 2027
January 2028	November 19, 2027

Note: There are no enrollment in February or March.

See page 6 for details on online applications!

Number of openings for April 2027 enrollment

Click here for monthly availability

April Enrollment (First-round)"In-person application"/consultation requires an advance reservation via the official LINE account. (P. 60)



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Documents required for application	・ If you are applying for nursery school while a divorce case or divorce mediation is ongoing, please contact us to find out which documents to submit.	P. 9
Applications during childcare leave or a leave of absence from school for childcare	・ The requirements for returning to work have been changed for applicants who are on childcare leave, etc. and plan to return to work. You must return to work by the first of the month following the month of enrollment. Taking paid leave also counts as returning to work.	P. 11
Admission adjustment	・ Adjustment index No. 23 has been added. "When a child enrolled in a licensed nursery school, etc. that is being closed applies, due to the closure, for a transfer effective from the enrollment month immediately after the closure (if the enrollment month is April, this includes the second round for April applications. However, this excludes cases where an offer was declined in the first round for April applications.)" ・ When adjustment index No. 22 or No. 23 is applied, no other adjustment index points will be applied.	P. 19
Childcare hours / opening hours	・ The extended childcare hours at Benesse Mitake no Oka Nursery School have changed. Previous: 18:30–21:30 New: 18:30–20:30	P. 22
Cases where enrollment is terminated	・ A section has been added on cases where a currently enrolled child will be withdrawn from nursery school. (1) If the reason childcare is needed (employment, pregnancy, illness, nursing care, etc.) no longer applies (2) If the nursery school is not used for 3 or more consecutive months without a valid reason, or if it is not used even once in the month that use begins (3) If other childcare services, etc. (unlicensed childcare facilities, international schools, babysitters, etc.) are used on an ongoing basis and the licensed nursery school is no longer the primary place of childcare (4) If use of the licensed nursery school is extremely limited due to extracurricular lessons, etc. (5) If you move out of Shibuya City and do not continue to use the same nursery school after moving (if you wish to continue attending, the permitted period of enrollment differs depending on the nursery school and whether you work within Shibuya City.)	P. 24
Unlicensed childcare facilities	The section on measures for children on waiting lists has been deleted. * Poppins Nursery School Ebisu Hop Kids is scheduled to close at the end of March 2027.	P. 41
Reduction of childcare fees for unlicensed childcare facilities	For some facility types, the maximum subsidy amount has been changed from October 2026. ■ Unlicensed childcare facilities outside Tokyo (with certificate), specified child and childcare support facilities, etc. ・ Ages 0–2 classes (tax-exempt households) Previous: 42,000 yen New: 45,700 yen ・ Ages 3–5 classes Previous: 37,000 yen New: 40,300 yen ■ Corporate-led childcare program (with certificate) ・ Ages 0–2 classes (tax-exempt households) Previous: 38,000 yen New: 34,300 yen ・ Ages 3–5 classes Previous: 40,000 yen New: 36,700 yen	P. 42
Reduction of childcare fees for unlicensed childcare facilities	A section on the application process has been added	P. 42
"Certification of need for childcare" related to childcare fee reduction	・ In the list showing the "type of certification" for each "age category," the item indicating whether a child is eligible for "free early childhood education and childcare" has been changed to show the applicable subsidy systems according to the certification. ・ A section on treatment during childcare leave has been added. ・ A section with examples of subsidy amounts has been added.	P. 43
Other childcare services	・ The eligible age for sick and post-illness childcare has been changed. Previous: (Sick childcare) Preschool children aged 6 months or older (Post-illness childcare) Preschool children aged 1 year or older New: (Sick childcare) Preschool children aged 4 months or older (Post-illness childcare) Preschool children aged 9 months or older	P. 45
Childcare services schedule	・ The eligible age for sick and post-illness childcare has been changed. Previous: (Sick childcare) Preschool children aged 6 months or older (Post-illness childcare) Preschool children aged 1 year or older New: (Sick childcare) Preschool children aged 4 months or older (Post-illness childcare) Preschool children aged 9 months or older ・ The Chokotto Tsuen (Creating opportunities for children to interact with a diverse range of people) program ended in FY2025. Since FY2026, the universal childcare system (childcare care support project for infants, etc.) has been in operation. ・ The age range of children whose parents or guardians are eligible for Family Support Center membership has changed. Previous: Residents of Shibuya City raising children aged 6 months up to the third grade of elementary school New: Residents of Shibuya City raising children up to the third grade of elementary school (Assistance activities are available for children aged 6 months and older)	P. 51

* St. Joseph Nursery School Nishihara is scheduled to close on March 31, 2027. Accordingly, no new applications will be accepted for FY2027 enrollment.

What Is a Nursery School?

Reasons for Requiring Childcare/Class Age

A nursery school is a facility that meets the criteria of the Child Welfare Act and the Child and Childcare Support Act and provides childcare for children who cannot be cared for at home because their parents or guardians are working, sick, etc. If the parents or guardians meet one of the reasons for requiring childcare listed below and are approved to use a nursery school, the child is eligible to attend.

Please note that a nursery school cannot be used just because you want to let your child experience community living or to use it as a place for preschool education.

Reasons for requiring childcare

Work:	Must be working for at least 48 hours per month.
Pregnancy and childbirth:	Must be pregnant or have given birth recently.
Disease and disability:	Must be suffering from a disease, injury or mental or physical disability.
Nursing care:	Must be caring for or nursing a relative (including a relative who is hospitalized for an extended period) who lives with you. However, this includes only relatives up to the third degree of kinship.
Disaster recovery:	Must be working to recover from earthquake, storm and flood damage, fire, or other disasters.
Employment-seeking activities:	Must be continuously engaged in employment-seeking activities (including preparation for starting a business).
Education:	Must be attending a school, specialized training college, or miscellaneous school as stipulated in the School Education Act, or another equivalent educational facility, or receiving vocational training.
Abuse and domestic violence	Must be recognized that child abuse has been committed or is deemed likely to be committed again, or caring for the child is deemed difficult due to spousal violence.
Continued enrollment during childcare leave	Applicant's child(ren) other than the child pertaining to the childcare leave is already using a nursery, etc., and it is deemed necessary for the child to continue attending the nursery, etc., during the period of childcare leave.

Class age table

Class	Date of Birth
5 years old	April 2, 2021 to April 1, 2022
4 years old	April 2, 2022 to April 1, 2023
3 years old	April 2, 2023 to April 1, 2024
2 years old	April 2, 2024 to April 1, 2025
1 year old	April 2, 2025 to April 1, 2026
0 years old	Children born on or after April 2, 2026

The class at a nursery school facility is decided based on the child's age as of April 1.
Class age will not change even if the child's birthday is in the middle of the academic year and the child's age increases.

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Nursery Facilities in Shibuya City

The following table shows the types of nursery facilities in Shibuya City. Please note that the application procedure differs depending on the type of facility.

<table>
<tr><th>Type of facility</th><th colspan="3">Overview/Facilities</th><th>Contact for application</th></tr>
<tr><td rowspan="3">Licensed nursery schools</td><td colspan="3">A facility that fulfills the criteria (size, number of nursery school teachers, etc.) set by the national government and is licensed by the prefectural governor.</td><td rowspan="11">Admission Information Section, Childcare Division</td></tr>
<tr><td>City day nursery schools</td><td>Private day nursery schools</td><td>Authorized kodomo-en</td></tr>
<tr><td>Nursery schools established and managed by Shibuya City.</td><td>Nursery schools established and managed by social welfare corporations, companies, etc.</td><td>Licensed nursery schools that meet the certification criteria set by the prefectural governor based on the national government policies. In addition to children needing childcare, these facilities accept children aged 3-5 years for short- and medium-term care.
* Please contact each facility directly regarding short- and medium-term care.</td></tr>
<tr><td rowspan="3">Community-run childcare services</td><td colspan="3">This is a business licensed by the ward that provides childcare for infants and toddlers in 0 to 2-year-old classes in small groups (19 children or fewer) to meet diverse childcare needs in the community.
In addition to the following, there are family-based childcare services and in-office childcare services. (For a child of a Shibuya City resident to use an in-office childcare service, it is necessary to receive "Certification of Need for Childcare (Education and Childcare Benefit Certification)" from Shibuya City.)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">Small-scale childcare facility</td><td>Home-visit childcare service</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">Small-scale childcare facility
A business approved by Shibuya City that provides childcare for children in the 0-2 years old class at small facilities. “Partner facilities” have been established to provide support for childcare activities and serve as facilities that will admit children after they graduate from nursery schools. (See P. 40)</td><td>The basic concept of this service is to provide one-to-one home-based childcare at homes of children needing childcare. There are services for children on waiting lists for licensed nursery schools and for children with disabilities. (See P. 36-P. 38)</td></tr>
<tr><td>Public unified childcare facility</td><td colspan="3">These facilities are established by Shibuya City following its ordinances and comprise licensed nursery schools, kindergartens, and unlicensed childcare facilities. When children reach 4 or 5 years old, we also accept children for short and medium-term childcare. (See P. 39)
In Shibuya City, the following two facilities have been established.
・Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en
・Sanya Kakinomi-en</td></tr>
<tr><td rowspan="4">Unlicensed childcare facility</td><td colspan="3">These are childcare facilities <u>other than</u> those licensed by the national or municipal government.</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="3">City childcare rooms</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="3">These facilities are established by Shibuya City, and operations are outsourced to private sector businesses.
These facilities are for children who have applied for a licensed nursery and are on the waiting list. (See P. 34-P. 35)</td></tr>
<tr><td>Tokyo-certified nursery schools</td><td>Company-led childcare</td><td>Other unlicensed nursery facilities</td><td rowspan="2">Respective facility</td></tr>
<tr><td>These facilities are certified by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government after meeting the criteria set by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government. (See P. 41, P. 57)</td><td>These are nursery facilities established by companies. (See P. 41)</td><td>These are childcare facilities managed by private sector businesses other than those listed above. (See P. 41)</td></tr>
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Regional child and childcare support services

In addition to the facilities listed on P. 3, we implement regional child-rearing support projects that provide child-rearing support according to regional needs in order to support all child-rearing families. (Temporary childcare service, extended-hours childcare service, etc.)

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Children and Childcare Support System/Certification of the Need for Childcare

The "Child and Child-rearing Support System" refers to a system based on the three child and child-rearing related laws: the "Child and Child-rearing Support Act," the "Act on Partial Revision of the Act on Centers for Early Childhood Education and Care," and the "Act on the Arrangement of Relevant Acts Incidental to the Enforcement of the Act on Partial Revision of the Child and Child-rearing Support Act and the Act on Centers for Early Childhood Education and Care."

The facilities listed on P. 3 are facilities subject to the "Child and Child-rearing Support System." To use these services, you must receive "Certification of Need for Childcare (Education and Childcare Benefit Certification)."

Depending on whether the guardian meets the "Reasons for Needing Childcare" on P. 2 and the age of the child, you can apply for "Certification of Need for Childcare" and receive the corresponding certification category. "Certification of Need for Childcare" can be applied for at the same time as applying for admission to a nursery school or similar facility.

Certification category	Eligibility criteria of children	Main facilities and services available	Validity period of accreditation
Type 1 Certification	Children aged 3 years and above who wish to receive education	Kindergarten Authorized kodomo-en (short- and medium-term)	Up to preschool age
Type 2 Certification	Children aged 3 years and above who fall under the **"Reasons for Needing Childcare"** and wish to receive childcare at a childcare center, etc.	Nursery school Authorized Kodomo-en (long term)	Up to pre-primary school age * Depends on the "Reason for Needing Childcare".
Type 3 Certification	Children below 3 years of age who fall under the **"Reasons for Needing Childcare"** and wish to receive childcare at a childcare center, etc.	Nursery school Authorized Kodomo-en (long term) Community-based childcare services	Up to the day before the child turns 3 years old * Depends on the "Reason for Needing Childcare".

Childcare hours required

For those receiving "Category 2 Certification" or "Category 3 Certification," the "extent of need for childcare" will be certified according to the "Reasons for Needing Childcare" on P. 2. The available childcare hours (childcare time) differ between "Standard Childcare Hours" and "Shortened Childcare Hours." Please see P. 22 for details on childcare hours.

Type of childcare hours required	Actual working hours (including commuting time)	Childcare hours
Childcare standard hours	Working regularly for at least 120 hours per month	Up to 11 hours per day
Shortened childcare hours	Working regularly for 48 hours but less than 120 hours per month	Up to 8 hours per day

* "Type of Childcare Hours Required" is determined for each parent or guardian and the type for the parent or guardian who requires the lesser number of childcare hours will be applied.

Issuance of approval certificate

When a parent or guardian falls under the "Reasons for Needing Childcare", they are issued the "Approval Certificate" stating the Certification Type and Childcare Hours Required. A separate procedure needs to be followed if the Approval Certificate is lost and the parent or guardian wishes to have the certificate reissued. Please contact the Admission Information Section.

Other procedures pertaining to the Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate

Separate procedures are required in the event of a change in certification details, such as Certification Type or Childcare Hours Required, or a change of address or name. Please check P. 26 (the page regarding changes in circumstances after enrollment).

What Is a Nursery School?

Flow from the Application for Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate and the Application for Admission to Decision

Visit to nursery schools	You can take a tour of the nursery schools in advance. Please get in touch with each nursery school directly if you want a tour. If you have any concerns about your child's growth and development, we recommend visiting the daycare center with your child to understand the environment in the nursery school and childcare activities.

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Application for Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate and Application for Admission	Be sure to submit your application by the deadline listed on P. 7. The Application for Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate is accepted at the same time as the Application for Admission to a nursery school. After confirming whether the applicant falls under the Reasons for Needing Childcare, based on the submitted "Documents that Confirm the Need for Childcare", as a general rule, the "Approval Certificate" is sent to the applicant along with the notification of the result on the results announcement day. *** Since admission to a nursery school is determined after the admission adjustment meeting, issuing the Approval Certificate does not guarantee admission.**

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Sorting of documents and inspection of contents	The personnel in charge may confirm the contents of the application by telephone, etc.

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Admission adjustment meeting	An admission adjustment meeting is conducted after calculating index points according to the "Admission Adjustment Criteria Table" on P. 18 and 19, based on the submitted "Documents that Confirm the Need for Childcare". ***Provisional admission offers will be sent to those with higher childcare needs. Admissions are not given by lottery or on a first-come-first-served basis.**

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Notification of admission adjustment result	On the announcement date for each month, we will mail the "Notice of Provisional Enrollment in Nursery School, etc." or the "Notice of Admission Adjustment Results (Waiting List)." If you are on the waiting list from the previous month, you will be notified only if a provisional admission offer is made.

Your application will continue to be considered each month for the rest of the fiscal year unless you formally withdraw it (except in the case of application due to reasons such as job search and childbirth). Any additional document submissions or changes in the information submitted will be reflected in the adjustment process from the following month onward.

Provisional enrollment granted	The nursery school where you got the provisional admission will contact you for an interview, medical examination, etc.

Waiting list	Please refer to page 17 if you were not able to enroll.

If you decline the offer, at the next admission adjustment meeting, you will be ranked lowest among resident applicants.

Interviews and medical examinations	- Please check if group childcare is available at the nursery that has given the provisional admission offer to you. - Please come to the interview with your child. - Please bring the "Approval Certificate" and the "Maternal and Child Health Handbook" to the interview. *Please coordinate the schedule for the interview and health check-up with the nursery after receiving a tentative offer.

The provisional admission may be canceled depending on the contents of the interview, etc.

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Start of nursery school attendance	For a brief period following the child's enrollment, there will be a "gradual entry" period for the child to get accustomed to group childcare. Kindly cooperate with us as the childcare hours will be shortened during this period.

About Applications

Application Process

- Prepare the necessary documents listed on pages 8 and 9 for admission to licensed nursery schools, community-based childcare services, public unified childcare facilities or city childcare rooms, and then submit your application in person at the Admission Information Section of the Nursery Division, by post, or online.
  Notes: Applications are not accepted at branch offices.
  The application method will not affect the results of admission adjustment.
- The application criteria for city childcare rooms and community-based childcare services (home-visit and small-scale childcare services) differ from those for licensed nursery schools; please refer to pages 34 to 40 for details.
- See page 7 for the deadlines for admission application. Please note that the deadline for online applications and applications by post differs from that for in-person applications.

Online Application

- You need to register and create an account to use the website.
- Please prepare the documents you must submit as image or PDF files before filling in the information.
- Any missed or incomplete documents at the time of application can be submitted online.
- Applications submitted after midnight on the day of the deadline will be processed as applications for the next month. Please apply well in advance.

(Scan this QR code to visit the website →)

Category	**Online application start date**
First-round for April enrollment	**October 1（Thu.）**
Second-round or later for April enrollment	**December 1（Tue.）**

In-person Application

・Please fill out the necessary documents in advance before visiting the office.

・For applications for April enrollment, please check page 60, "Regarding April 2027 Nursery School Enrollment Applications (In-person)".
In-person applications for April enrollment (first-round) are by appointment only.

・If the application by post arrives after the application deadline (postmarked by the post office), it will be processed for the next month. Please post the application well in advance

・Shibuya City will not assume responsibility for documents not received due to incidents with the postal service. For application by post, please retain a copy of the documents submitted and send the documents by a method that allows you to confirm the delivery yourself (registered mail, Letter Pack postal service, etc.).

・Download the "Application for Nursery School Admission (by post) Check Sheet" from the Shibuya City website, fill in the necessary items, and send the application along with a copy of the document to verify the identification of the applicant and necessary documents.

Mailing Address: **Admission Information Section, Nursery Division, Shibuya City Office** (No Address Required), **150-8010**

* Please note that the deadline is different if you apply for academic year 2026 (December) at the same time as the April first-round application.

About Applications

Fiscal Year 2027 Admission Adjustment (Selection) Schedule

Same schedule is followed for applications for transfer to other nursery schools.

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<tr><th colspan="2">Preferred admission date</th><th colspan="2">Deadline for online application (valid until 11:59 p.m.)</th><th>Deadline for postal applications (application withdrawal deadline)</th><th colspan="2">Deadline for in-person applications (application withdrawal deadline)</th><th>Date of announcement of admission adjustment results</th></tr>
<tr><td rowspan="2">April 1</td><td>First-round</td><td colspan="3">October 1, 2026 (Thu) – November 20, 2026 (Fri)</td><td colspan="2">October 22, 2026 (Thu) – November 27, 2026 (Fri)</td><td>February 3, 2027 (Wed)</td></tr>
<tr><td>Second-round</td><td rowspan="10">Application Acceptance Start Date: Tuesday, December 1, 2026</td><td colspan="2">February 9, 2027 (Tue)</td><td rowspan="10">Application Acceptance Start Date: Tuesday, December 1, 2026</td><td>February 16, 2027 (Tue)</td><td>March 5 (Fri)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">May 1</td><td>March 26 (Fri)</td><td>April 2 (Fri)</td><td>April 16 (Fri)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">June 1</td><td>April 30 (Fri)</td><td>May 7 (Fri)</td><td>May 17 (Mon)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">July 1</td><td>May 27 (Thu)</td><td>June 2 (Wed)</td><td>June 11 (Fri)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">August 1</td><td>June 25 (Fri)</td><td>July 2 (Fri)</td><td>July 13 (Tue)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">September 1</td><td>July 27 (Tue)</td><td>August 3 (Tue)</td><td>August 13 (Fri)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">October 1</td><td>August 26 (Thu)</td><td>September 2 (Thu)</td><td>September 13 (Mon)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">November 1</td><td>September 29 (Wed)</td><td>October 6 (Wed)</td><td>October 18 (Mon)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">December 1</td><td>October 27 (Wed)</td><td>November 4 (Thu)</td><td>November 15 (Mon)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">January 1</td><td>November 19 (Fri)</td><td>November 26 (Fri)</td><td>December 10 (Fri)</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">February 1</td><td colspan="6" rowspan="2">There is no enrollment screening.</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">March 1</td></tr>
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- An admission adjustment meeting will be held based on the documents submitted by the application deadline.
- There is no designated application start date except for April admission. Although there is no advantage in applying early, please apply well in advance, as incomplete applications or missing documents may result in lower index points.
- Notifications will be sent on the date the results are announced. Even if the result of the admission adjustment is "waiting," the application will be automatically continued within the fiscal year (valid until the January 2028 enrollment) For details, please check P. 17, "For those who could not be enrolled (placed on a waiting list)."
- Home-visit childcare services may take about 1 month from provisional admission to start attending the nursery school; therefore, the actual admission date may be 1 month later than the initially preferred admission date. (excluding those starting in April)
- Applications for admission on April 1, 2028, are planned to be accepted from around October 2027. Details will be announced in the city news, website, and official LINE of Shibuya City.

About Applications

Documents Required for Application

*** Some documents needed are different depending on the application process.**
***Documents marked with ★ are not required for online applications.**

Documents to be Submitted by All

● Personal identification document and My Number verification document

(1) Online application: Upload copies of the personal identification document of the parent or guardian. Please keep the documents ready.
(2) In-person application: Please bring all of the following.
a. Identity verification documents for the guardian (visitor)…
b. Documents to verify the Individual Number (My Number) of the guardian and all children applying
(3) Application by post: Send copies of the personal identification document of the parent or guardian.
* In principle, only people residing outside Shibuya City at the time of application may apply by post. If you reside in Shibuya City and wish to apply by post, please consult us first.
* For those applying by post, Shibuya City will verify their My Number using resident registration records. Please provide your consent for this verification on the "Application for Nursery School Admission (by Post) Check Sheet."

● Complete set of application forms for admission (★)

Note: Please submit one copy per household. Not required for online applications.

(1) Application for Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate, and Nursery School Admission
Or **Application for Nursery school transfer**
(2) Family Situation Form
(3) Child Status Confirmation Form * Please prepare one form for each child you are applying for.
(4) Important information confirmation form *Please check that all contents are duly filled when applying online.
(5) Copy of resident card (front and back) * Required only for non-Japanese nationals.

Documents not enclosed in this guide can be acquired from the counter of the Childcare Division or downloaded from the Shibuya City website.

● Documents that confirm the need for childcare

* One copy of any of these documents must be submitted by each guardian (both the mother and father).

- Both parents (father and mother) must prepare the relevant documents referring to the following table. (One person in the case of single parent)
Note: Certificate of Employment, medical certificate, Certificate of Student Status, etc., dated **September 15, 2026 or later** are valid.

Fathe	Moth	Reasons for requiring childcare		Necessary documents	Remarks
□	□	If employed (Family-owned business is covered by the category of self-employed.)		**Certificate of Employment (City's form)**	Please request your employer to provide the Certificate of Employment. This is also required if you are currently on childcare leave.
□	□	In the case of self-employed (In the case of self-employed individuals, company owners, company officers, home-based workers, and companies where the employer is a spouse or relative.)		Following 2 documents: **- Certificate of Employment (City's form)** **- Copy of the most recent withholding tax statement or copy of the final tax return (Tables 1 and 2)** If you work under a contract for services, please submit a **copy of your service contract agreement** in addition to the above two items.	Please provide a Certificate of Employment. If you do not have the most recent withholding tax slip or a copy of your final tax return, please prepare two items: **a copy of one of the following: "Certified Copy of the Commercial Registration (Certificate of All Registered Matters), Business Commencement Notification, or Business Permit" and** "documents showing income for the most recent three months".
□	□	If seeking employment	Informal job offers	**Certificate of Employment (City's form)**	- Re-submit the "Certificate of Employment" to verify your work records after starting work. - If you do not work at the prospective employer after your child's admission to the nursery school, the child's enrollment will be canceled.
			Currently seeking employment	**Petition for job search activities (★)**	Please use the city's form.
	□	Before and after childbirth		The following two items **・Cover of the Maternal and Child Health Handbook** **・Page of the Maternal and Child Health Handbook showing the expected date of delivery** **(enter the expected date of delivery)**	
□	□	If you have an illness or mental or physical disability		Any one of the following documents: **- Copy of the physical disability certificate** **- Copy of the medical certificate**	A medical certificate is considered valid if it describes a situation where the child cannot be cared for in the home. Please request your physician to provide a copy.
□	□	In the case of nursing and care of a relative (within the third degree of kinship of the applicant child's parent or guardian) living in the same household		Following 2 documents: **- Declaration of nursing or care situation** **- Copy of the long-term care insurance certificate**	Please use the city's form.
□	□	If enrolled in a school		Following 2 documents: **- Copy of the Certificate of Student Status** **- Copy of the course curriculum**	Please provide documents showing the course curriculum, including the number of class hours and the class schedule.

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(4) **Documents required depending on the situation** * Only for applicable persons				
Father	Mother	Situation		Necessary documents
□	□	- If you are on maternity leave before and after childbirth, on childcare leave, or plan to apply for childcare leave before the month of admission to nursery school - If you apply for other leave, leave of absence from school, holiday, etc., of your own volition		**Written Application for Returning to Work/School (★)**
□	□	If you have been working at the current workplace for less than 6 months by the preferred month of admission to nursery school and have held a previous job within the past 2 months		**Documents showing the duration of previous employment** (Copy of the employee release form, certificate of loss of health insurance status, withholding tax statement, etc.)
□	□	In the case of irregular working hours (Shift system, flexible-hours system, irregular work schedule, etc.)		**Copy of the shift schedule or work schedule (for the last 3 months)** If you cannot provide these copies, please fill out and submit the **Declaration of Employment Status (City form)**.
□		If you are paying for childcare for the applying child at an unlicensed childcare facility, with a babysitter, etc. (excluding cases where the child is left with relatives or acquaintances for temporary childcare), and you meet all of the following criteria: a. The total childcare time (per month or week) is equal to or greater than the total working and commuting time of whichever parent works fewer hours b. The service has been used for 30 days or more as of the application deadline at the counter c. Neither parent is on childcare leave and neither has a pending job offer		**- Certificate of Entrustment (City's form)** * Please prepare one certificate for each applicant child when applying for siblings at the same time. * This is not required for children currently enrolled in a childcare room or home-visit childcare service (for children on the waiting list).
□	□	If you are a nursery school or kindergarten teacher (If you work for a licensed nursery school, authorized kodomo-en, Tokyo-certified nursery school, community-based childcare service, company-led nursery school business, or unlicensed childcare facility established by the municipality)		**- Application for priority admission for children of nursery teachers and similar childcare professionals (City's form) (★)** **- If you wish to apply for priority application, submit a copy of the Nursery School Teacher's Certificate or Kindergarten Teacher's License**
□	□	If you are a foreign national		**Documents to prove status of residence (copy of resident card, etc.)** * Your status of residence must allow for work or study in Japan
□	□	When the child applicant's grandparents are under the age of 65 and live together (residing on the same premises) * Even if they live in different apartment numbers in the same building, they will be considered living together.		**Documents to prove that the child applicant is unable to receive childcare** * Except when you are applying because of a job search. You will need documents confirming that your child has a need for childcare equivalent to that of a parent or guardian.
□		If you are planning to move to Shibuya City (See P. 14 for details)		Following 2 documents: **- Consent Form for Moving-In Procedures (City's Form)** **- Copy of the Rental Agreement or Lease Agreement** (Must mention the prospective property you are moving to, property handover date, and seals of both parties to the contract) * The following 2 documents are required if you are moving in with a relative residing in Shibuya City **- Consent Form for Moving-In Procedures (City's Form)** **- Copies of documents that can confirm the ownership or rental status of the property in which you will reside** (Lease agreement, sale agreement, property tax payment notice, etc.)
□		If you are a single-parent household * If you have a resident card showing the same address as your (former) spouse, you are not considered a single-parent household. * If you have a partner who is involved in childcare (for example, takes the child to and from nursery school, shares household income as a member of the household), you are not considered a single-parent household.	Divorcee Unmarried person	Any one of the following documents **- Copy of the Single-parent Medical Certificate** **- Copy of the Childcare Allowance Certificate, etc.** **- Copy of the Receipt of Childcare Allowance Certificate** **- Copy of all items of the Family Register Certificate**
□		People in the process of divorce litigation / People in the process of divorce mediation		**Please inquire individually**
□		When applying for 2 or more children at the same time * Please submit this if you fall under (6) Other on the back of the application form, or if you are unsure about any of the options from (1) to (5).		**Preferred sibling combination table**
□		When applying for admission before childbirth * Only for first-round and second-round applications for April enrollment		**Consent Form for Application for Admission of Nursery Facility Before Childbirth (★)** **Copy of the *Maternal and Child Health Handbook* (Cover page and page showing the expected date of childbirth)** * "Written Application for Returning to Work/School" is also required.
□		When sending the application by post		**Application for Nursery School Admission (by post) Check Sheet (★)** * Please give your consent to confirm the resident registration information of My Number.
□		For foster family household		**Documents to prove that you are a foster parent**
(5) Others *It is required to be submitted before admission to determine the childcare fee.				
□	□	If you are not subject to municipal resident tax in Japan (documentation must be submitted for all applicable parents or guardians) - Submission is required even if you have no income. - Proof of income for 2026 must be submitted by the end of July 2027. - Tax documents may be requested even from those exempt from resident tax in Shibuya City.		◆ April to August applicants Following 2 documents (income for 2025 and 2026): **- Annual Income Statement (City's form)** **- Documents to prove overseas income** ◆ September to January applicants Following 2 documents (income for 2026): **- Annual Income Statement (City's form)** **- Documents to prove overseas income**

Confirmation Items for Application

Preferred Nursery School

You can apply for up to 10 preferred facilities. The breakdown is as follows.

- Licensed nursery schools, integrated centers for early childhood education and care, and small-scale childcare businesses: **up to 7 facilities in total**
- City-run childcare rooms and home-visit childcare businesses: **up to 3 facilities in total**

Shibuya city website
"Vacancy status of Shibuya city run and private nursery schools"

- **The order of preference does not affect the enrollment.** Since the admission adjustment with the index points is based on the “Admission Adjustment Criteria Table” provided on pages 18 and 19, there is no “advantage or disadvantage based on the preference order” or “advantage because it is our only first choice”. If you can be enrolled in multiple facilities (an offer can be made), we will adjust the process so that you receive an offer for the facility with the highest preference.

● Vacancy status

- The monthly vacancy status is published on the city's website, so please check it before applying.
- **You can still apply for facilities where the vacancy status is displayed as "0".** Vacancy status changes from time to time due to children leaving the facility or declining an offer, and vacancies may arise. Regardless of the vacancy status, please consider the "order of preference" and "areas you can commute to daily" when choosing your preferred nursery schools.

● About the list of childcare facilities

- Please check the list of nursery schools and integrated centers for early childhood education and care on pages 54-55. **Be sure to check the [Other Special Notes] column, as it contains information such as scheduled construction work.**

(April enrollment only)Application for Admission Before Childbirth

- Only for the first- and second-rounds for April enrollment, applications are also accepted for unborn children (children expected to be born by April 1, 2027).
- **Please apply with the child's name as "XX (Surname) Undecided (Furigana: MITEI)" and the date of birth as the "expected date of birth".**
- At licensed nursery schools in Shibuya city, we will take care of your child starting from the first day of the month following the day they turn 56 days old, with the expected date of birth counted as day 1. Therefore, the months for which you can apply for enrollment depend on the expected date of birth, as shown in the table below. However, the actual start month of use will be determined based on the actual date of birth. Depending on the actual date of birth, the month may shift from the initially requested month of use.

Expected date of birth / Actual date of birth	Requested month of enrollment / Actual start month of use
Application date to February 4, 2027	April 1, 2027
February 5, 2027 to March 6, 2027	May 1, 2027
March 7, 2027 to April 1, 2027	June 1, 2027

- Regarding "Documents required for application" on page 9, the following documents are required under (4) Documents required depending on the situation: "Consent form for nursery school application before birth," "Copy of Maternal and Child Health Handbook (cover and page showing the expected delivery date)," and "Statement regarding return to work/school."
- **Please submit the "Birth Notification for Child Applying for Nursery School Use (city form)" to the Admission Information Section of the Nursery Division within 14 days after birth.** (Online submission or submission by mail is acceptable.) If it is not submitted within the deadline, the tentative offer may be revoked.
- Even if a tentative offer of enrollment has been made, the offer will be revoked if the child’s actual date of birth falls on or after April 2.

Confirmation Items for Application

Application for Period of Childcare Leave and Period of Leave of Absence from School for Childcare

If a guardian is on childcare leave, on leave of absence for childcare, or is otherwise taking a leave of absence, school leave, or vacation of their own volition, the child related to the childcare leave cannot be cared for at the nursery school; however, **you may apply on the condition that you return to work or school by the 1st of the month following the month of enrollment (for January enrollment only, by April 1).**

Required Documents	Submission at time of application	Employment Requirements	"Employment Certificate" (City form) "Statement regarding return to work/school" (City form)
		Schooling Requirements	"Copy of Certificate of Enrollment", "Copy of class curriculum, etc." "Statement regarding return to work/school" (City form)
	Submission **after enrollment**	Employment Requirements	**"Certificate of Return to Work" (City format, certified by the employer)**
		Schooling Requirements	Documents showing that you have returned to school, such as a certificate of return to school issued by the school.
Submission deadline	The 20th of the month following the month of enrollment		
Notes	- Returning to work means **returning to the workplace at the time of application and working there**. **Changing jobs is not included in returning to work.** - If the employer or dispatching agency remains the same, and only the work location or dispatch destination changes, it is considered a return to work. - If you use the childcare short-time work system at your workplace upon returning to work, you will not be withdrawn from the nursery (or have your offer revoked) if you reduce your hours by up to 2 hours per day, or if you reduce your days by up to 1 day per week (in principle, working hours remain the same as before returning to work), you will not be withdrawn from the nursery (or have your offer revoked). * However, you must meet the requirement of working at least 48 hours per month.		

In the following cases, your offer will be revoked or you will be withdrawn from the nursery.
- If there is no record of employment or school attendance by the 1st of the month following the month of enrollment (taking paid leave is also included in returning to work)
- If the number of working days or hours after returning to work is significantly lower than at the time of application

◎ What is meant by "significantly lower"

If the regular (contracted) working days/hours at the time of returning to work are lower than the index (base index) at the time of application.

<When returning to work with regular working hours>

Example	At time of application (regular working days/hours)	At time of return to work (at time of enrollment)	
Example 1 When regular (contracted) working days decrease	5 days a week, 8 hours a day (Base index points: 20 points)	4 days a week, 8 hours a day (Base index points: 16 points)	Your enrollment offer will be revoked, or you will be withdrawn from the nursery school.
Example 2 When regular (contracted) working hours decrease	5 days a week, 8 hours a day (Base index points: 20 points)	5 days a week, 7 hours a day (Base index points: 18 points)	

However, if you use your employer's childcare reduced working hours system, you will not be withdrawn from the nursery (or have your offer revoked), provided you reduce your time by up to 2 hours per day or your days by up to 1 day per week (in principle, working hours remain the same as before returning to work).

<When using the employer's childcare reduced working hours system>

Example	At time of application (regular working days/hours)	At time of return to work (at time of enrollment)	
Example 3 When working days decrease	5 days a week, 8 hours a day	Using the childcare reduced working hours system, 4 days a week, 8 hours a day	Your enrollment offer will not be revoked, or you will not be withdrawn from the nursery school
Example 4 When working hours are reduced	5 days a week, 8 hours a day	Using the childcare reduced working hours system, 5 days a week, 6 hours a day	
Example 5 When both the number of working days and hours change	5 days a week, 10 hours a day	Using the childcare reduced working hours system, 4 days a week, 8 hours a day	

* Regarding Example 5, since the working hours at the time of application are 8 hours or more per day, it is determined that the working hours at the time of returning to work remain the same as at the time of application (before returning to work), and only the number of days has decreased by one day.

Confirmation Items for Application

Children Who Require Medical Care

If you wish to apply for nursery school admission for a child who requires medical care, please consult the Nursery Division's Admission Information Section before you apply.

As a condition for acceptance into a nursery school, your child's condition and daily health must be stable, and he/she must not have any underlying conditions or chronic infections that are likely to worsen. The medical care routinely that parents or guardians provide at home must also be well-established, and the risk of accidents or infection must be low.

In addition, if any of the following conditions apply, enrollment may be difficult:

- Your child requires care in an isolated setting apart from other children on a daily basis.

- Continuous monitoring or treatment by a nurse is required.

- Changes in your child's condition may significantly affect his/her ability to participate in group living in a nursery setting.

● Eligible age range

Children in the one- to five-year-old class

● Types of medical care that may be provided

The types of medical care that nursery schools may be able to provide are outlined below. If other types of care not listed here are required, please consult with us individually.

- Suctioning of phlegm (oral, nasal, tracheal cannula)

- Tube feeding (gastrostomy, jejunostomy, nasogastric)

- Urinary catheterization

● Documents to submit

For children requiring medical care, please submit the documents listed below in addition to the required documents on page 8.

Documents required	To be filled in by
(Form 1) Medical care physician contact form	Child's physician
(Form 2) Medical care application form	Parent or guardian
(Form 3) Medical care agreement form	Parent or guardian
(Form 4) Daily life survey	Parent or guardian
(Form 5) Guidelines for activities at nursery school facilities	Child's physician (or parent/guardian if not possible)

● Nursery school facilities

The following Shibuya City municipal nursery schools can accommodate children requiring medical care. **[Each school can accept one such child.]**
(If you wish to apply to a private nursery school, please contact the Nursery Division's Admission Information Section.)
Please note that even the nursery schools listed below may not always be able to accept your child. Acceptance may be difficult in the following cases:

- When group childcare is not feasible for your child
- When the facility does not have an adequate system in place for nurses or staff to provide medical care

The Review Committee on Acceptance of Children Requiring Medical Care, which includes external physicians will make the final decision on whether a child can be accepted.

* The notification date for tentative offers may be later than the result announcement date listed on page 7.

Shibuya City Nursery School	Ebisu Nursery School	Omukai Nursery School
Hatsudai Nursery School	Hatagaya Daisan Nursery School	Sasazuka Daini Nursery School

Confirmation Items for Application

Application for Children with Disabilities or Illnesses

- For children with disabilities, illnesses, developmental delays or other issues, enrollment timing and the assigned nursery school may be adjusted depending on the circumstances of the nursery school applied to (such as whether other children with disabilities are already enrolled, or if the school's support system is insufficient).
- Regarding your child's situation, **please fill out the Child Status Form as detailed as possible and be sure to consult with us in advance.** If it is discovered at the time of the interview or health check at the nursery school after a tentative offer is made, acceptance may not be possible depending on the nursery school's capacity.

* Nursery schools can only accept children who, based on a doctor's judgment, are capable of group care and can commute daily. Depending on the situation, we may ask for the submission of a doctor's medical certificate or similar document.

Handling of Medicines and Medical Treatment at the Nursery School

- As a general rule, the nursery schools cannot accept medications.
- Please consult your physician so that the medications can be administered at home and need not be administered during childcare hours. **(Example: Obtain a prescription to administer the medication twice (Morning and night) or three times (Morning, after returning home, before going to bed) daily.** Medical treatment is not allowed at nursery schools under the provisions of the Medical Practitioners Act.

Handling of Food Allergies, etc.

- If there are certain foods that the child cannot consume due to food allergies or religious reasons, please inform the nursery school in advance. Since food allergies are addressed based on the diagnosis from a medical specialist or primary care physician, please submit a life management guidance form provided by a physician.
- If it is difficult to provide safe school lunches, we may ask you to provide a packed lunch.
- If you wish to provide frozen breast milk, please confirm in advance with the desired nursery school whether they can accommodate this.
- Regarding school lunches at city-run nursery schools, special arrangements based on individual requests cannot be made.

Confirmation Items for Application

When a Person Residing Outside Shibuya City Applies for a Nursery School in Shibuya City

If You Plan to Move to Shibuya City Before the Desired Month of Enrollment

Where and how to apply	**Apply in person at the Shibuya City Nursery Division counter or by post (online application not available).** Please apply directly to the Shibuya City Nursery Division.
Necessary documents **Shibuya City's forms** must be used for all documents.	Please prepare the following documents (1) and (2) with complete set of application forms (See "Documents Required for Application" on P. 8-9) in Shibuya City's form: (1) "Consent Form for Moving-In Procedures" (Shibuya City's form) (2) Documents to confirm that you will move to Shibuya City by the end of the month previous to the admission preferred date (see P. 9) Note: If you are unable to prepare the documents listed in (2) by the deadline, you must apply **through the municipal office of the municipality where you currently live**.
About the adjustment index	(1) If an admission adjustment is necessary, Shibuya City residents will be given priority. (2) If you submit a withdrawal notification from your current licensed nursery school (with an official acceptance stamp from the municipality), adjustment index No. 8 will be applied.
Notification of result	Shibuya City will send out a notification of the result on the date listed in "Fiscal Year 2027 Admission Adjustment (Selection) Schedule" on P. 7.
Procedure after application	After moving in, **applicants must register as a resident of Shibuya City and apply for admission to a childcare facility in Shibuya City again at the Shibuya City Childcare Division** by the **end of the month previous to the preferred month of admission** (or the previous working day if the last day of the month is a holiday), irrespective of the results of admission adjustment, (Example: If the preferred date of admission is April 1, 2027 ⇒ Register and re-apply by Wednesday, March 31, 2027). Failure to apply will result in the withdrawal of the provisional admission offer.

If You Are Not Planning to Move to Shibuya City Before the Desired Month of Enrollment

- Applications from overseas residents who do not plan to move to Shibuya City will not be accepted.
- You will only be eligible for admission adjustment if there are vacancies after admission adjustments have been made for Shibuya City residents and those planning to move into Shibuya City.

Application counter	**The childcare department office of the municipality where you reside** at the time of application
Application deadline	Application deadline for the office listed on page 7, "FY2027 Admission Adjustment (Enrollment Selection) Schedule" To ensure that your application documents reach Shibuya City by the deadline, please submit your application to the childcare department office of your municipality 2 weeks to 10 days before the deadline.
Documents required	A complete set of application forms in the Shibuya City format (see "Documents Required for Application" on pages 8-9)
Notification of result	The municipality administering your current residence where you applied will inform you of the result.

*** There are restrictions on the periods and facilities for which you can apply.** ◎ Can apply × Cannot apply

	Application period	Class	City-run nursery schools	Private nursery schools (*1)	
Working in Shibuya city (*2)	First-round for April enrollment	0-5 years old	×	×	**[Note]** **You cannot apply for the following facilities.** **・Authorized Kodomo-en** **・City-run childcare rooms** **・Home-visit childcare services** **・ integrated centers for early childhood education and care**
	Second-round or later for April enrollment January enrollment	0-2 years old	Not available from April to September	◎	
		3-5 years old	◎		
Not working in Shibuya city	First-round for April enrollment	0-5 years old	×	×	
	Second-round or later for April enrollment January enrollment			◎	

*1 Including small-scale childcare facilities. For affiliated facilities, see P. 40.

*2 People whose workplace or school is located within Shibuya City (excluding those planning to work or attend school).

Confirmation Items for Application

When a child residing in Shibuya City applies for a childcare facility outside Shibuya City

People who plan to move out of Shibuya City

- **Please apply for admission directly to the childcare division of the municipality you are moving to.** The Shibuya City Nursery Division cannot accept the applications.
- **Please inquire with the childcare division of the municipality where you are applying regarding the application deadline and required documents.**
- If you are currently enrolled in a Shibuya City licensed facility and wish to continue attending it after moving out of Shibuya City because you could not get into a childcare facility in your new municipality, you will need to complete separate procedures for continued attendance. Also, there are limits to the period during which continued attendance is possible, depending on the facility. For details, please check "Moving out of Shibuya City" on P. 25.

People who do not plan to move out of Shibuya City and wish to attend a childcare facility outside of Shibuya City

- Please check the "application method, application requirements, application deadline, required documents, availability, etc." in advance with the childcare division or the admission guide of the municipality that has jurisdiction over the desired childcare facility. Please also check with the **childcare division of the desired municipality** regarding how to fill out documents and the selection process.
- **Prepare the complete set of documents specified by the desired municipality**, **and apply at the Shibuya City Nursery Division counter.** Applications cannot be accepted by mail or online.
- Results will be notified by mail from Shibuya City after the result announcement date of the municipality where you applied.
- Please inquire with the municipality that has jurisdiction over the desired childcare facility regarding whether extended childcare can be used.

For those wishing to transfer childcare facilities (transfer from a Shibuya City licensed facility to another Shibuya City licensed facility)

- **The application method, application deadline, result announcement date, and application validity period are the same as for new admission applicants.**

- Required documents for application (Please check "Documents required for application" on pages 8-9.)

① **Nursery Transfer Application Form**
② Family Status Form
③ Child Status Form
④ Important Matters Confirmation Form

For online applications, you enter the necessary information online, so submission is not required.

⑤ Applicable documents (Certificate of Employment, etc.) for (3) and (4) in "Documents required for application" on pages 8-9, other than those mentioned above.

* Even if you have previously submitted a Certificate of Employment, etc., to the Nursery Division, the same documents as for a new enrollment application are required again.

- When adjusting admission, if a new enrollment applicant and a transfer applicant have the same index score, the new enrollment applicant is generally given priority. For transfer applications, points will not be added for returning to work from childcare leave or for current use of unauthorized childcare services.
- You cannot apply for a transfer while on childcare leave (except if you are returning to work by the 1st of the month following the transfer month). If a transfer is necessary due to moving, please consult with the Admission Information Section of the Nursery Division.
- If a transfer is offered, a spot at the new nursery is secured and another child is offered the spot at the original nursery, so **you cannot decline the offer after a transfer has been decided.** If a transfer is no longer necessary, please be sure to submit a withdrawal of application. After being notified of a transfer offer, your child may dislike the transfer. For children who are old enough to understand, please confirm their wishes carefully.
- If a person applying for a transfer withdraws from the nursery they are currently attending, the transfer application will be withdrawn.
- The same procedures as above apply when transferring from a licensed nursery in another municipality to a nursery in Shibuya City.
- Even in the case of a transfer, children will have a "gradual entry" period with shortened childcare hours after enrollment.
- If you are not offered a spot, you will continue to attend your original nursery while waiting for an offer.

Changes after Application

Submission of additional documents, change of preferred nursery school, change of situation, etc.

- If your employment status, family situation, preferred nursery school, or application details (such as sibling conditions or desired month of enrollment) change after you have applied, please fill in the changes on the "Childcare Change Notification" and submit it to the Admission Information Section.
- The Childcare Change Notification can be submitted online, by mail, or at the counter.
- Please also submit any necessary documents according to the changes. Please check the Shibuya city website for the necessary documents.

Download form "Childcare Change Notification"	Check documents required for submission	Online submission (Document upload)

- Only documents that arrive at the Admission Information Section of the Nursery Division by the deadline for submitting additional documents will be reflected in the admission adjustment.

Desired date of enrollment	Deadline for submission of additional documents (must arrive by)
First-round application for April 2027 enrollment	**December 4, 2026 (Fri)**
Second-round application for April 2027 enrollment Monthly enrollment from May 2027 onwards	Same as "Deadline for in-person applications" on P.7

- If there is a change in your place of employment or prospective place of employment after the deadline for submitting additional documents, your provisional offer may be revoked.

About Withdrawing Your Application

- If you no longer require nursery school enrollment or a transfer to another nursery school, please submit a "Notice of Withdrawal of Nursery School Application" to the Admission Information Section of the Nursery Division. (Submission at the counter or by mail). Also, **online applications are possible**. (See the QR code below)
- If the counter deadline (see p. 7) for the desired month of enrollment stated on the application form has passed, the notification of withdrawal cannot be accepted.

Declining a nursery enrollment offer

- Declining an enrollment offer deprives others of the opportunity to enroll. Please decide on your preferred nursery schools carefully.
- If you decline an enrollment offer for a nursery school, you will be **treated as the lowest priority only at the next admission adjustment meeting**.
- If you decline an enrollment offer, a "Notice of Admission Adjustment Results (Waiting List)" will not be sent.
- **If you decline an enrollment offer for April (first round) and re-apply for April (second round) and are placed on the waiting list, the "Notice of Admission Adjustment Results (Waiting List)" issued for April (second round) will state that you declined the first-round offer.**
- If you wish to decline, please contact the nursery school for which you received an offer, and then submit a "Notice of Declining Enrollment Offer" to the Admission Information Section (by submitting it at the counter or by mail). The "Notice of Declining Enrollment Offer" can also be submitted via online application. (See the QR code below)
- **Once submitted, a Notice of Withdrawal of Application/Declining Enrollment Offer cannot be cancelled.**

You can submit a Notice of Withdrawal of Application/Declining Enrollment Offer here.

Form: "Notice of Withdrawal of Application/Declining Enrollment Offer" Download	"Notice of Withdrawal of Application/Declining Enrollment Offer" **Online application**

To Those on the Waiting List

For those who could not be enrolled (placed on a waiting list)

● Regarding the continuation of applications

- Once you have applied, your **application will be automatically continued** unless you complete the withdrawal procedure.

- You will be subject to monthly admission adjustments (enrollment selection) within the fiscal year, and if a vacancy occurs at your desired nursery, an admission adjustment will be conducted.

- As long as it is within the validity period, there is no need to re-apply every month.

- **The validity period** of the application **is until the January 2028 enrollment.** However, if you are applying for reasons such as childbirth or job hunting, it is only valid within the certification period.

- If you wish to change your application, please check page 16.

● Regarding admission adjustment results (waiting list notification)

- If you could not be enrolled as a result of the admission adjustment, we will send a "Notice of Admission Adjustment Results (Waiting List)" **only for the first month you requested usage.** Please note that **it cannot be reissued.** After that, no notification will be sent unless an enrollment offer is made.

- **If you decline an enrollment offer, a "Notice of Admission Adjustment Results (Waiting List)" will not be sent.**

● If you need proof that you are not enrolled

- If you need proof that you have not been enrolled in a licensed nursery school since the month you requested usage, for procedures such as extending childcare leave benefits, please apply for the **"Request for Inquiry of Licensed Nursery School Admission Adjustment Results."**

● Regarding applications for the next fiscal year

- The current application is **valid through the January 2028 enrollment.**
  (There is no enrollment application for February and March 2028)

- A separate application is required for enrollment from April 2028 onwards.

Licensed nursery school admission adjustment results

Click here for the inquiry request form

(You will be redirected to the Smart Application system)



Admission Adjustment

[Notes]
(1) The index is determined at the admission adjustment meeting based on the submitted documents. We cannot inform you of individual index points in advance.
(2) Please also refer to P. 20 for how to read the admission adjustment criteria table.

Admission Adjustment Criteria Table As of October 1, 2026

The adjustment index points are added to or subtracted from the base index points and adjusted so applicants with higher index points can be admitted. In the case of children with the same index points, the decision will be made based on “Priority in the Case of the Same Index Points”. In principle, priority will be given to Shibuya City residents (including those who plan to move in).

Base Index Points

	Types		Status of parents or guardian: Details			Base index points	Classification of childcare requirements
1	Employment		You work at least 5 days a week and regularly work at least 8 hours a day (roughly for at least 20 days a month)			20	Standard
			You work at least 5 days a week and regularly work at least 6 hours a day but less than 8 hours a day (same as above)			18	Standard
			You work at least 5 days a week and regularly work at least 4 hours a day but less than 6 hours a day (same as above)			16	Short
			You work at least 5 days a week and regularly work less than 4 hours a day but more than 48 hours a month (same as above)			10	Short
			You work at least 4 days a week and regularly work at least 8 hours a day (roughly for at least 16 days a month)			16	Standard
			You work at least 4 days a week and regularly work at least 6 hours a day but less than 8 hours a day (same as above)			14	*
			You work at least 4 days a week and regularly work at least 4 hours a day but less than 6 hours a day (same as above)			12	Short
			You work at least 4 days a week and regularly work less than 4 hours a day but more than 48 hours a month (same as above)			8	Short
			You work at least 3 days a week and regularly work at least 8 hours a day (roughly for at least 12 days a month)			12	Standard
			You work at least 3 days a week and regularly work at least 6 hours a day but less than 8 hours a day (same as above)			10	Short
			You work at least 3 days a week and regularly work at least 4 hours a day but less than 6 hours a day (same as above)			8	Short
			You regularly work at least 48 hours a month in a pattern that does not comply with the above			6	*
2	Childbirth		The allotted period for childcare is 2 months before and after the expected month of delivery (within a total of 5 months).			8	Standard
			If you require bed rest for an extended period during the first and second trimesters of pregnancy (roughly up to 27 weeks).			14	Standard
	Illness		Hospitalization	If you have been hospitalized for about 1 month or more at the time of application or if your hospitalization is expected to continue at the time of admission		20	Standard
			At home	Terminal illness or infectious disease		20	Standard
				Constant rest (not bedridden, but require rest, making childcare difficult)		14	Standard
				General medical treatment (condition requiring outpatient treatment)		8	Standard
				Mental health	If providing childcare is difficult due to severe symptoms (Levels 1 to 3 in the Mental Disability Certificate)	20	Standard
					If providing childcare is difficult due to mild symptoms (other than those listed above)	14	Standard
					You have a condition other than the above that requires outpatient treatment	8	Standard
	Disability		Levels 1 or 2 in the physical disability certificate, Levels 1 to 3 in the Ai-no-Techo (Tokyo Metropolitan Rehabilitation Handbook), or Level 3 or higher in the mental disability certificate			20	Standard
			Level 3 in the physical disability certificate or Level 4 in the Ai-no-Techo (Tokyo Metropolitan Rehabilitation Handbook)			12	Standard
			Physical disability certificate Grade 4			4	Standard
3	Nursing care for relatives living in the same household	Attendant care at a hospital or facility	If constant attendant care is required at a hospital or facility			20	Standard
			If an attendant is required at a hospital or facility, although not regularly			12	*
		Other nursing care	If full-time nursing care (such as meals, using the toilet, bathing, etc.) is required for daily activities			16	*
			If the person can take care of themselves to some extent but frequently requires nursing care for daily activities			10	*
			In cases other than those listed above (when nursing care is required for at least 4 hours a day for about 3 days a week)			6	*
4	Disaster		If childcare cannot be provided due to damage to the house caused by a disaster or other disaster recovery efforts			20	Standard
5	Others	Seeking Employment	Informal job offer	If the index points are 20 when the number of days and hours worked are applied to the employment details		12	Short
				If the index points are 16 to 18 when the number of days and hours worked are applied to the employment details		10	Short
				If the index points are 10 to 14 when the number of days and hours worked are applied to the employment details		8	Short
				If the index points are 6 to 8 when the number of days and hours worked are applied to the employment details		4	Short
			Seeking Employment	If you are regularly out of the house during the day seeking employment (3 months of childcare)		2	Short
		Attending school, etc.	(1) Schools and specialized training schools specified in the School Education Act (2) Vocational training facilities or facilities for similar skills established by the national or prefectural government (3) Enrolled in a specialized school or training facility to obtain the qualifications necessary for employment or business			Note 2	*
			If you are enrolled in a Japanese language school to learn Japanese				*
		Parent’s Absence	Death, divorce, missing, imprisonment, etc.			20	Standard
		Abuse	If it is recognized that social care is needed, such as when there is a risk of abuse or domestic violence			20	Standard

Note 1: The index points for each parent are calculated separately and added up to determine the index points of the household.
Note 2: The base index points for No. 5, “Attending school, etc.” shall be the same as the details and index points for No. 1 “Employment”.
Note 3: No. 5 “Attending school, etc.” refers to persons who are not employed but cannot provide childcare due to attending school or acquiring skills and need to attend school for 48 hours or more per month during nursery school opening hours.
Note 4: Even if the parent or guardian is working, applying for 5 months of childcare (from 2 months before to 2 months after the expected month of delivery) and availing childcare leave without returning to work after maternity leave will have the application considered under childbirth requirements.
Note 5: If more than one application requirement is applicable for (“Type”), the base index points of the main requirement will be applied.
Note 6: Under the classification of childcare need, the * mark indicates either “Standard” if childcare is required for roughly 120 hours or more per month or “Short” if childcare is required between 48 hours to less than 120 hours per month.

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Adjustment Index Points

◎ Applicants who meet the requirements for adding points to the base index points must submit documents to confirm the fact.

Number	Condition		Index
1	If both parents have been issued Levels 1 or 2 in the Physical Disability Certificate, Levels 1 to 3 in the Ai-no-Techo (Tokyo Metropolitan Rehabilitation Handbook), or Levels 1 to 3 in the Mental Disability Certificate (Note 1)		6
2	If either parent has been issued Levels 1 or 2 in the Physical Disability Certificate, Levels 1 to 3 in the Ai-no-Techo (Tokyo Metropolitan Rehabilitation Handbook), or Levels 1 to 3 in the Mental Disability Certificate (Note 1)		4
3	If both parents are absent (including long-term hospitalization for a condition that continues from the time of application to admission)		6
4	If either parent is absent (including long-term hospitalization that continues from the time of application to admission)	No other cohabitants	4
5	If either parent is absent (including long-term hospitalization that continues from the time of application to admission)	With other cohabitants	3
6	Households dependent on public assistance		6
7	If both parents are seeking employment		4
8	If your child is being looked after for a fee and the following conditions are met (Note 2) However, this excludes temporary childcare, licensed nursery schools, and cases in which you leave your child in the care of a relative or acquaintance. (1) When the total childcare hours (per month or per week) are equal to or greater than the combined working and commuting hours of the parent with the shorter schedule (2) When you have used the service for thirty days or more as of the in-person application deadline (3) Neither parent or guardian is on childcare leave, and has received no informal job offers		2
9	If applying for a nursery school where a sibling(s) is/are enrolled (Excluding short- and medium-term users of authorized kodomo-en and public unified childcare facilities and kindergarten schools) (Note 3)		2
10	If applying for siblings to the same nursery school at the same time (Note 3)		2
11	If a person living in the same household requires constant nursing care (requiring nursing care level 4 or higher) for all daily activities or a child living in the same household visits the hospital for outpatient care due to a disability, and the employment of the parent or guardian is restricted (Excluding cases where the base index points are 20). (Note 1)		2
12	If applying for twins, triplets etc.		1
13	If the applicant has worked for 6 months or more as of the preferred date of admission (Note 4)		1 | 1
14	If either of the parents or guardian is expected to return to work after a leave of absence from work or school for childbirth or childcare However, this excludes cases where the parent or guardian did not attend work or school before the leave of absence from work or school. (Note 2)		2
15	If it is determined that special consideration is required under the Child Welfare Act		3
16	If both parents have been issued a Specific Medical Expenses Recipient Certificate (designated intractable disease) or a medical ticket for the Tokyo Metropolitan Medical Expenses Subsidy for Intractable Diseases (limited to persons whose public expense bearer number begins with Nos. 51, 54, or 83) (Note 1)		3
17	If either parent has been issued a Specific Medical Expenses Recipient Certificate (designated intractable disease) or a medical ticket for the Tokyo Metropolitan Medical Expenses Subsidy for Intractable Diseases (limited to persons whose public expense bearer number begins with Nos. 51, 54, or 83) (Note 1)		2
18	If grandparents are living in the same household, who can provide complementary childcare		-2
19	If there are siblings in the same household who have not applied for a nursery school		-2
20	If it is determined that either of the parents or guardian has an inconsistent work record and income record		-6
21	If there are any outstanding payments due (including childcare fees for city childcare rooms) for the past 3 months or more (including children who have graduated from the nursery school)		-6
22	If the child cannot be admitted to the preferred nursery school, etc., an extension of childcare leave is also possible (Note 5)		-40
23	When a child enrolled in a licensed nursery school, etc., that is being closed applies for a transfer to another school in the month immediately following the closure due to said closure (If the enrollment month is April, this includes the second-round application for April enrollment. However, this excludes cases where an offer was declined during the first-round application for April enrollment.)		40

Note 1: Index points for Nos. 1, 2, 11, 16, and 17 will only be added for those employed.

Note 2: Nos. 8 and 14 index points cannot be added together. If there is an overlap, only the index points of No. 14 will be added.

Note 3: Nos. 9 and 10 index points cannot be added together. Note 4: Index points for No. 13 are added per parent or guardian Note 5: When applying Nos. 22 and 23, other adjustment index points shall not be applied.

Priority in the Case of the Same Index Points

* Priority will be given in the following order: (1) New residents of Shibuya City (Note 1), (2) Shibuya City residents who are transferring schools, and (3) Persons planning to move into Shibuya City. If (1) through (3) are the same, a comprehensive judgment will be made for the necessity of childcare based on the following ranking.

Rank	Condition
1	Households dependent on public assistance
2	Single parent household
3	Households with high base index points
4	Applicants who wish to have the child attend the same nursery school as their sibling(s) (Limited to cases where No. 9 under Adjustment Index Points is applicable)
5	Applicants who have already returned to work and the child applicant is being looked after for a fee (Limited to cases where No. 8 under Adjustment Index Points is applicable). (Note 2)
6	Households where either of the parents or guardian does not have a situation such as significantly low income compared to hours worked (Using minimum wage as the standard) (Note 3)
7	Status of parent or guardian (primary requirement making childcare necessary) (1) Affected by disaster, (2) Having an illness or disability, (3) Working as a nursery teacher, etc. (Note 4) (4) Working in a role other than what is specified in (3), (5) Have given birth or nursing care, (6) Have an informal job offer, are in school, or are seeking employment
8	Situation of grandparents (1) If the grandparents live separately or in the same household but are unable to care for the child (Excluding cases when the grandparents are seeking employment or have an informal job offer) (2) The grandparents live in the same household (Including residing on the same premises)
9	Households raising multiple children of elementary school age or younger
10	Households in tiers A to D5 (Excluding households with undeclared residents) when the childcare fee tier is determined based on the amount of resident tax in Shibuya City in the previous fiscal year
11	Priority will be given to households continuously registered as residents of Shibuya City for an extended period as of the date of admission. However, if the applicant has moved in and out of Shibuya City during the past 5 years, the total period of resident registration for the past 5 years shall be taken into consideration (Parents or guardians with the more extended period shall be considered as the standard, and if the more extended period of the parents or guardian is the same, the shorter period shall be considered as the standard).

Note 1: Nursery school transfer applications for transfer from a 0 years old (newborn) nursery school to a 1-year-old nursery school (only for 1 year old class) or a nursery school attended by siblings will be handled as "(1) New resident of Shibuya City".

Note 2: Children who fall under No. 5 and are scheduled to graduate from a nursery facility at an upper age limit (such as a 2-year-old child enrolled in a nursery school facility up to the 2-year-old class) will be given priority over other children.

Note 3: No. 6 is determined based on the number of working days and the status of hourly wage payment (using minimum wage as the standard).

Note 4: If either of the parents or guardian works as a nursery school or kindergarten teacher at a licensed nursery school, authorized kodomo-en, Tokyo-certified nursery school, community-based childcare service provider (small-scale childcare, home-based childcare, home-visit childcare, in-office childcare), company-led nursery school business, or unlicensed nursery school facility established by the city as a measure for children on the waiting list (including provisional admission offer). A copy of the Nursery School Teacher's Certificate or Kindergarten Teacher's License and a written claim must be submitted.

Admission Adjustment

[Notes]
The index is determined at the admission adjustment meeting based on the submitted documents. **We cannot inform you of individual index points in advance.**

Regarding the Admission Adjustment Criteria Table

● Details on how admission adjustment index points are calculated

Example 1	Target Person	Situation	Index	Remarks
Base Index Points	Father	Working 5 days a week, 8 hours a day (9:00-17:00)	20 points	
	Mother	Working 5 days a week, 6 hours a day (10:00-16:00)	18 points	
Adjustment Index	Father	Employment record of 6 months or more	1 point	Index number 13
	Mother	Employment record of 6 months or more	1 point	Index number 13
	Household	The child applying is being cared for at an unlicensed childcare facility for a fee	2 points	Index number 8
Total			42 points	

Example 2	Target Person	Situation	Index	Remarks
Base Index Points	Father	Working 5 days a week, 10 hours a day (8:00-18:00)	20 points	
	Mother	Working 6 days a week, 8 hours a day (9:00-17:00)	20 points	
Adjustment Index	Father	Employment record of 6 months or more	1 point	Index number 13
	Mother	Employment record of 6 months or more	1 point	Index number 13
		Mother expected to return to work after maternity or childcare leave	2 points	Index number 14
	Household	Applying to a facility where a sibling is already enrolled	2 points	Index number 9
Total			46 points	

● How adjustment index points are calculated when a parent or guardian uses the reduced working hours system for childcare at the time of application, and how they are calculated when the parent or guardian uses the same system upon returning to work.

If the work pattern is either Example 1 or Example 2 below, the index points will not be lowered and will be calculated based on regular working hours. (However, if you return to work with hours below those listed in the following table at the time of return, your tentative offer will be revoked.)

Example 1	When taking up to 2 hours of reduced working time per day	
	Work type	**Working hours**
	Regular working hours	5 days a week, 8 hours per day (9:00-17:00)
	Working hours with reduced hours for childcare	5 days a week, 6 hours per day (9:00-15:00)
Conclusion	**The index points for regular working hours will be applied. Returning to work with the above childcare hours will not result in the cancellation of the enrollment offer.**	

Example 2	Taking short-day leave up to 1 day per week (working hours remain the same as before returning to work)	
	Work type	**Working hours**
	Regular working hours	5 days a week, 8 hours per day (9:00-17:00)
	Working hours with reduced hours for childcare	4 days a week, 8 hours per day (9:00-17:00)
Conclusion	**The index points for regular working hours will be applied. Returning to work with the above childcare hours will not result in the cancellation of the enrollment offer.**	

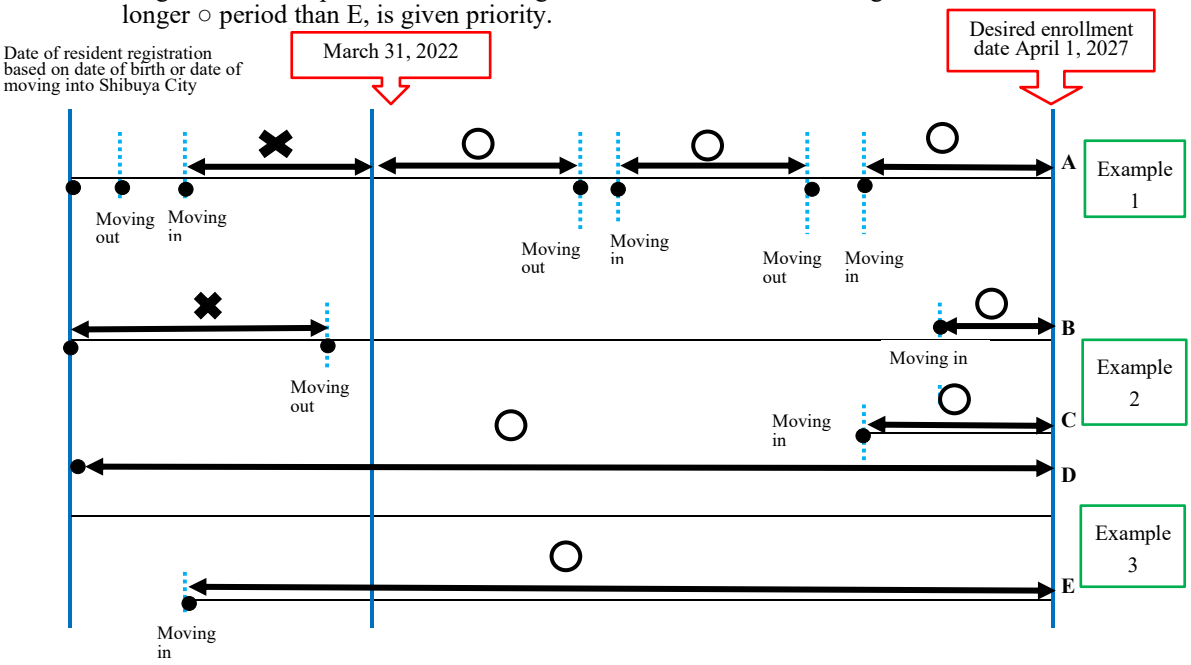
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● If you wish to enroll a sibling in the two months before or after the expected month of childbirth

Taking a 5-day, 8-hour work week as an example, the index points are as follows.
(1) If you return to work immediately after postnatal leave
The application will be based on employment requirements, and the base index points will be calculated according to the number of working days and hours shown in the table on P. 18.
(2) If you take childcare leave for the second child without returning to work after postnatal leave
The application will be based on childbirth requirements, and the mother's base index points will be 8.

● How the period of resident registration is calculated (Rank 11 of priority in the case of the same index points)

Example 1: [If you moved in or out of Shibuya City within the past 5 years from the reference date]
Priority is given to households with a longer total period of resident registration in Shibuya City within the past 5 years (the period marked with ○ in the diagram below).
Example 2: [If you had a period of resident registration in Shibuya City more than 5 years ago from the reference date]
Periods of resident registration in Shibuya City more than 5 years ago (the period marked with × in the diagram below) are not eligible, so C, which has a longer ○ period than B, is given priority.
Example 3: [If you were registered as a resident in Shibuya City for the entire past 5 years from the reference date]
If you were registered as a resident for the entire past 5 years, priority is given to households with a longer continuous period of resident registration. In the case of the diagram below, D, which has a longer ○ period than E, is given priority.



About Childcare Hours/ Period During Which Childcare Can Be Used

Childcare Hours/Opening Hours

As of October 1, 2026

Childcare hours are determined by the nursery **within the opening hours of each nursery, in consultation with the guardian while considering the family's situation, etc.**. It will be the minimum necessary time **within the scope of the childcare requirement (standard childcare hours/shortened childcare hours) stated on the childcare certification.**. If one of the parents or guardians is on holiday from work, even on a day scheduled with the nursery school, please cooperate in taking care of your child at home or within the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the nursery school. In addition, for a brief period following the child's enrollment, the childcare hours will be shortened with a "gradual entry" period for the child to get accustomed to group childcare. Saturday childcare is, in principle, available only for work-related reasons. Nursery schools are closed on Sundays and public holidays.For information on how to use extended-hours childcare at private nursery schools, including the fees and available hours, please contact the nursery school you want to use directly.

Note: Extended childcare hours apply in the case of standard childcare hours.

Facility name			Nursery school opening hours	Extended-hours daycare
City day nursery schools/Public unified childcare facilities			7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Private	Nursery School Usagi-to Kame Nursery School Usagi-to Kame Hills		7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
	Hiroo Jogu Nursery School St. Joseph Nursery School		7:15 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.	6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.
	Sakura Jogu Nursery School Mamabi-no Mori Shibuya MorinoKo Nursery School Jinnan Nishihara Nursery School Yume Ai-Ai Nursery School Hatsudai Honmachi-en Sasahata Nursery School Nishihara Hohoemi Nursery School Plus Kids Nursery School Yoyogi Uehara (Small-scale childcare facility) Ciel Small Nursery Ebisu (Small-scale childcare facility) Nukumori-no-Ouchi Nursery Jingu-en (Small-scale childcare facility)		7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
	Hato-no Mori Nursery School Kids Harmony NEWoMan Kids Harmony Yoyogi-no Mori Hoppel Land Shibuya Sakura-saku Mirai Nishihara Manabi-no Mori Nursery School Hatagaya Global Kids Hatagaya-en Taiyo-no Ko Yoyogi-Nishisando Nursery School Sakura-saku Mirai Sasazuka Yumenoki Nursery School Hatsudai Sakura-saku Mirai Uehara Global Kids Yoyogi Uehara-en Global Kids Yoyogi Hachiman-en Miki Nursery School Kitasando Sendagaya Little Pumpkins Sakura-saku Mirai Hatsudai Hiroo Chitose Nursery School Poppins Nursery School Ebisu-Minami Poppins Nursery School Yoyogi Uehara Benesse Hatagaya Nursery School Mirai-no Capsule Harajuku Nursery School Associe Jingu Kita-Sando Nursery School Benesse Mitake-no-Oka Nursery School		7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
	Shibuya Higashi Chitose Nursery School Tomigaya Chitose Nursery School Sangubashi Chitose Nursery School Minna-no Mirai-wo Tsukuru Nursery School Hatsudai Haru-no Ogawa Chitose Nursery School ChaCha Children Daikanyama		7:15 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.	6:15 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.
	Authorized kodomo-en	Nishihara Little Pumpkins Yoyogi Shisei Kodomo-en Kaoru-kaze Uehara Kodomo-en Jingumae Aozora Kodomo-en Honmachi Kira-kira Kodomo-en Ebisu Nobi-nobi Kodomo-en Honmachi Soyokaze Kodomo-en Machi-no Kodomo-en Yoyogi Uehara Machi-no Kodomo-en Yoyogi Park Shibuya Higashi Shizen-no Kuni Kodomo-en Harajuku nursery school	7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
		Shibuya Honmachi Kodomo-en	7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

*1 St. Joseph Nursery School Nishihara is scheduled to close on March 31, 2027.

*2 Moto-Yoyogi Nursery School is scheduled to undergo reconstruction on-site after relocation from fiscal year 2029 onwards. (Details are undecided. We will inform you as soon as they are decided.)

*3 Tomigaya Nursery School is scheduled to undergo reconstruction on-site after relocation. (Details are undecided. We will inform you as soon as they are decided.)

About Childcare Hours/ Period During Which Childcare Can Be Used

Period During Which a Child Can Attend Nursery School (Operational Period of Childcare)

The period during which attendance is possible at the nursery school is as follows.

After enrollment, annual requirement verification will be conducted. Please refer to "Procedures for Continued Nursery School Enrollment" on P. 33.

Reasons for requiring childcare	Operational period of childcare
Employment (★1)	Up to just before starting elementary school if enrollment requirements are met.
Seeking employment/informal job offer (★2)	For 3 months (the period can be extended by submitting proof of employment, etc., within 2 months after the admission date.)
Childbirth	Required number of months within a maximum of 5 months (including 2 months before and after the expected month of childbirth) For example, if the expected childbirth date is July 25, the required number of months between May and September
Nursing care, illness, etc.	Until nursing care, medical treatment, etc., are no longer required
Enrollment of the applicant in school	During the enrollment period in the school

(★1) If you wish to enroll a sibling within two months before or after the expected month of childbirth

If a parent is employed and the desired month of enrollment for a sibling falls within the two months before or after the expected month of childbirth for the younger child (a total of 5 months), the handling of the application differs depending on the post-childbirth plan.

【If taking childcare leave after maternity leave】

- The application will be based on the "childbirth" requirement. (8 points) The initial childcare period is 5 months, but it will be extended after enrollment is decided.

- If you do not return to work by the end of the fiscal year in which the newborn child turns 2 years old after enrollment, the child will be withdrawn from the nursery.

【If returning to work after maternity leave】

- The application will be based on the "employment" requirement.

- If you are unable to return to work after the end of maternity leave following enrollment, the child will be withdrawn from the nursery.

* For conditions regarding returning to work and necessary procedures, please check the "Declaration Regarding Return to Work".

(★2) If a parent or guardian has secured admission of the child at the nursery school when seeking employment or having received an informal job offer

- If you are unable to start working by the day that marks **2 months after enrollment, you will be withdrawn at the end of the month in which 3 months have passed.** The required amount of childcare is short-time childcare.

-When you start employment, please promptly submit the "Certificate of Employment" (or "Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference" and "Family Situation Form" if you are seeking employment) to the Nursery Division's Admission Information Section.

- If the requirements are met upon verifying the contents of the submitted document, the child will be switched to nursery school enrollment based on employment conditions, and the childcare period will be extended. Even if the applicant has started working, if a "Certificate of Employment" is not submitted within 2 months after the admission date and the situation cannot be confirmed, the child's enrollment will be canceled after 3 months.

- If you have not secured employment within 2 months and still require childcare after that, you must re-apply for use. Please also submit a report on your job-seeking activities to date by the deadline. Depending on the results of the admission adjustment, you may not be able to enroll. Also, **re-application on the grounds of job-seeking or a tentative job offer is limited to once per fiscal year.**

- If you work for a company other than the one where you had a tentative offer, or if your work situation changes, **the tentative offer will be revoked.**

Example: If you enrolled while job-seeking in April, start working by June 1st,and please submit**the certificate of employment promptly**. If it is not submitted, you will be withdrawn at the end of June. To continue the child's enrollment from July onwards, the applicant must submit an admission application for July 1 (the deadline for in-house submission is June 2). (Re-admission is not guaranteed.)

★To Those Who Will Be Entering a Nursery School

Taking childcare leave for a younger child while an older child is enrolled in the nursery school

- Childcare leave is leave taken to provide childcare. Since childcare can be provided at home, the use of licensed nursery schools during childcare leave is not permitted in principle. However, in Shibuya City, in consideration of maintaining the child's childcare environment, we allow the older child to continue enrollment as a special exception only if they meet the following conditions (1) and (2).

(1) If the older child is already enrolled in a licensed nursery school before the birth of the younger child

If the older child is already enrolled in a licensed nursery school before the birth of the younger child, they are eligible for the special exception. In this case, the older child may continue to use the enrolled nursery school until the end of the fiscal year in which the newborn child turns 2 years old.

(2) If you applied for the older child's enrollment based on birth requirements, with the desired enrollment month being within two months before or after the expected month of birth of the younger child, and were enrolled

If you set the desired enrollment month to within two months before or after the expected month of birth of the younger child, applied for the older child's enrollment stating that you "plan to take childcare leave after giving birth," and received a provisional offer based on birth points (8 points), you are also eligible for the special exception. In this case as well, the older child may continue to use the enrolled nursery school until the end of the fiscal year in which the newborn child turns 2 years old.

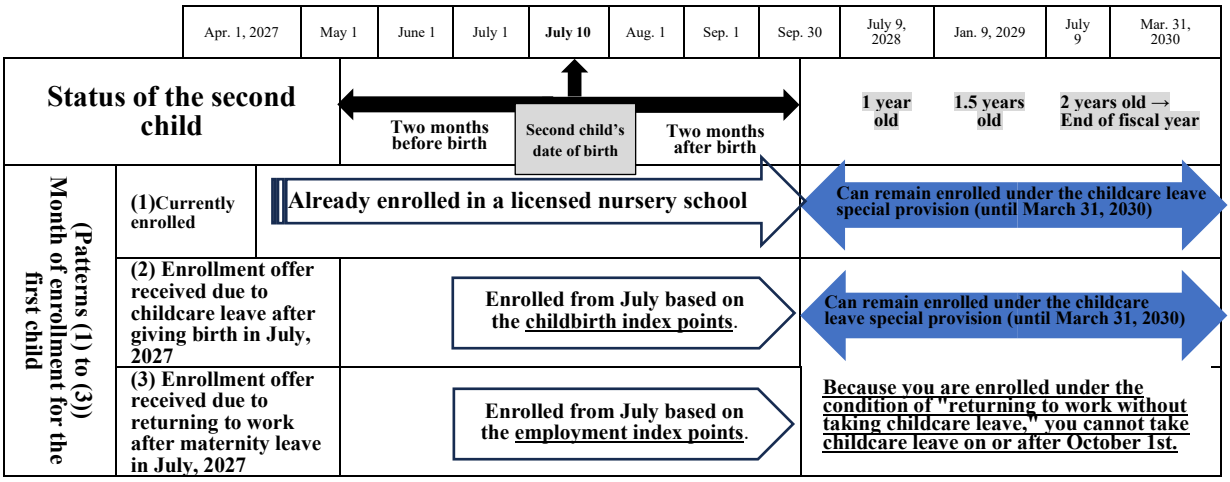
*If a provisional offer of enrollment is not issued by two months after the expected month of birth of the child, the application will be withdrawn. Also, if you apply after the two-month period before or after the expected month of birth, you will not be eligible for this special exception.

(3) If you enrolled on the condition that you would "return to work immediately after maternity leave" within two months before or after the expected month of birth of the younger child

You are not eligible for this special exception. Therefore, if you do not return to work after maternity leave and instead take childcare leave, the older child will be withdrawn from the nursery school. (This is because the provisional offer was based on employment points.)

*During the childcare leave period, you will be certified for short-time childcare, and childcare hours during maternity/paternity leave and childcare leave are generally limited to between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM, so we ask for your cooperation. In addition, extended childcare and Saturday childcare are not available during childcare leave.

Example: A second child is born on July 10, 2027, and there are no changes to the parents' employment status or address.



Withdrawal from the nursery school

- You will be withdrawn from the nursery school if any of the following apply while enrolled. Please submit the notification of withdrawal from nursery school and application for continuation of childcare to the Admission Information Section or the nursery school by the end of the month in which you are withdrawn from the nursery school.**(Can be submitted online, at the counter, or by mail)**. If notification is not received by the due date, you may have to pay the childcare fee for the following month, or your child may not be eligible for other reductions in childcare usage fees.

- Please note that **a withdrawal notice cannot be retracted for any reason**.

(1) If the reason requiring childcare (employment, pregnancy, illness, nursing care, etc.) ceases to exist

(2) If there is no usage for 3 consecutive months or more without a valid reason, or if there is no usage at all in the month when usage is scheduled to begin

(3) If you continuously use other childcare services (non-licensed childcare facilities, international schools, babysitters, etc.) and the licensed nursery school is no longer the primary place of childcare

(4) If usage of the licensed nursery school is extremely low due to lessons, etc.

(5) If you move out of Shibuya City and do not continue to use the same nursery school after moving (if you wish to continue attending, the permitted period of enrollment differs depending on the nursery school and whether you work within Shibuya City.)

Childcare hours / Period during which childcare can be used

Special Case: Use during Summer Break by Children Enrolled in Kindergartens, etc.

- Simultaneous enrollment in both a licensed nursery school and a kindergarten, international school or company-led childcare business is not permitted. However, it is possible to apply to use a licensed nursery school during the summer break period of the kindergarten, etc.
  *To apply, you must meet the requirements for needing childcare (employment, schooling, etc.). **You cannot apply under the job-seeking requirement.**
- In addition to the standard application documents:
  (1) You must submit a summer break use checklist, and (2) a document showing the summer break period (such as a school event calendar).
- Use is on a monthly basis. Even for one month of use, a nursery school gradual entry period will apply, so please act accordingly.
- During the months you use a licensed nursery school, **you cannot receive subsidies for free early childhood education and care associated with the use of kindergartens, etc.** Partial-month (prorated) use is also not available.
- This provision does not apply to other long breaks such as winter break, spring break, or autumn break.
- Please consider carefully before applying, since your child may be unable to participate in summer events at his/her current school.
- The child will be automatically withdrawn from the nursery school at the end of the requested month of use.
- Nursery school use is not permitted while enrolled in a private kindergarten that has switched over to the new child and childcare support system.
  You must withdraw your child from his/her current kindergarten when applying for nursery school.
  [Private kindergartens in Shibuya City under the new system] Shion Kindergarten, Fukuda Kindergarten, Josai Kindergarten, Harajuku Kindergarten, Shibuya Doho Kindergarten, Sasazuka Kindergarten

  Note: If your child is enrolled in a school outside Shibuya City, please contact the school directly.
- Dual enrollment in both a municipal kindergarten and a licensed nursery school is not permitted. **You must withdraw your child from his/her current kindergarten when applying for nursery school.**

When moving out of Shibuya City

In principle, your childcare certification will be revoked and your child will be withdrawn from the nursery school when you move out of Shibuya City. Please submit the "Notification of Withdrawal from Nursery School and Application for Continuation of Childcare". **You can submit a withdrawal notice online, at the counter, or by mail.**
If you want to continue using the same nursery school after moving out, the period of enrollment will differ depending on the type of enrolled nursery school and whether the parent or guardian is working in Shibuya City. Please check below and consult with the Nursery Division's Admission Information Section in advance regarding the necessary procedures.

<table>
<tr><th></th><th>Shibuya City nursery school</th><th>Private nursery school</th><th>Small-scale childcare facility</th><th>Kodomo-en</th><th>Public unified childcare facilities</th><th>City childcare rooms</th><th>Home-visit type</th></tr>
<tr><td>Employed</td><td>Up to enrollment in school</td><td rowspan="2">Up to enrollment in school</td><td rowspan="2">Until enrollment in elementary school (including affiliated nursery schools) *1</td><td rowspan="2">Until the end of the month in which the moving out date falls *2</td><td rowspan="2">Until the end of the month in which the moving out date falls *3</td><td colspan="2" rowspan="2">Until the end of the month in which the moving out date falls</td></tr>
<tr><td>Not employed</td><td>Until the end of the academic year in which the moving out date falls</td></tr>
</table>

***1** If you are enrolled in Nukumori no Ouchi Hoiku Jinguen, a small-scale childcare business, you cannot use Shibuya Nursery School as an affiliated nursery school after moving out.

***2** The maximum enrollment period for an authorized Kodomo-en may be limited to the end of the fiscal year, depending on adjustments regarding operating expenses, etc., with the municipality or facility to which you are moving.

***3** The maximum length of enrollment in a public unified childcare facility may be up to the end of the academic year for reasons such as there being no vacancies in the childcare facility of the municipality to which the child is transferred.

Click here for the online application for withdrawal from the nursery.

About Change in Situation after Admission

Job Change, Resignation, Pregnancy/Childbirth, Marriage/Divorce, and Other Changes in Circumstances

Nursery schools are facilities that care for children who cannot be cared for at home. Even after enrollment in the nursery school, the condition that the child cannot receive care at home is a requirement for continued enrollment in the nursery school.

After the child is enrolled in the nursery school, we may contact your employer to find out about your employment situation.

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Documents to be Submitted in the Event of a Change in Situation After Admission

Submission Method		**Please confirm with your current nursery school and submit it to the Admission Information Section of the Nursery Division. (In-person or by mail)**
Change in family situation		Necessary documents
Change in employment status	Change of occupation	1. Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference 2. Family Situation Form 3. Certificate of Employment (Date of certification should be after the commencement date of work) 4. A document showing the resignation date (Copy of any one of the following: Employee release form, certificate of loss of eligibility for health insurance, withholding tax statement, etc.) * For self-employed individuals, etc., a copy of one of the following documents must be submitted: a certified copy of the commercial registration (certificate of all historical matters), a notification of opening a business, or a business license. In addition, please submit a copy of your income verification for three months at a later date. If you are self-employed, a certified copy of the register (certificate of complete historical records), a notice of opening the business, a business license, etc., must be submitted. Also, please submit a copy of income proof for 3 months later. * For outsourced work, please submit a copy of the service agreement in addition to the above documents.
	Separation from employment	1. Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference 2. Written Claim for Job Search Activities 3. A document showing the resignation date (Copy of any of the following: Employee release form, certificate of loss of eligibility for health insurance, withholding tax statement, etc.) * If you do not engage in job-seeking activities and your requirement for childcare usage is no longer applicable, the child's enrollment will be canceled. * During the period of job-seeking activities, you will be certified for short-time childcare. If you do not begin employment or do not submit the required notification within two months of your resignation date, your child's enrollment in the nursery school will be terminated at the end of the month in which three months have elapsed since your resignation date.
School attendance		1. Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference 2. Family Situation Form 3. Copy of certificate of enrollment 4. Copy of the curriculum, etc. of the class (with the number of class hours and timetable written)
Pregnancy		1. Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference (Fill in (1) of the childbirth column) 2. Copy of the Maternal and Child Health Handbook (cover page and page showing the expected date of childbirth)
Avail maternity and childcare leave		Childcare change notification (Fill in (2) in the childbirth section of the change notification) Please refer to page 24, "Taking childcare leave for a younger child while an older child is enrolled in the nursery," for details.
Change in household status	Marriage	1. Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference 2. Family Situation Form 3. Documents confirming spouse's childcare requirements (Certificate of Employment, etc.)
	Divorce	1. Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference 2. Document of divorce (Copy of all items of the Family Register Certificate, copy of the Acceptance of Divorce Notification Certificate, etc.)
Moving to a new address within Shibuya City		Notification for Change of Childcare Facility Preference
Moving to a new address outside Shibuya City		Notification of Withdrawal from Nursery School and Application for Continuation of Childcare *See page 25 for details Online application is available.

* Please fill in **only the changed information** on the childcare change notification and family status form when submitting them.

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Childcare Fees

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Childcare Fee

Inquiries: General Affairs Section, Childcare Division ☎3463-1211

● Free childcare for first child and childcare fees

Starting in September 2025, in line with the Tokyo Metropolitan Government's policy of free childcare for the first child, childcare fees will be waived for all children residing in Shibuya City who attend licensed nursery facilities. Parents/guardians will therefore not be responsible for childcare fees.

Notes:

1. This policy does not cover extended-hours childcare fees, educational material fees, and event fees.

2. Fees for children who live outside Shibuya City but attend licensed nursery facilities within the city may vary, depending on the municipal government administering your residence.
(Please note this especially if you reside outside Tokyo.)

3. Under the national system, childcare fees are waived starting from the three-year-old class.

● Notice regarding calculation of childcare fee tiers

With the start of the Tokyo Metropolitan Government's free child-care policy for the first child, parents/guardians will generally not be responsible for childcare fees in Shibuya City either.

However, some administrative processes—such as the calculation of extended-hours daycare fees—still require information on childcare fee tiers.

Parents/guardians who have moved to Shibuya City from another municipality or from overseas and whose taxation information cannot be confirmed are therefore asked to submit the following documents:

- Tax certificate (or certificate of tax exemption) from your previous place of residence
- Documents verifying overseas income (such as a certificate of salary payment, annual earnings report)

● Reduction of extended-hours childcare fees (only available upon application)

The childcare fee reduction system may be applicable if an applicant's income has decreased due to a change in family situation, etc., or if a person has a severe physical or mental disability in the same household. Generally, the payment level will be lowered by one tier starting the month after application submission. For more information, please get in touch with the General Affairs Section, Childcare Division.

● School lunch fee

Under the national system, parents or guardians are responsible for bearing the cost of school lunches (Staple and side meal expenses) for children in the 3-5-year-old class. In Shibuya City, however, school lunches are covered by public funds, so parents or guardians are not required to pay.

Childcare Fees

Monthly Childcare Fees (Public and private day nurseries, public unified childcare facilities (long-term), authorized kodomo-en (long-term), and community-run childcare facilities)

As of October 1, 2026

Tier	Total resident tax of all parents or guardians			0-2 years old class			3-5 years old class
				Basic childcare fee	Reduced childcare fee	Reduction rate	
A	Households on public assistance, foster family, etc.			0	**0**	100%	0
B	Households exempt from municipal resident tax			0	**0**		0
C	Households that are taxed only at a flat rate municipal resident tax			1,900	**0**		0
D 1	Households subject to municipal resident tax based on income	Amount of municipal resident tax based on income is	Less than 5,000 yen	3,300	**0**		0
D 2		5,000 yen or more	Less than 20,000 yen	4,100	**0**		0
D 3		20,000 yen or more	Less than 50,000 yen	4,700	**0**		0
D 4		50,000 yen or more	Less than 80,000 yen	7,700	**0**		0
D 5		80,000 yen or more	Less than 110,000 yen	9,500	**0**		0
D 6		110,000 yen or more	Less than 140,000 yen	10,700	**0**		0
D 7		140,000 yen or more	Less than 165,000 yen	11,800	**0**		0
D 8		165,000 yen or more	Less than 190,000 yen	12,700	**0**		0
D 9		190,000 yen or more	Less than 215,000 yen	13,700	**0**		0
D 10		215,000 yen or more	Less than 240,000 yen	14,600	**0**		0
D 11		240,000 yen or more	Less than 265,000 yen	15,500	**0**		0
D 12		265,000 yen or more	Less than 290,000 yen	16,200	**0**		0
D 13		290,000 yen or more	Less than 310,000 yen	17,100	**0**		0
D 14		310,000 yen or more	Less than 330,000 yen	24,900	**0**		0
D 15		330,000 yen or more	Less than 350,000 yen	26,000	**0**		0
D 16		350,000 yen or more	Less than 360,000 yen	26,900	**0**		0
D 17		360,000 yen or more	Less than 370,000 yen	28,000	**0**		0
D 18		370,000 yen or more	Less than 420,000 yen	43,400	**0**		0
D 19		420,000 yen or more	Less than 470,000 yen	48,900	**0**		0
D 20		470,000 yen or more	Less than 520,000 yen	53,700	**0**		0
D 21		520,000 yen or more	Less than 620,000 yen	57,500	**0**		0
D 22		620,000 yen or more	Less than 840,000 yen	61,500	**0**		0
D 23		840,000 yen or more	Less than 1,200,000 yen	65,800	**0**		0
D 24		1,200,000 yen or more		70,400	**0**		0

* Applicant will pay the “Reduced childcare fee”.Childcare fees will be free of charge for all income levels.
* Childcare fees are the same for both standard and short-term.

Extended-hours Childcare

How to apply

- Extended-hours childcare is provided at all nursery schools in Shibuya City for children aged 1 year and older.
- Extended-hours childcare is provided when childcare is required beyond the normal childcare hours due to the parent or guardian's employment.

(See "Extended-hours Childcare Fees" on P. 22 for extended-hours childcare)

* The number of children who can avail of extended-hours childcare is limited. Please check with each nursery school in advance, as the service may not be available if there are no vacancies or depending on your child's circumstances (for example, if your child has not yet completed weaning).

* If extended-hours childcare is required, an application must be submitted separately (including a transfer application from nursery school).

<table>
<tr><th rowspan="2">Facility type</th><th colspan="2">Monthly extended-hours childcare
Scheme enabling extended-hours childcare on a monthly basis **1**</th><th colspan="2">Spot extended-hours childcare
Up to 10 days per month.
Scheme enabling extended-hours childcare on days require</th><th rowspan="2">Extended-hours childcare fee</th></tr>
<tr><th>Application</th><th>Others</th><th>Application</th><th>Others</th></tr>
<tr><td>City day nursery schools</td><td rowspan="2">(1) Extended-hours daycare application form
(2) Documents to prove that extended daycare is required (Certificate of Employment, etc.) **2**
Submit the above 2 documents to the nursery school by the application deadline.</td><td rowspan="2">Please apply if you expect to use the service for more than 11 days per month.
Only available for residents of Shibuya City. **3**
Admission adjustment is done by the Nursery Division's Admission Information Section</td><td rowspan="2">Please apply directly to the nursery school where your child is enrolled.</td><td rowspan="2">Available for children from outside Shibuya City.
There is a daily usage limit.</td><td rowspan="3">See P. 31 for the fee determined by Shibuya City</td></tr>
<tr><td>Public unified childcare facility
(Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en)</td></tr>
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(Sanya Kakinomi-en)</td><td colspan="2">Please inquire directly with the nursery school. Please apply directly to the enrolled nursery school after deciding on the nursery school.</td><td colspan="2"></td></tr>
<tr><td>Private day nursery schools</td><td colspan="2" rowspan="3">Requirements for each nursery school are different.
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<tr><td>Authorized kodomo-en</td></tr>
<tr><td>Small-scale childcare services</td></tr>
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***1** If extended-hours childcare is no longer required due to a change in employment status, childbirth, etc., after the start of monthly extended-hours childcare, please submit a withdrawal notification to the nursery school at the earliest.

***2** The certificate is not required to be submitted if a certificate dated September 15, 2026, or later has been submitted and its content has not changed from the current status.

***3** If you have been using the service before moving out of Shibuya City, you may continue to use the service as needed.

Deadline for extended-hours daycare

Start month	Deadline	Start month	Deadline
April	March 19 (Fri)	September	August 23 (Mon)
May	April 22 (Thu)	October	September 22 (Wed)
June	May 21 (Fri)	November	October 22 (Fri)
July	June 21 (Mon)	December	November 19 (Fri)
August	July 22 (Thu)	January	December 17 (Fri)

If the child is enrolled in a licensed nursery school outside Shibuya City

To find out if extended daycare is available, please inquire with the municipality having jurisdiction over the nursery school where the child is enrolled.

Extended-hours Childcare

Extended-hours Childcare Fees (City Day nursery schools, public unified childcare facilities [long-term])

As of October 1, 2026

Tier	Total resident tax of all parents or guardians			Extended 1 hour (monthly)			Spot (Daily amount)
				0-2 years old class	3 years old class	4-5 years old class	
A	Households on public assistance, foster family, etc.			0	0	0	0
B	Households exempt from municipal resident tax			0	0	0	0
C	Taxable households that are subject to only flat rate municipal resident tax			600	600	600	200
D1	Households subject to municipal resident tax based on income	Amount of municipal resident tax based on income is	Less than 5,000 yen	600	600	600	200
D2		5,000 yen or more	Less than 20,000 yen	600	600	600	200
D3		20,000 yen or more	Less than 50,000 yen	600	600	600	200
D4		50,000 yen or more	Less than 80,000 yen	700	600	600	200
D5		80,000 yen or more	Less than 110,000 yen	900	600	600	200
D6		110,000 yen or more	Less than 140,000 yen	1,000	700	700	200
D7		140,000 yen or more	Less than 165,000 yen	1,100	700	700	200
D8		165,000 yen or more	Less than 190,000 yen	1,200	800	800	200
D9		190,000 yen or more	Less than 215,000 yen	1,300	900	900	200
D10		215,000 yen or more	Less than 240,000 yen	1,400	900	900	200
D11		240,000 yen or more	Less than 265,000 yen	1,500	1,000	900	200
D12		265,000 yen or more	Less than 290,000 yen	1,600	1,000	900	200
D13		290,000 yen or more	Less than 310,000 yen	1,700	1,100	900	200
D14		310,000 yen or more	Less than 330,000 yen	2,400	1,500	1,200	200
D15		330,000 yen or more	Less than 350,000 yen	2,600	1,500	1,200	200
D16		350,000 yen or more	Less than 360,000 yen	2,600	1,500	1,200	200
D17		360,000 yen or more	Less than 370,000 yen	2,800	1,500	1,200	200
D18		370,000 yen or more	Less than 420,000 yen	4,300	2,200	1,800	200
D19		420,000 yen or more	Less than 470,000 yen	4,800	2,200	1,800	200
D20		470,000 yen or more	Less than 520,000 yen	5,300	2,200	1,800	200
D21		520,000 yen or more	Less than 620,000 yen	5,700	2,200	1,800	200
D22		620,000 yen or more	Less than 840,000 yen	6,100	2,400	1,900	200
D23		840,000 yen or more	Less than 1,200,000 yen	6,500	2,400	1,900	200
D24		1,200,000 yen or more		7,000	2,400	1,900	200

* Extended-hours childcare fee is the same for standard and shortened childcare hours.
* **Kindly reach out directly to the respective nursery schools, as the fees for extended-hours childcare vary among private day nursery schools and authorized kodomo-en**
* Extended-hours childcare fees can be paid by automatic bank transfer.

Extended-hours Childcare

Payment method

Childcare fees are to be paid by bank transfer.
In addition to using a “Bank Account Transfer Request Form” at the service counter of your financial institution, you can also use the online bank account transfer service available on the city website. Please see the Shibuya City website for information on transferring fees online from your bank account (please note that some financial institutions do not support this service).
“Bank Account Transfer Request Form” is also available at every nursery school, so please complete the necessary procedures at your financial institution. Persons who complete the transfer procedure will receive the “Payment Notification (Direct Debit)”. Until a bank transfer is initiated, please use a payment slip to pay the childcare fees at a financial institution (Bank, Japan Post Bank, etc.), a branch office, or the service counter at the Childcare Division.

Please ensure you have sufficient funds to pay the monthly childcare fees in your registered account. Those who fail to pay childcare fees without justifiable reason will be subject to disposition for delinquency (withholding of salaries, etc.) following laws and regulations. Please be mindful not to forget the payment.
*The due date for payment and the date for bank transfer are at the end of each month (or the next business day if this day falls on a bank holiday).
* Childcare fees for authorized Kodomo-en and community-based childcare service facilities should be paid directly to the facility.

▼Click here to apply for direct debit▼

For Those Who Enter Nursery School

Distribution of Information After Admission to the Nursery School

Shibuya childcare mail

In preparation for disasters such as large earthquakes and typhoons, Shibuya City operates an emergency mail delivery system to communicate with the parent or guardian regarding safety confirmation of the child, parent or guardian and to pick up the children. The parents or guardians of children enrolled in Public and private day nurseries, public unified childcare facilities, authorized Kodomo-en, city childcare rooms and certified nurseries are covered. If the Seismic Intensity is Weak 5 or above, emergency emails will be sent simultaneously regarding confirmation of safety and to pick up the children.

Childcare support system (City day nursery schools, public unified childcare facilities, temporary childcare rooms of city day nursery schools)

City day nursery schools, public unified childcare facilities, and temporary childcare rooms of city day nursery schools of Shibuya City use “CoDMON”, released by CoDMON, Inc., as a communication tool between parents and nursery schools. The main functions used are time management for arrival and departure from the nursery school, contact list distribution function, and notification distribution function.

Procedure for Continued Nursery School Enrollment

- Around January of each year, you will be asked to submit documents online (such as a certificate of employment for parents/guardians) to confirm your intention to continue attending the nursery school for the next fiscal year and to verify the necessity of childcare (enrollment requirements). Please submit these documents online.
- Please note that if the necessary documents are not submitted by the deadline, it will be assumed that you do not intend to continue attending, and you will be withdrawn from the nursery school.

Other Nursery School Facilities in Shibuya City

City Childcare Rooms

These are unlicensed childcare facilities established by the city to address the issue of children on waiting lists, the management of which is outsourced to private operators.

Facilities/Childcare hours

Nursery name	Address	Telephone number	Nursery school opening hours
Daikanyama Ebisunishi	2-15-12 Ebisunishi	3461-1473	**Monday-Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. (extended hours: 7:30 p.m.)** **Saturday: 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.** *** Extended hours are available only for children at least 1 year old.**
Oyama Nursery	2-53-13 Nishihara Yoyogi Oyama Park	3460-1360	

- **Operational period of childcare**
  - The operation period will follow the criteria for licensed nursery schools (see P. 23). However, as a temporary facility for waitlisted children, **the enrolment period will extend until the end of the fiscal year.**
- **Childcare hours**
  - Childcare hours are determined within the opening hours to provide the minimum childcare hours required, considering the working hours of the parent or guardian, commuting time, and family situation.
  - We kindly request your cooperation as the child will have a "gradual entry" period for approximately 1 to 2 weeks from the admission date.
  - Limited number of children can be accommodated on Saturday.

Eligibility for admission

- Classes for 0- to 5-year-old
- Parents or guardians and children should be residents of Shibuya City and placed on the waiting list of a licensed nursery school. (Access will be terminated if the family moves out of Shibuya City.)
- Families residing outside Shibuya City have applied as they plan to relocate to Shibuya City, and the children have been placed on the waiting list.

Application process

- Applications cannot be submitted independently to city childcare rooms. When applying, please fill in the name of the nursery room in the "Preferred nursery room" field of the "Application for Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate and Application for Nursery School Admission" (Shibuya City form) in addition to the licensed nursery school.

Notes for application

- **Selection method**
  - Applicants are selected from those on the waiting list after the admission adjustment meeting. If the number of applications exceeds the capacity, selection will be based on the admission adjustment criteria for the licensed nursery schools.
- **Announcement of results**
  - Those accepted will receive a "Provisional Admission Notification" and" Enrolment Guide", while those who have not been accepted will receive a "Waitlisted Status Notification" by post at their home address.
- **Declining a provisional admission offer**
  - If you decline a provisional admission offer to a city childcare room, you will not be eligible to use the Tokyo Metropolitan Government Babysitter Support Program (Business Partnership Model) (See P. 50) for children on waiting lists.

Other Nursery School Facilities in Shibuya City

- **Termination on receiving provisional admission from a licensed nursery school**
  - After enrollment in a city childcare room, admission adjustment will continue for the child in a licensed nursery school. If an applicant receives provisional admission to a licensed nursery school, admission to the nursery room will be terminated automatically. Even if the provisional admission is declined, enrollment cannot be continued in the nursery room.

- **When availing of childcare leave during the enrollment period**
  - Childcare hours during maternity leave are, in principle, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
  - If a parent or guardian using a city childcare room due to employment gives birth to a younger child and takes childcare leave, the older child may continue to use the city childcare room they are currently using until the end of the usage period (at the latest, the end of the fiscal year).
  - **Even if the younger child cannot enter a licensed nursery school and is placed on a waiting list, returning to work is required to continue using the city childcare room for the older child.** If you apply for a licensed nursery school together with your younger child in the first round of April enrollment for the next fiscal year, and your younger child is placed on a waiting list, your older child may continue to use the city childcare room on the condition that you have returned to work.

Monthly childcare fee

Starting in September 2025, in line with the Tokyo Metropolitan Government's policy of free childcare for the first child, childcare fees for city childcare rooms, based on licensed nursery school fees, will be waived for all children residing in the city who attend licensed nursery facilities.

Note: A monthly fee of 4,000 yen will be charged for extended-hours daycare after 6:30 p.m., however.

Other Childcare Facilities in Shibuya City

Home-visit Childcare Services (For Children on the Waiting List)

Home-visit childcare is a one-to-one home-based childcare service for children residing in Shibuya City.

Please read this section and apply after understanding the business details. Also, check the city website (QR code below)

* This is different from the babysitter usage support project for children on waiting lists (babysitter business operator cooperation type) implemented by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government (see page 50).

Eligible children

Among children who have applied for licensed nursery schools and are placed on the waiting list (limited to those residing in Shibuya City), those of the age corresponding to the 0-2 years old class, who have preferred home-based childcare, are selected based on the selection criteria of licensed nursery schools.
Those using nursery rooms may also apply, but the service cannot be combined with nursery rooms.

▼Shibuya City Website▼

Application process

- **You cannot apply for home-visit childcare independently.**
  The application must be submitted along with that for a licensed nursery school.
- Please mention “Home Visit” in the space provided for preferred nursery rooms on the admission form.

Important point regarding starting date of use

- Since it takes about one month from the provisional decision of use to the start of use, **the actual start date of use may be one month later than the initial desired enrollment date.** (Excluding those starting in April)

Duration of enrollment

- It cannot be used while both parents or either of them are on childcare leave.
- The last day of the fiscal year that includes the month when you start attending nursery school. However, if you are given provisional admission to a licensed nursery school during the academic year, your use of the home-visit childcare will automatically terminate on the last day of the month before the month of provisional admission.
- If you move out of the city or withdraw your application to a licensed nursery, the home-visit childcare will be terminated.
- After you start using the home-visit childcare for employment reasons, if your second child is born and you avail of childcare leave, your use of the home-visit childcare service will be terminated at the end of the month 2 months after the expected month of delivery.

Fees

- There is no childcare fee for regular childcare hours.
  * In the case of extended-hours childcare, a fee specified separately by the operating company will be charged.
- If the number of usage days per month is 18 days or less, no transportation expenses will be incurred. If the number of usage days is 19 days or more, some transportation expenses will be incurred. Please contact us for details.
  * The childcare personnel may use a cab if public transportation is interrupted, in which case, the cab fare has to be paid.

Hours of use (childcare hours)

- Regular childcare hours are as follows, according to the type of childcare hours required on the Approval Certificate.
  Hours of use will be regular working hours plus commute time within the following limits.

Type of childcare hours required	Hours of use (Monday to Saturday, excluding public holidays and year-end and New Year holidays)
Childcare standard hours	7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Shortened childcare hours	8 hours between 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

* If childcare is required beyond regular childcare hours, it will be treated as extended-hours childcare, in which case the time limit is 8:30 p.m.
* Childcare service will end when any one of the parents or guardians returns home.
* The childcare provider can be dispatched only on the day and time when parents or guardians and family members are not present at home (except when the service is used because parents are working from home, are sick, or providing nursing care).
* Childcare cannot be provided at the same time to siblings who may be present at home or have returned home. Furthermore, a fee specified separately by the operating company will be charged for children in the third year of elementary school or younger, even if they are in a separate room.

Other Childcare Facilities in Shibuya City

Childcare activities, etc.

- Childcare personnel receive training for the home-visit childcare service and are recognized by the Mayor as having knowledge and experience equivalent to that of nursery school teachers. The childcare activities will be at the discretion of the operating company. Also, the childcare personnel will be selected by the operating company.
- This service differs from that of usual babysitters. You cannot use this service only when you want to or only for certain tasks.
- Childcare cannot be provided in the same room if parents, guardians or family members work from home. Also, a separate room has to be used for breaks (lunch, etc.) during working hours.

Declining a provisional admission offer

- If you decline a provisional admission offer to a home-visit child-care service, you will not be eligible to use the Tokyo Metropolitan Government Babysitter Use Support Program (Business Partnership Model) for children on waiting lists.

Others

- Lunch (including baby food, frozen mother's milk, and powdered milk) and snacks are to be prepared by the parents or guardian.

Childcare personnel can warm the food using a microwave oven at home but cannot cook meals.

* The operating company will not provide meals, and meal fees will not be deducted from the usage fee.

- This service cannot be used if the environment at home, such as the size of the home, is not conducive for childcare.

- Household work is beyond the scope of the service.

- The childcare personnel cannot be dispatched to places other than your home in Shibuya City.

- If you have a pet, please keep the pet in a cage during childcare hours.

- During your interview, the operating company will ask you how to spend time in the room, points to remember, and rooms where entry is not permitted. In the unlikely event that an item in your home is damaged during childcare due to the negligence of the childcare personnel, the operating company will compensate. However, a guarantee is not offered against any damage to toys or strollers due to aging.

Operating company

- Poppins FamilyCare Inc. (Contact: 0120-27-2100)

Other Childcare Facilities in Shibuya City

▼Shibuya City Website▼

Home-visit Childcare Services (For Children with disabilities)

● Eligible children

- Children aged between 1 year and elementary school age (consultation required for 0-year-old) who need childcare, as well as medical care, for whom group childcare is deemed significantly difficult considering the degree of disability, illness, etc., and for whom childcare is considered feasible after an interview with the operating company.

* This service is mainly for children, including those with moderate physical disabilities, those with intellectual disabilities, and those with severe mental or physical disabilities (it can also be used for children requiring tube feeding, nasal feeding, gastrostomy tube, or enterostomy tube).
* Please inquire with the operating company about children who have undergone a tracheostomy and those with respiratory diseases requiring ventilators.

(Scan this QR code to visit the website →)

● Operating company

- NPO Florence “Annie home-visit childcare service for children with disabilities

● Application process

- Please contact the Admission Information Section, Nursery Division, before applying.

-You are also required to apply to the operating company. Please check the website of the operating company.

● Fees

・There is no childcare fee.

・Actual expenses such as transportation costs for childcare staff will be incurred.

● Usage plan

	Childcare Staff Plan	Joint Childcare Plan	Nurse Plan
Visiting Staff	Childcare Staff	Childcare Staff	Nurse
Care Hours	Monday to Friday (up to 5 days) 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (up to 8 hours)	Monday to Friday (up to 5 days) 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (individual consultation within 8-hour period)	Monday to Friday (3 to 4 days per week) 3 to 4 hours between 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. or 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Other Information	A visiting nurse makes regular rounds during childcare hours to help ensure safe childcare.	A parent or guardian must remain at home (e.g., working from home) during childcare hours and provide any medical care that childcare staff are unable to handle.	Childcare is available for up to twelve hours per week.
Types of medical care that can be provided	Suctioning of phlegm, tube feeding	Suctioning of phlegm, tube feeding Handled by parent/guardian: ventilator operation, CV catheterization	Suctioning of phlegm, tube feeding, ventilator operation, tracheostomy care, CV catheterization, urinary catheterization

* There is no extended childcare.

* In some cases, home-visiting or rounding nurses may be able to handle catheterization.

● Meals, etc.

- Parents or guardians are responsible for preparing meals. For details, please check with the operating company.

Other Childcare Facilities in Shibuya City

Public Unified Childcare Facilities

These facilities are established by the city following its ordinances and comprise licensed nursery schools, kindergartens, and unlicensed childcare facilities. In addition to children needing childcare (extended hours childcare), these facilities provide short- and medium-term childcare for children aged 4-5 years.
For **extended-hours childcare**, the hours are the same as those at city day nursery schools, and childcare is provided free of charge. In addition, the application and admission adjustment procedures are the same as those for licensed nursery schools. However, 4- and 5-year-old children are considered kindergarten children, for whom specific expenses are required, such as fees for teaching materials, PTA meetings, etc.

* The application procedure for **short- and medium-term childcare** is explained separately.
For details, please check the website of "Shibuya City Kindergarten and Public Unified Childcare Facilities" or the website of Shibuya City.

● Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en

Facility Name	Target Class	Location
Sendagaya Nursery School	(0-2 years old)	Nursery school building (3-34-9 Sendagaya)
Sendagaya Nursery School Branch	(3 years old)	Kindergarten building (Sendagaya Elementary School, 2-4-1 Sendagaya) (Childcare is provided in the nursery school building on Saturdays)
Sendagaya Kindergarten	(4-5 years old)	

The facility comprises the above 3 nursery schools.

● Sanya Kakinomi-en

This facility comprises an unlicensed childcare facility (1-3-year-olds) and Sanya Kindergarten (4-5-year-olds)

A specialized vendor provides meals.

● How to apply for short- and medium-hours childcare

Desired Month of Enrollment	Application deadline	How to apply	Remarks
April enrollment	By the end of October in the previous fiscal year	Please apply directly at the unified childcare facility you wish to enroll your child in.	
from May to February of the following year	By the 25th of the month prior to the desired month of enrollment	Submit your application to the Admission Information Section of the Nursery Division in person, by mail, or online	Applications will be accepted if there are vacancies as of the last day of the month two months before the month of enrollment.

*For the childcare hours and fees, please check the city website (QR code in bottom right)

▼Short/Medium-term Childcare Application Page▼

▼Application Guide▼

Other Childcare Facilities in Shibuya City

Small-Scale Childcare Services

- This is a childcare facility approved by Shibuya City for children in the 0-2 year old class.
- From the 3-year-old class onwards, children can advance to a pre-designated partner facility (advancement destination), so there is no need to apply for a nursery school again.
- The methods for application and admission adjustment, childcare hours, etc., are the same as those for licensed nursery schools. There is no childcare fee.
- If you move from Shibuya City to another municipality, your child can remain enrolled until reaching school age (including partner nursery schools). For details, please check "Moving out of Shibuya city" on P. 25.

Small-scale childcare facilities	Partner facilities	
Plus Kids Nursery School Yoyogi Uehara (1-25-1 Uehara)	Sakura-saku Mirai Uehara	(3-37-9 Uehara)
	Global Kids Yoyogi Uehara-en	(3-15-10 Nishihara)
	Global Kids Yoyogi Hachiman-en	(5-7-2 Yoyogi)
Nukumori no Ouchi Nursery Jinguen (2F, 2-2-39 Jingumae)	Shibuya City Nursery School - Can be designated only by residents of Shibuya City or those who plan to move in	(3-18-8 Jingumae)
	Miki Nursery School Kitasando	(3-21-5 Sendagaya)
Ciel Small Nursery, Ebisu (1-34-11-101 Ebisu)	Poppins Nursery School Ebisu-Minami	(3-11-25 Ebisu Minami)

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Plus Kids Nursery School Yoyogi Uehara
Nukumori no Ouchi Nursery Jinguen } **Notes on applying to these facilities**

- For children 3 years old and above, apply by specifying the partner facility (for advancement to the next grade).
- **When applying, please specify the partner facility (advancement destination) for the 3-year-old class and beyond.** When applying, indicate your preference order for the partner facilities listed on the "Application for Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate and Application for Nursery School Admission" (on the reverse side).
- The quota is determined separately for each partner facility. **Admission adjustment is conducted including the quota of the desired partner facility,** so a provisional offer is made only if there is a vacancy in the quota of the desired partner facility.
  Therefore, if there are no vacancies in the quota of the desired partner facility, you cannot be offered a place even if there are vacancies in the small-scale childcare facility. Please carefully consider the order of preference for partner facilities before filling out the form.
- After enrollment (provisional offer), if you wish to change the partner facility, you must **submit a childcare change notification.**

● **Ciel Small Nursery, Ebisu**

- From the 3-year-old class, all children will be enrolled in Poppins Nursery School Ebisu-Minami.

- When applying, please check the Partner Facilities column on the "Application for Education and Childcare Benefit Certificate and Application for Nursery School Admission" (on the reverse side).

Unlicensed Childcare Facilities

Other Nursery School Facilities

Tokyo-certified Nursery Schools

(Please see P. 57 for a list of Tokyo-certified nursery schools in Shibuya City.)
Childcare facilities certified by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government under its standards to meet urban childcare needs. Facilities that provide care for children up to 5 years old, and facilities that provide care for children up to 2 years old are available.
* Applications are made at each facility.
* Eligible for childcare fee reduction (see P. 42)
  For facilities within Shibuya City, the basic subsidy amount for the month is deducted from the monthly childcare fee.

▼Scan below for list of Tokyo-certified nursery schools in Tokyo▼

▼Scan below for vacancies in Tokyo-certified nursery schools▼

Company-led Childcare Business

These nursery school facilities are established by companies that voluntarily accept children from other companies and the community.
A list of company-led childcare facilities in Tokyo is available on the website of the Bureau of Social Welfare of the Tokyo Metropolitan Government.

* Vacancies at company-led childcare facilities in the city are posted on the Shibuya City website. (Right QR code)
* Applications are made at each facility.
* Eligible for childcare fee reduction (some facilities only. See P. 42)

▼Availability of company-led childcare in Shibuya City▼

Other Unlicensed Nursery Facilities

A list of unlicensed childcare facilities in Tokyo is available on the Bureau of Social Welfare website of the Tokyo Metropolitan Government.
* Applications are made at each facility.
* Eligible for childcare fee reduction (some facilities only. See P. 42)
* Please check each city's website for cities with Child Guidance Centers (Minato City, Setagaya City, Nakano City, etc.)

▼List of unlicensed childcare facilities▼
(Bureau of Social Welfare, Tokyo Metropolitan Government)

Specified Child and Child-rearing Support Facilities, etc.

These are facilities and businesses that have applied to Shibuya City and have been "confirmed" as "Child and Child-rearing Support Facilities, etc."
Confirmed facilities, etc., are eligible for free early childhood education and childcare, and will be published on the Shibuya City's website.
The eligible facilities are as follows:

- Unlicensed childcare facilities (including Tokyo-certified nursery schools)
- Home-visit childcare providers (babysitters)
- Temporary childcare services
- Sick and convalescent child care services
- Family Support Center services
- Childcare at kindergartens, etc.

* Eligible for childcare fee reduction (see P. 42)

▼List of Specified Child and Child-rearing Support Facilities, etc.▼
(Shibuya City website)

Reduction of Childcare Fees for Unlicensed Childcare Facilities (Free early childhood education and childcare)

[Inquiries] Childcare Management Section, Nursery Division ☎ 3463-1211

Shibuya City implements reductions for childcare fees at Tokyo-certified nursery schools and unlicensed childcare facilities based on applications.
In addition, subsidies for free early childhood education and childcare (facility usage fees) are included in the childcare fee reduction, and the procedures are handled together. In principle, to receive the reduction, you must have received "Certification of Need for Childcare" on P. 43.
Those who have been approved for use of licensed childcare facilities, authorized Kodomo-en (long hours), community-based childcare services, integrated centers for early childhood education and care (long hours), city childcare rooms, and waiting list measures are not eligible.
Childcare fees will be reduced as follows (all amounts are monthly).

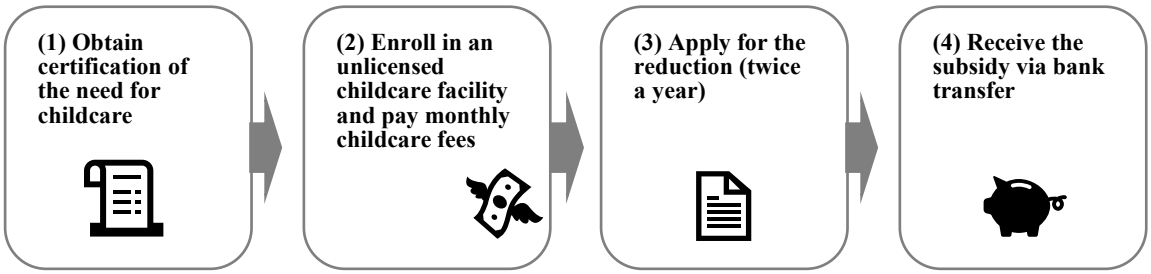
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*1 Refers to the "Certificate of Compliance with Supervision and Guidance Standards for Unlicensed Childcare Facilities" issued by each prefecture (or municipality).
Unlicensed childcare facilities that have not been issued a certificate are no longer eligible for subsidies for all age classes as of October 2024, following the end of the transitional measures for the free early childhood education and childcare program.
*2 For details on Specified Child and Child-rearing Support Facilities, etc., please see page 41.
*3 Regarding corporate-led childcare businesses, facilities outside Tokyo and facilities that have not been issued a certificate are not eligible for subsidies.
In addition, in the case of those eligible for free early childhood education and childcare (those in the 0-2 year old class from tax-exempt households, and those in the 3 year old class and above),
Childcare fees will be reduced, so please consult with the facility where you are enrolled.
You can check the list of unlicensed childcare facilities in Tokyo and the status of their certificates on the Tokyo Metropolitan Government website →
* For wards with child consultation centers, please further check the website of each local government from the Tokyo Metropolitan Government website.

● Application Process

Applications for childcare fee reduction are conducted twice a year: the first term (April to August) and the second term (September to March).

For information on how to apply, please check the Shibuya City website or similar resources. The first term payment is scheduled to be transferred to your designated account around October, and the second term payment around May.



Unlicensed Childcare Facilities

● "Certification of Need for Childcare" Related to Childcare Fee Reduction

To receive a reduction in childcare fees, it is a requirement that you are in need of childcare. The reasons for which a need for childcare is recognized are the same as on P. 2. Please attach the "Documents to verify the need for childcare" (for all guardians) listed on P. 8 to the "Application for Education/Childcare Benefit Certification and Facility Use Benefit Certification" and submit it to the Nursery Division. If the need for childcare is recognized, a notification will be sent according to the categories in the figure below.

The start date of certification cannot be retroactive to a date before the application date. Please apply before you start using the facility or other services.

Age category	Type of certification	Applicable subsidy systems
3-5 year old class	Certification for benefits for use of facilities, etc. (Category 2 certification)	- Childcare fee reduction system (Shibuya City program) - Free early childhood education and childcare (expenses for use of facilities, etc.*) *Expenses for use of facilities, etc. are subsidized by including them in the amount of the childcare fee reduction system
Households with children in the 0-2 year old class who are exempt from resident tax	Certification for benefits for use of facilities, etc. (Category 3 certification)	
Households with children in the 0-2 year old class who are subject to resident tax	Education and childcare benefit certification (Category 3 certification)	- Childcare fee reduction system (Shibuya City program)

● Handling During Childcare Leave

In principle, you are not eligible for the subsidy during childcare leave. You are eligible for the subsidy starting from the month you return to work. However, if your older child has used a nursery school with certification of the need for childcare due to employment from before the date you started childcare leave for your younger child, only the older child is eligible for the subsidy as continued use during childcare leave. However, if you transfer or withdraw from the nursery school you were using, you will not be eligible for continued use during childcare leave.

Examples of Subsidy Amounts

● In the case of **Tokyo-certified nursery schools in Shibuya City** (e.g., for those in the 0-2 year old class)

Need for childcare	Monthly childcare fee	Basic subsidy amount (Monthly)	**Childcare fee paid to the facility (Monthly)**	**Additional subsidy amount (Monthly)**
With certification (Subsidy limit 80,000 yen)	88,000 yen	40,000 yen	**48,000 yen**	**40,000 yen**
No certification (Subsidy limit 40,000 yen)	78,000 yen	40,000 yen	**38,000 yen**	**0 yen**

If receiving additional subsidies, submit the "Application for Facility Use Benefit/Childcare Fee Reduction" (distributed via the facility) to the Nursery Division.

● In the case of **Tokyo-certified nursery schools outside Shibuya City** (e.g., for children in 3-5 year old classes)

Need for childcare	Monthly childcare fee **(Amount paid to the facility)**	Basic subsidy amount (Monthly)	Additional subsidy amount (Monthly)	**Total subsidy amount (Monthly)**
Certified (Maximum subsidy amount 77,000 yen)	78,000 yen	40,000 yen	37,000 yen	**77,000 yen**
No certification (Subsidy limit 40,000 yen)	75,000 yen	40,000 yen	0 yen	**40,000 yen**

When receiving basic subsidies/additional subsidies, submit the "Application for Facility Use Benefit/Childcare Fee Reduction" (distributed via the nursery) to the Nursery Division. Those receiving only the basic subsidy must also apply. (It will not be deducted from the monthly billing amount.)

● In the case of **unlicensed childcare facilities in Tokyo (with certificate)**
(Those who are certified as needing childcare are eligible.)

Enrolled class	Monthly childcare fee	Maximum subsidy amount (monthly)	**Subsidy amount (monthly)**
0-2 year old class	100,000 yen (If it exceeds the maximum subsidy amount)	80,000 yen	**80,000 yen**
3-5 year old class	89,000 yen (If it exceeds the maximum subsidy amount)	77,000 yen	**77,000 yen**
3-5 year old class	75,000 yen (if it is below the maximum subsidy amount)	77,000 yen	**75,000 yen**

* If you are receiving a subsidy, please submit the following two documents to the Nursery Division: "Application for Facility Use Benefit/Childcare Fee Reduction" and "Certificate of Enrollment and Usage Status."

About Childcare Services

Services When Enrolled in a Nursery School

As of October 1, 2026

Inquiries: General Affairs Section, Nursery Division ☎3463-1211

● Childcare fee subsidy for sick children or children recovering from illness

A system under which Shibuya City subsidizes a portion of the cost of a babysitter or other services used at home when a child cannot attend a childcare facility due to illness, injury or for reasons such as work obligations of the parent. Please check the Shibuya City website for details and application forms.

* Please see P. 45 for more information on childcare for sick children.

Eligible children:

Children residing in Shibuya City and receiving regular childcare (excluding temporary childcare service) at any of the following facilities: Licensed nursery school, authorized Kodomo-en, public unified childcare facility, Tokyo-certified nursery school, city daycare room, home-based childcare, or unlicensed childcare facility that are registered with the Tokyo Metropolitan Government and have undergone a medical examination at a medical institution within 7 days before and after using a babysitter or other service.

● Holiday childcare

The following nursery schools offer holiday childcare for children who are enrolled in licensed nursery schools or city daycare rooms in Shibuya City and for children who use community-based childcare services in the city who require childcare on Sundays and national holidays (except from December 29 to January 3) due to reasons such as work obligations of the parent or guardian (offered free of charge as a general rule). Reservation is required.

Telephone reservation: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., from Monday to Friday (except weekends, national holidays, and year-end and New Year holidays)

* For detailed information on the number of students and childcare hours at each nursery school, please check the Shibuya City website.

Name	Address	Telephone number
Benesse Mitake-no-Oka Nursery School	1-18-9, Shibuya	5464-1545 (only for holiday childcare)
ChaCha Children Daikanyama	2-13-5, Ebisunishi	6452-5251
Mirai-no Capsule Harajuku Nursery School	6-34-25, Jingumae	070-3126-4547

● Holiday childcare fee subsidy

Shibuya City subsidizes a portion of the fees under this system for using holiday childcare services at unlicensed nursery school facilities (including home-visit childcare services) on Sundays, national holidays, and other days when nursery schools are closed. Please check the Shibuya City website for details and application forms.

Eligible children:

Children residing in Shibuya City and receiving regular childcare (excluding temporary childcare service) at any of the following facilities: Licensed nursery school, authorized Kodomo-en, public unified childcare facility, certified childcare center, city daycare room, home-based childcare, or unlicensed childcare facility that is registered with the Tokyo Metropolitan Government.

Conditions for the subsidy:

All parents or guardians of the child must have work obligations on the day of availing holiday childcare.

Details of subsidy:

A subsidy of up to 1,000 yen per hour for up to 10 hours per day will be granted

* The subsidy will be limited to the actual cost of use.

Annual maximum amount: 250,000 yen (from April 1 to March 31)

About Childcare Services

● Childcare service for sick children

Children who cannot attend the childcare center due to illness are looked after in the following daycare room for sick children. In addition, children who become ill at childcare centers, etc., will be picked up on behalf of their parent or guardian and looked after in the nursery rooms for sick children given below.

1. Facility	Florence Hatsudai Childcare Center for Sick Children
2. Location	Oyako Kichi Shibuya 3F, 4-37-15, Yoyogi
3. Number of children	7
4. Working days	Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. * Except national holidays and year-end and New Year holidays (December 29-January 3)
5.Usage method	Pre-registration and reservations for use are required. For more information, please visit the Website of Florence Hatsudai Childcare Center for Sick Children.
6. Eligible children	Preschool children aged 4 months or older who meet one of the following criteria (1) Children residing in Shibuya City attending childcare facilities (2) Children residing outside Shibuya City attending childcare facilities in Shibuya City (3) Children residing outside Shibuya City, whose guardians are employed at an organization in Shibuya City, attending childcare facilities outside Shibuya City Nursery school facilities, etc. Licensed nursery school, authorized Kodomo-en, Tokyo-certified nursery school, city daycare room, public unified childcare facility, scheduled childcare service, temporary childcare service, unlicensed nursery school facilities that are registered with the Tokyo Metropolitan Government, or kindergartens
7. Usage fee	Children residing in Shibuya City 2,000 yen/day Children residing outside Shibuya City 5,000 yen/day * If you use the pick-up service to the facility, the actual taxi fare will be charged.

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● Childcare service for children recovering from illness

When a child is recovering from illness (*) and requires rest, making group childcare difficult or providing childcare at home impossible, nurses and childcare personnel will look after the child as they recover at the post-illness nursery room, which will be attached to the “Harajuku Kodomo-en”.

* What is the period for recovery from illness?
When a child is worried about participating in group activities due to a decline in physical strength after an ordinary illness such as a cold, tonsillitis, or vomiting and diarrhea, or when a child is worried about participating in group activities even after the symptoms of a traumatic injury such as a bone fracture or burns have been stabilized.

1. Facility	Harajuku Kodomo-en After-Illness Childcare Room Niji
2. Location	SCC Sendagaya Community Center 1F, 1-1-10 Jingumae, Shibuya City
3. Number of children	4
4. Working days and time	Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. * Except national holidays and year-end and New Year holidays (December 29-January 3)
5. Usage method	You need to register first and then make a reservation to use this service. For details, please visit Harajuku Kodomo-en After-Illness Childcare Room Niji’s website.
6. Eligible children	The eligibility is the same as for sick child care, but the age must be 9 months or older.
7. Usage fee	Children residing in Shibuya City 2,000 yen/day Children residing outside Shibuya City 5,000 yen/day * Includes lunch and snack fees.

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About Childcare Services

Other childcare services

● Temporary childcare service

To support the healthy development of children, temporary childcare service is provided irrespective of the reason. This service is available to Shibuya City residents at the following nursery schools. Eligible ages, opening hours, applications, fees, etc., vary by nursery school, so please contact each nursery school for further information. Detailed information is also posted on the Shibuya City website.
(Participating schools and application procedures are subject to change.)
* Please check the Shibuya City website for the date of application acceptance.

▼Shibuya City Website▼

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Name	Address	Telephone number	Application/Reservation
Ebisu Nursery School	2-8-1, Ebisunishi	3461-1584	Reservations for municipal nursery schools can be made via LINE (up to 8 days). * Reservation by telephone can be made on days when the reservation reception is unavailable ▼Shibuya City Official LINE▼
Tomigaya Nursery School	2-30-8, Tomigaya	3466-2578	
Shinbashi Nursery School	1-27-10, Ebisu	3280-6180	
Omukai Nursery School	1-26-6, Shoto	3468-2237	
Sasazuka Daini Nursery School	1-27-1, Sasazuka	3481-7123	
Benesse Mitake-no-Oka Nursery School	1-18-9, Shibuya	5464-1545	Application procedure is different for each nursery school. Please check on the Shibuya City website.
Kids Harmony Yoyogi-no Mori	2-35-1, Yoyogi	6383-4138	
Nishihara Little Pumpkins	2-46-4, Nishihara	5790-5012	
Yoyogi Shisei Kodomo-en	5-14-16, Yoyogi	3485-2466	
Jingumae Aozora Kodomo-en	5-6-1, Jingumae	6418-9461	
Honmachi Kira-kira Kodomo-en	3-38-10, Honmachi	5358-8761	
Ebisu Nobi-nobi Kodomo-en	1-19-1, Ebisunishi	5784-2533	
Honmachi Soyokaze Kodomo-en	6-6-2, Honmachi	3373-5611	
Machi-no Kodomo-en Yoyogi Uehara	2-24-15, Uehara	080-3711-6802	
Shibuya Higashi Shizen-no Kuni Kodomo-en	1-29-1 Higashi	3406-4169	
Harajuku Kodomo-en	1-1-10 Jingumae	6438-9473	
Shibuya Honmachi Kodomo-en	4-39-1 Honmachi	6258-4880	

* Except in the case of Nishihara Little Pumpkins, Yoyogi Shisei Kodomo-en, and Shibuya Higashi Shizen-no Kuni Kodomo-en, the phone numbers provided are only for inquiries regarding temporary childcare services.

● Emergency temporary childcare services

A system that provides childcare at (some) childcare facilities in Shibuya city for children aged 1 year and older who require emergency and temporary childcare due to their parent or guardian's death, disappearance, or hospitalization. As a general rule, the period of childcare provided is up to 1 month.

Inquiries: Admission Information Section, Nursery Division ☎ 3463-1211

About Childcare Services

● Scheduled childcare services

Shibuya City provides a certain amount of continuous childcare in the temporary daycare rooms of city day nursery schools for a duration appropriate to the type of employment, such as part-time work.

1. Eligible children	From the month following the child's 1st birthday to the end of the fiscal year in which the child turns 3 years old (up to 2 years old class). However, the child must be able to consume regular solid food.
2. Requirements for use *** All of the following must be met.**	- Must be a resident of Shibuya City. - The child must require childcare due to the employment (except when availing childcare leave) of parent or guardian (If the child's parent gives birth to another child while using the service and avails childcare leave after the end of maternity leave, the service ends at the end of the month in which the maternity leave ends). - The child must require childcare for at least 4 hours per day on a continuous (multiple months) and scheduled basis (one day or more per week). - The child must not be enrolled in a kindergarten, licensed nursery school, authorized Kodomo-en, public unified childcare facility, small-scale childcare facility, certified nursery, city childcare room, or home-visit childcare service. - The child must be able to participate in group childcare. - The child should not be able to receive childcare from a relative, etc., living in the same household.
3. Usage period	From the start date up to the end of that fiscal year. However, the service will end that month if the above requirements are no longer met.
4. Participating schools	Ebisu Nursery School, Tomigaya Nursery School, Shinbashi Nursery School, Sasazuka Daini Nursery School (Number of children at each school: 2)
	Omukai Nursery School (Number of children: 1)
5. Working days and time	Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. * Except national holidays and year-end and New Year holidays (December 29-January 3)
6. Childcare hours	3 days or less per week, 8 hours or less per day * The hours of use include the time required for childcare out of the total work and commute time of the parent or guardian. * The hours of use must be decided at least 1 day before the start date of the temporary childcare room reservation for the month of use (10th of the month before the month of use. If the 10th is a holiday, the previous working day before the day of use).
7. Childcare fee	Free
8. Application procedure	(1) Acceptance period Information regarding the application will be posted on the Shibuya City website. (2) Necessary documents - Shibuya City scheduled childcare service application form - Family situation form - Child status confirmation form - Certificate of Employment (for all parents or guardians) * The format for the above documents will be posted on the Shibuya City website when accepting applications. (3) Submission method Please bring your application and all necessary documents to the temporary childcare rooms of the city day nursery school you wish to use.

* Meals are provided at the nursery school. However, children with food allergies must bring their lunch boxes from home as the school cannot accommodate them.

Inquiries: Admission Information Section, Nursery Division ☎3463-1211

About Childcare Services

● Universal Childcare System (Childcare Support Project for Infants, etc.)

This is a periodic childcare service aimed at providing regular care for children who are not enrolled in nursery schools or childcare services (such as unlicensed childcare facilities or Tokyo Metropolitan Government babysitter subsidies), regardless of whether their parents are employed. The program aims to support children's healthy development, including the improvement of non-cognitive skills, through various experiences and interactions with diverse people, and to reduce parents' childcare anxieties.

1. Eligible Children	Children not enrolled in nursery schools or childcare services (6 months old to 2-year-old class) * Parental employment status is not required. * You must be certified for the "Infant Support Benefit" before use. * The maximum usage time is 64 hours per month. (From the day before the 3rd birthday, up to 54 hours per month) * In principle, continuous use for 2 months or more is assumed. Must meet all of the following.
2. Usage Fees	<When using facilities within Shibuya city> Approximately 300 yen per hour * Residents of Tokyo are generally free of charge (up to the maximum time). * Fees for materials and actual expenses, as well as any charges for usage time exceeding the limit, will be charged at the rate set by the facility. <Using facilities outside Shibuya city> Usage fees set by each facility * For details on the subsidy for usage fees when using the "Universal Childcare System (Childcare Support Project for Infants, etc.)" at childcare facilities outside Shibuya city, please check the city's website (two-dimensional code on the bottom right).

Acceptance classes, usage hours, application procedures, etc., vary by nursery school. Detailed information, including a list of participating nursery schools, is posted on the city's website.

▼Universal Childcare System▼

▼Subsidies for childcare fees when using facilities▼

[Inquiries] Admission Information Section, Nursery Division ☎ 3463-1211

About Childcare Services

● Child and Family Support Center

A local consultation service that addresses the problems faced by children under 18 and their families. The center may collaborate with other organizations to provide appropriate assistance, depending on the nature of the consultation.

Shibuya Neuvola 8F, 5-6 Udagawacho

Inquiry: Child and Family Support Center ☎ 0120-135-415 (only for consultation)
☎ 3463-3748 (other inquiries)

● Childcare counseling center

This center provides general consultation for everyday childcare, parent and child childcare forums, childcare lectures, and short-term emergency childcare.

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Name	Address	Phone number
Hatomori Childcare Counseling Center	5-9-1 Sendagaya	0120-05-1152
Daikanyama Childcare Counseling Center	7-9, Daikan-yamacho	0120-87-1152
Nakahata Sasazuka Childcare Counseling Center	3-3-1, Sasazuka	0120-25-7044
Hiroo Childcare Counseling Center	5-8-2 Hiroo	0120-81-4152
co-Shibuya (Jinnan Neuvola Childcare Counseling Center)	5-6, Udagawacho Shibuya Neuvola 2F and 3F	0120-978-310
Poppins Kids Hiroba Uehara	1-38-10 Uehara	03-6407-2236

● Shibuya City Family Support Center

People who require help with childcare (family members) and people who can assist with childcare (support members) can register themselves at this center to avail mutual support for childcare.

Family member eligibility: People living in Shibuya city who are raising children up to the third grade of elementary school
(Assistance activities are for children from 6 months old)

Details of service: (1) Transportation of the child to and from childcare facilities (nursery school, kindergarten, elementary school, after-school club, etc.)

(2) Looking after the child before the start and after the end of the day at childcare facilities and on holidays

(3) Temporary childcare

Note: In principle, children are cared for either at the support member's home or at a public facility. For information on how to register as a member, please use the QR code below or inquire by phone.

▼Apply for Family Member registration▼

https://forms.gle/gh9sUUNyBbgiNxSc6

Inquiry: Child Support Division, Council of Social Welfare, ☎ 5457-0221

[Counter] Main Building 5F, Shibuya City Office, 1-1 Udagawacho (within the Council of Social Welfare)

About Childcare Services

● Year-end Childcare

For childcare hours on December 29 and 30, we will provide childcare at some childcare facilities within Shibuya City for families who cannot provide childcare at home due to work or other reasons. A notice with details will be distributed by each childcare facility as the date approaches, so please inquire at the childcare facility your child attends.

● Babysitter Usage Support Project (Provider Collaboration Type)

This is a project that subsidizes a portion of the usage fees when using unlicensed babysitter providers certified by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government. It is implemented by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government and is intended for guardians of children on waiting lists.

* This is a different project from the Babysitter Usage Support Project (Temporary Childcare Type).

● Refresh Temporary Childcare "SKIP"

This is a system for temporarily caring for children from 3 months old until they enter elementary school for the purpose of refreshing the guardians. It is implemented by outsourcing to private childcare facilities.

● Shibuya City Child-rearing Neuvola

This is a child-rearing support facility that supports all children and their families, from the time of the mother’s pregnancy until the child turns 18 years old. Shibuya City, with public health nurses at the center, provides support for pregnancy, childbirth, and child-rearing so that you can raise your children with joy and without anxiety.

● Neuvola Child-rearing Handbook

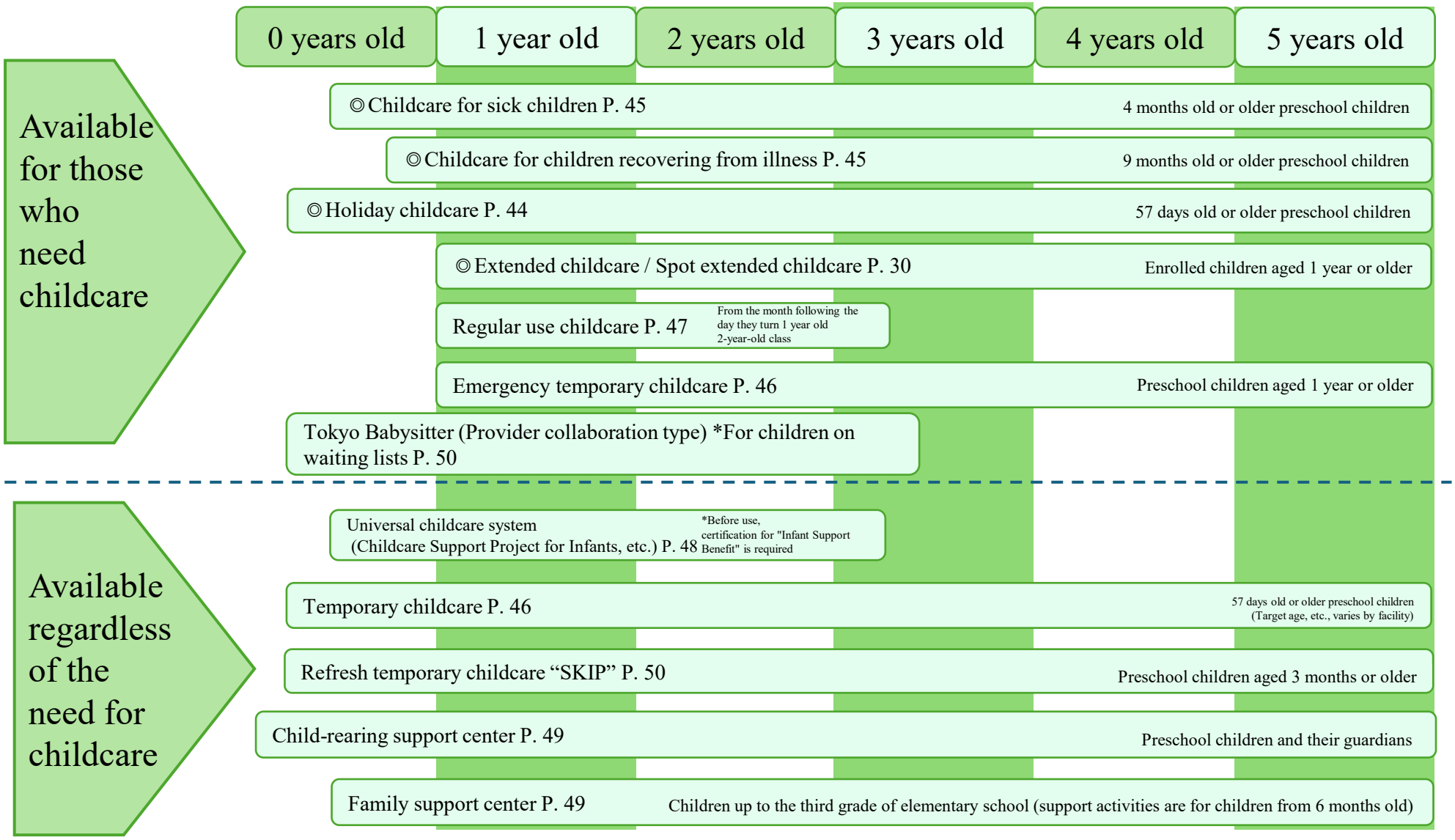
We distribute the Neuvola Child-rearing Handbook, which summarizes information regarding pregnancy and childbirth in Shibuya City, at the time of pregnancy notification. It provides information on necessary procedures during pregnancy and after childbirth, as well as services you can use, so please make use of it.

● Tokyo Child-rearing Switch

This is a website that contains child-rearing support and useful information for each area. You can search for service-providing stores and support organizations for those raising children by purpose, area, service type, etc.

Childcare Services List by age

Services marked with ◎ require enrollment in a nursery school or similar facility.
*Please check each page or the Shibuya city's website for detailed conditions, etc.



Others

Click here for other frequently asked questions →
Shibuya city website "Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)"

Frequently Asked Questions

▶Nursery schools

Q1 What is the difference between public and private day nursery schools? (Details: P.3 "About childcare school facilities in Shibuya Ward")

A1 Each facility has its own atmosphere and philosophy on childcare.
Fees for extended-hours childcare vary depending on the facility.

Q2 What is authorized Kodomo-en? (Details: P.3 "About childcare school facilities in Shibuya Ward")

A2 Authorized Kodomo-en are facilities that combine the functions and characteristics of nursery schools and kindergartens. In Shibuya City, there are both nursery school-type and integrated Authorized Kodomo-en, all of which are approved as licensed nursery schools.

▶Application procedure

Q3 Can I apply and submit additional documents at branch offices? (Details: P. 6 "Application Process")

A3 No, it is not possible. All applications and documents must be submitted at the Nursery Division counter on the 4th floor of the Shibuya City Office, online, or by mail.

Q4 Will I get to know the vacancy status of each nursery school, etc.? (Details: P. 10 "Preferred Nursery School")

A4 Vacancy information for admission two months ahead is posted on the Shibuya city website in the latter part of each month.

Q5 Does my order of preference affect admission adjustment? (Details: P. 10 "Preferred Nursery School")

A5 No, it doesn't. Admission adjustment is based on the admission adjustment criteria on P. 18 to P. 19. At each nursery, offers of enrollment are made to **those with the highest usage adjustment index points, regardless of the order of preference.** Therefore, if an applicant's index points for their second choice are higher than another applicant's index points for the same school as their first choice, the applicant with the second choice may be offered a place first.

Q6 Can I apply before the birth of the child? (Details: P. 10 "Application for Admission Before Childbirth")

A6 Applications before childbirth are accepted only for the first and second application rounds for April admission and only for children expected to be born before April 1. Mid-year applications will be accepted from your preferred month of admission after 57 days have elapsed from the child's birth.

Q7 I am a resident of Shibuya City. Can I apply to nursery schools outside of Shibuya City?
(Details: P. 15 "When a child residing in Shibuya City applies for a childcare facility outside Shibuya City")

A7 Yes, you can. If your application involves moving out of Shibuya City, please apply directly to the Childcare Division of the municipality you are moving to. After moving, you will need to submit a new childcare application to the Childcare Division of your new municipality.
If your application does not involve moving out of Shibuya City, please apply at Shibuya City's Nursery Division counter. Applications by mail or online are not accepted.
In either case, please carefully check the admission guide of the municipality that has jurisdiction over the nursery school you wish your child to attend before applying.

Q8 If I apply for a transfer, will I be withdrawn from the nursery I currently attend?
(Details: P. 15 "For those wishing to transfer childcare facility")

A8 When a transfer to the desired nursery is finalized, you will be withdrawn from the nursery you currently attend. It is not possible to decline a transfer offer.
If you are on the waiting list, you will continue to attend your current nursery while waiting for an offer.

▶ Regarding admission adjustment

Q9 What happens if the documents for the application are incomplete?

A9 The index points are calculated based on the documents submitted by the deadline, so the index points may be calculated in a way that does not reflect your actual family or employment situation.
If the deadline has passed, the index points will be reflected in the next admission adjustment.
* For applications for the first-round of April 2027 admission, a separate deadline is set for the submission of additional documents, apart from the application deadline.

Q10 Can I change my preferred nursery school after applying?
(Details: P. 16 "Changes after application")

A10 (1) You can make changes by applying online using the "Application Change Notification".
(2) You can make changes by submitting a "Childcare Change Notification" at the counter or by mail.
Please apply for the change using either of the two methods above. Changes can be reflected if the notification is submitted by the deadline.

* For applications for the first-round of April 2027 admission, a separate deadline is set for the submission of additional documents, apart from the application deadline.

Q11 How competitive is the admission process of nursery schools? Also, how many index points are needed for admission?

A11 In Shibuya City, you can apply for up to 7 licensed nursery schools; therefore, we cannot tell you the actual admission ratio or how many points you need to enroll in a nursery school. The provisional admission will be given starting from the person with higher index points at their preferred nursery school.

* Even if the index points are high, a person will not be offered provisional admission if there are no vacancies in the preferred nursery school. Also, even if the index points of a person are low, and if there are no other applicants, the person will be offered provisional admission. Thus, the provisional admission is made based on vacancies and comparison with other applicants.

▶Regarding the period during which you can attend nursery school

Q12 If I wish to enroll a sibling within the two months before or after the expected month of childbirth, how long can the child attend the nursery school?

A12 Please check "Period During Which a Child Can Attend Nursery School" on page 23.

Q13 My eldest child attends a nursery school, and I plan to avail childcare leave when my second child is born. Can I continue to send my eldest child to the nursery school?

A13 This falls under the special exception for continued enrollment of children at a licensed nursery school, so you may continue to send your first child to the nursery school
. For details, please check "Taking childcare leave for a younger child while an older child is enrolled in the nursery school" on page 24.

Q14 I enrolled based on childbirth requirements (no maternity or childcare leave taken, simply using nursery school before and after the birth of a younger child), but can I change to job-seeking requirements or similar after enrollment to extend the attendance period?

A14 No, you cannot. If you enrolled based on the childbirth requirement, usage is limited to the two months before and after the expected month of childbirth (a maximum of 5 months). You cannot extend the usage period by changing your requirement to job hunting or similar. If you wish to continue using the service, you must apply for nursery school enrollment again.

▶ For those placed on the waiting list

Q15 I was placed on the waiting list in April. Do I need to apply again each month?

A15 Applications are automatically continued **until the January enrollment period for the fiscal year in which you wish to enroll.** Within the validity period, you do not need to apply again every month.
Even if you apply for April enrollment and are not accepted, you will be subject to admission adjustments for the following months if a vacancy arises at your preferred school. If there are any changes to your employment status, family situation, or preferred nursery schools, you must notify us. Please note that if you wish to enroll from April of the following fiscal year onwards, you must apply again.

Q16 What should I do if I need a notification of placement on the waiting list?

A16 Please check "To Those on the Waiting List" on page 17.

Q17 Can I know the order of the waiting list?

A17 It is not possible to inform the order since we do not make adjustments in a way that puts all applicants in order on the waiting list. Also, we cannot tell you the number of people on the waiting list because the number changes constantly due to changes in preferred nursery schools, new applications, and application withdrawals.

▶ Others

Q18 Can I visit the nursery school? (Details: P. 58 "List of Licensed Nursery Schools in Shibuya City")

A18 Tours are arranged at each nursery school. Please call each nursery school directly in advance to discuss the day and time of your tour. You can book nursery school visits via the Hokatsu One-Stop Service, depending on the school.

List of Nursery Schools and Integrated Centers for Early Childhood Education and Care

As of October 1, 2026

District	Type	Facility Name	Location	Phone	Area (㎡) Site	Area (㎡) Building	Opening hours, etc.	Childcare age As of April 1, 2027	Capacity 0-year-old	1-year-old	2-year-old	3-year-old	4-year-old	5-year-old	Total	Extended
Shimbashi	City	Shimbashi Nursery School	1-27-10 Ebisu	3444-0463	1,338	1,033	(1)	From 57 days old	12	19	20	20	20	20	111	15
		Hiroo Nursery School	5-7-1 Hiroo	3444-7457	1,617	780	(1)	From 57 days old	6	18	20	20	20	20	104	15
	Small	Ciel Small-Scale Nursery School Ebisu★	1-34-11-101 Ebisu	6409-6848		132	(1)	57 days to 2 years old	5	6	8				19	▼
Ebisu	City	Ebisu Nursery School	2-8-1 Ebisunishi	3461-6276	1,399	1,252	(1)	From 57 days old	9	16	20	20	20	20	105	15
		Daikanyama Nursery School	7-9 Daikanyamacho	3461-4423	632	632	(1)	From 1 year old		14	17	17	17	17	82	10
	Private	Hoppeland Shibuya	2-16 Uguisudani-cho	6712-7810	631	525	(2)	From 57 days old	9	14	14	14	14	15	80	
		Poppins Nursery School Ebisu Minami☆	3-11-25 Ebisu Minami	6452-4531		929	(2)	From 57 days old	9	17	20	28	28	28	130	▼
		ChaCha Children Daikanyama	2-13-5 Ebisunishi	6380-2395		1,202	(5)	From 57 days old	6	18	20	22	22	22	110	
	Certified	Ebisu Nobinobi Kodomo-en	1-19-1 Ebisunishi	5784-2531	1,315	1,016	(2)	From 57 days old	10	18	20	20	20	20	108	
Hikawa	City	Hikawa Nursery School	2-20-18 Higashi	3409-1190	878	398	(1)	From 1 year old		5	6	10	10	10	41	10
	Private	Hiroo Jougu Nursery School	4-1-1 Hiroo	3407-9042	1,073	965	(4)	From 57 days old	12	18	18	18	18	18	102	
		Benesse Mitake no Oka Nursery School■	1-18-9 Shibuya	5464-6817	3,999	669	(2)	From 57 days old	10	10	11	11	11	11	64	
		Shibuya Higashi Chitose Nursery School	4-7-8 Higashi	3486-3180	355	581	(5)	From 57 days old	10	16	16	16	16	16	90	▼
		Hiroo Chitose Nursery School	1-3-11 Hiroo	6433-5730	298	632	(2)	From 57 days old	10	14	14	14	14	14	80	
	Certified	Shibuya Higashi Shizen no Kuni Children's Garden	1-29-1 Higashi	3406-4169	724	1,164	(2)	From 57 days old	9	15	18	20	20	20	102	
Omukai	City	Omukai Nursery School	1-26-6 Shoto	3468-2235	643	958	(1)	From 57 days old	9	15	18	18	18	18	96	15
	Private	Sakura Jougu Nursery School	23-21 Sakuragaokacho	5458-5200	1,191	795	(1)	From 57 days old	9	12	13	13	12	11	70	▼
		Manabi no Mori Shibuya Morinoko Nursery School Jinnan	38-4 Udagawacho	3780-2388	671	579	(1)	From 57 days old	15	17	17	17	17	17	100	
Uehara	City	Tomigaya Nursery School (Note 1)	2-30-8 Tomigaya	3467-3602	1,304	720	(1)	From 57 days old	10	16	17	17	17	17	94	15
	Private	Tomigaya Chitose Nursery School	1-31-3 Tomigaya	3460-4515	265	551	(5)	From 57 days old	6	15	16	14	14	14	79	
		Poppins Nursery School Yoyogi Uehara	2-42-3 Uehara	6407-1096	437	596	(2)	From 57 days old	12	15	15	16	16	16	90	
		Sakurasaku Mirai Uehara△	3-37-9 Uehara	6804-9086	482	478	(2)	From 1 year old		12	14	17	17	17	77	
	Certified	Kaoru Kaze Uehara Kodomo-en*	2-2-17 Uehara	3465-0415	1,772	791	(2)	From 57 days old			28	28	28	28	112	▼
		Kaoru Kaze Uehara Kodomo-en Iris*	1-18-6 Uehara	5738-7875	436	333			9	22					31	
		Machi no Kodomo-en Yoyogi Uehara	2-24-15 Uehara	5738-8225	700	778	(2)	From 57 days old	9	15	18	20	20	20	102	
		Machi no Kodomo-en Yoyogi Koen	2-1 Yoyogikamizono-cho	3460-1005	873	932	(2)	From 57 days old	12	20	21	23	23	23	122	
	Small	Plus Kids Nursery Yoyogi Uehara▲	1-25-1 Uehara	3460-6261	186	92	(1)	57 days to 2 years old	6	6	7				19	
Nishihara	City	Moto-Yoyogi Nursery School (Note 2)	51-19 Motoyoyogi-cho	3465-8663	992	870	(1)	From 57 days old	11	11	15	15	15	15	82	15
	Private	Nishihara Nursery School Yume	1-22-20 Nishihara	5790-8421	1,021	983	(1)	From 57 days old	10	16	20	20	20	20	106	
		Nishihara Hohoemi Nursery School	1-40-3 Nishihara	3466-0581		782	(1)	From 57 days old	6	9	12	12	12	12	63	
		Sakurasaku Mirai Nishihara	2-33-17 Nishihara	6804-7401	308	493	(2)	From 1 year old		12	12	14	16	16	70	
		Global Kids Yoyogi-Uehara Nursery School△	3-15-10 Nishihara	5738-7104	454	476	(2)	From 1 year old		14	14	17	17	17	79	▼
		Global Kids Yoyogi-Hachiman Nursery School△	5-7-2 Yoyogi	6407-1217	411	506	(2)	From 1 year old		14	14	17	17	17	79	
	Certified	Nishihara Little Pumpkins*	2-46-4 Nishihara	5790-5012	1,208	1,166	(2)	From 57 days old	12	14	27	31	31		115	
		Nishihara Little Pumpkins ANNEX*	2-47-19 Nishihara	5738-5177	473	367			3	10				31	44	
Hatsudai	City	Hatsudai Nursery School	2-17-22 Hatsudai	3379-1734	866	1,053	(1)	From 57 days old	9	20	22	22	22	22	117	15
		Yoyogi Nursery School	3-51-8 Yoyogi	3370-7549	734	770	(1)	From 57 days old	9	16	16	18	18	18	95	15
		Honmachi No. 3 Nursery School	1-5-5 Honmachi	3378-4759	1,087	997	(1)	From 57 days old	15	20	20	20	20	20	115	15
	Private	St. Joseph Nursery School	5-16-4 Yoyogi	3460-9988	496	983	(4)	From 57 days old	12	15	18	21	21	21	108	
		Sangubashi Chitose Nursery School	4-50-13 Yoyogi	3376-0616	405	707	(5)	From 57 days old	10	22	22	16	15	15	100	
		Haruno Ogawa Chitose Nursery School	4-57-6 Yoyogi	3370-6010	333	567	(5)	From 57 days old	9	11	12	12	13	13	70	
		Global Kids Hatagaya Nursery School	1-19-3 Honmachi	6276-7935	416	639	(2)	From 57 days old	6	14	14	14	14	14	76	
		Taiyo no Ko Yoyogi Nishi-Sando Nursery School	4-27-6 Yoyogi	5302-6426	788	1,494	(2)	From 57 days old	6	20	20	20	20	20	106	▼
		Minna no Mirai wo Tsukuru Nursery School Hatsudai	4-37-15 Yoyogi	6304-2088	293	283	(5)	From 1 year old		6	6	6	6	6	30	
		Yumenoki Nursery School Hatsudai	2-13-11 Hatsudai	6276-6534	251	443	(2)	From 1 year old		14	14	15	15	15	73	
		Sakurasaku Mirai Hatsudai	2-19-16 Hatsudai	6276-6439	346	473	(2)	From 1 year old		10	13	16	16	16	71	
	Certified	Yoyogi Shisei Kodomo-en	5-14-16 Yoyogi	3485-2466	1,280	1,853	(2)	From 57 days old	15	18	20	22	22	22	119	
	Integrated	Sanya Kakinomien (Sanya Kindergarten)*	3-32-13 Yoyogi	3370-1410	1,233	661	(1)	From 1 year old		8	10	10	10	10	48	
Honmachi	City	Hatagaya Nursery School	5-35-12 Honmachi	3377-7595	783	879	(1)	From 57 days old	12	16	16	16	16	16	92	15
	Private	Benesse Hatagaya Nursery School	6-34-6 Honmachi	5302-8661	342	538	(2)	From 57 days old	6	9	12	14	14	14	69	
		AIAI NURSERY Hatsudai Honmachi	2F, 2-6-3 Honmachi	6304-2931		332	(1)	From 1 year old		10	10	10	10	10	50	
	Certified	Honmachi Kirakira Kodomo-en	3-38-10 Honmachi	5358-5951	671	1,230	(2)	From 57 days old	10	18	20	20	20	20	108	▼
		Honmachi Soyokaze Kodomo-en	6-6-2 Honmachi	5333-2688	1,402	2,727	(2)	From 57 days old	10	18	20	20	20	20	108	
		Shibuya Honmachi Kodomo-en	4-39-1 Honmachi	6452-6380		1,339	(1)	From 1 year old		6	6	6	6	6	30	

This table shows the capacity of each facility for enrollment on April 1, 2027. Capacity may change during the fiscal year.

An overview of each nursery school and integrated center for early childhood education and care is also posted on the Shibuya city website.

As of October 1, 2026

District		Facility Name	Location	Phone	Area (㎡) Site	Area (㎡) Building	Opening hours, etc.	Childcare age As of April 1, 2027	Capacity 0-year-old	1-year-old	2-year-old	3-year-old	4-year-old	5-year-old	Total	Extended
Sasazuka	City	Sasazuka Nursery School	3-36-13 Sasazuka	3376-6842	576	529	(1)	From 57 days old	10	10	12	16	16	16	80	15
		Hatagaya No. 2 Nursery School	3-4-1 Hatagaya	3378-0876	1,158	476	(1)	From 1 year old		13	14	15	15	15	72	10
		Hatagaya No. 3 Nursery School	2-56-6 Hatagaya	3376-1650	1,915	504	(1)	From 1 year old		10	12	15	15	15	67	10
		Sasazuka No. 2 Nursery School	1-27-1 Sasazuka	3481-7121	1,055	1,101	(1)	From 1 year old		20	23	24	25	25	117	12
	Private	Nursery School Usagi to Kame	2-31-8 Sasazuka	3376-1663	1,786	1,022	(3)	From 57 days old	10	11	11	12	12	12	68	
		Manabi no Mori Nursery School Hatagaya	2-42-15 Hatagaya	3370-5115	2,295	918	(2)	From 57 days old	9	17	18	20	20	20	104	
		Sakurasaku Mirai Sasazuka	1-32-5 Sasazuka	6407-9839	383	493	(2)	From 57 days old	6	12	14	16	16	16	80	▼
		Sasahata Nursery School	2-34-12 Sasazuka	3320-2112	821	798	(1)	From 57 days old	9	15	15	20	20	20	99	
		Nursery School Usagi to Kame Hills	3-48-1 Sasazuka	3374-2070	526	303	(3)	From 57 days old	6	6	7	7	7	7	40	
Sendagaya	Integrated	Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en (Sendagaya Nursery School)*	3-34-9 Sendagaya	3478-4494	633	733	(1)	From 57 days old	16	18	20	20			74	⦿
	Private	Hatonomori Nursery School	4-28-8 Sendagaya	3478-2037	193	432	(2)	From 57 days old	9	11	12	12	12	12	68	
		Kids Harmony Yoyogi no Mori◇	2-35-1 Yoyogi	6383-4138	5,474	1,487	(2)	From 57 days old	12	25	27	45	45	45	199	
		Kids Harmony NEWoMan◆	5F, 5-24-55 Sendagaya	6457-7614		281	(2)	57 days to 2 years old	9	15	18				42	▼
		Miki Nursery School Kitasando ○	3-21-5 Sendagaya	5843-1721	266	559	(2)	From 57 days old	9	11	11	13	13	13	70	
		Sendagaya Little Pumpkins	2F, 5-27-5 Sendagaya	6380-6990		500	(2)	From 1 year old		8	10	15	15	15	63	
		Associe Jingu Kitasando Nursery School	3F, 4-6-8 Sendagaya	6447-5230		293	(2)	From 57 days old	6	6	6	6	6	6	36	
Jingumae	City	Shibuya Nursery School □○	3-18-8 Jingumae	3401-0952	1,162	1,343	(1)	From 57 days old	9	22	23	27	27	27	135	15
	Private Certified Small	Mirai no Capsule Harajuku Nursery School	6-34-25 Jingumae	6452-6365	331	298	(2)	From 57 days old	6	6	6	7	7	7	39	
		Harajuku Kodomo-en	1-1-10 Jingumae	6438-9301		1,094	(2)	From 1 year old		6	8	10	10	10	44	▼
		Jingumae Aozora Kodomo-en	5-6-1 Jingumae	6418-4361	918	1,280	(2)	From 57 days old	10	16	16	16	16	16	90	
		Nukumori no Ouchi Hoiku Jinguen●	2F, 2-2-39 Jingumae	6804-2987		103	(1)	57 days to 2 years old	5	5	5				15	
	Integrated	Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en (Sendagaya Kindergarten)*	2-4-1 Sendagaya Inside Sendagaya Elementary School	3402-8280		578	(1)	From 4 years old					20	20	40	⦿

[Regarding Extended Childcare]

- In principle, extended childcare is provided at all nursery schools for children aged 1 year and older. A separate application from the nursery school usage application is required.

Please inquire at the nursery school regarding the capacity for extended childcare at facilities marked with ▼.

⦿ The combined capacity of Sendagaya Nursery School and Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en is 16 people.

[Opening Hours, etc.]

- Opening hours and extended childcare hours vary by nursery school. Depending on the numbers (1) to (5) displayed in the "Open ing Hours, etc." column, the hours are as follows.

Number	Opening Hours	Extended Childcare Hours	Number	Opening Hours	Extended Childcare Hours
①	7:30～18:30	18:30～19:30	④	7:15～18:15	18:15～19:15
②	7:30～18:30	18:30～20:30	⑤	7:15～18:15	18:15～20:15
③	7:00～18:00	18:00～19:00			

[Other special notes]

(Note 1) Tomigaya Nursery School is scheduled for reconstruction on-site after relocation. (Details are undecided. We will inform you as soon as they are decided.)
(Note 2) Motoyoyogi Nursery School is scheduled for reconstruction on-site after relocation from fiscal year 2029 onwards. (Details are undecided. We will inform you as soon as they are decided.)

Shibuya Nursery School, marked with □, shares its playground with Riverside Harajuku (a facility for persons with disabilities).

Benesse Mitake no Oka Nursery School, marked with ■, will have a complex facility development project carried out on the adjacent metropolitan and Shibuya city-owned land from fiscal year 2023 to fiscal year 2027 (planned).

Kids Harmony NEWoMan, marked with ◆, is a facility for children up to the 2-year-old class, so children will transfer to Kids Harmony Yoyogi no Mori, marked with ◇, starting from the 3-year-old class.

Plus Kids Nursery School Yoyogi-Uehara, marked with ▲, is a facility for children up to the 2-year-old class, so children will transfer to one of the following starting from the 3-year-old class: Sakurasaku Mirai Uehara, Global Kids Yoyogi-Uehara Nursery, or Global Kids Yoyogi-Hachiman Nursery marked with △.
When adjusting the use for enrollment at Plus Kids Nursery School Yoyogi-Uehara, the acceptance slots for partner facilities will also be determined.
Partner facilities have an acceptance slot of 2 to 3 children each (1 child each for the 0-year-old class). If you are not offered a place in the acceptance slot of your preferred partner facility, you will not be offered a place at the nursery in Plus Kids Nursery School Yoyogi-Uehara. For details, please see page 40 of the "Admission Guidelines to Nursery Schools".

Ciel Small-Scale Nursery Ebisu, marked with ★, is a facility for children up to the 2-year-old class, so from the 3-year-old class, children will transfer to Poppins Nursery School Ebisu Minami, which is marked with a ☆.

Nukumori no Ouchi Hoiku Jinguen, marked with a ●, is a facility for children up to the 2-year-old class, so from the 3-year-old class, children will transfer to Shibuya Nursery School or Miki Nursery School Kitasando, which are marked with a ○.
(Shibuya Nursery School can only be designated by Shibuya City residents or those planning to move in.)
When adjusting the use of Nukumori no Ouchi Hoiku Jinguen, the acceptance capacity of the affiliated facilities will also be determined.
Affiliated facilities have an acceptance capacity of 1 to 4 children each. If you are not offered a place in the acceptance capacity of your preferred affiliated facility, you will not be offered a place at Nukumori no Ouchi Hoiku Jinguen.
For details, please see page 40 of the "Admission Guidelines to Nursery Schools".

Please see the next page for details on facilities marked with * and how to apply for their use.

[Integrated centers for early childhood education and care]

These are integrated early childhood education and care facilities unique to Shibuya City.
We also accept children aged 4 and 5 for short-time and medium-time childcare.
[Inquiries] Admission Information Section, Nursery Division, Phone: 3463-1211

Facility Name	Licensing Category	Location	Remarks
Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en	Nursery school	3-34-9 Sendagaya	Children aged 0 to 2 will use the nursery school building as Sendagaya Nursery School students. Three-year-old will use the kindergarten building as Sendagaya Nursery School students, and 4- and 5-year-olds will use it as Sendagaya Kindergarten students. (Saturday childcare is provided at the nursery school building.)
	Kindergarten	2-4-1 Sendagaya, inside Sendagaya Element	
Sanya Kakinomien	Kindergarten	3-32-13 Yoyogi	Childcare is provided for 1- to 3-year-olds, and they become Sanya Kindergarten students when they reach the age of 4 or 5.

[Childcare nursery-type authorized Kodomo-en]

We also accept children aged 3 to 5 for short-time and medium-time childcare.
For application inquiries regarding short- and medium-time childcare, please contact each facility (refer to the phone numbers in the "List of Nursery Schools and Integrated Centers for Early Childhood Education and Care").

Facility Name	Classification	Remarks
Nishihara Little Pumpkins	Main Facility	Early morning, evening, and Saturday childcare for the branch facility is provided at the main facility. Please apply for childcare facility use as "Nishihara Little Pumpkins" without distinguishing between the main and branch facilities.
Nishihara Little Pumpkins ANNEX	Branch Facility	
Kaoru Kaze Uehara Kodomo-en	Main Facility	Childcare for 0- and 1-year-olds is provided at the branch facility, and for 2- to 5-year-olds at the main facility. (Early morning, evening, and Saturday childcare is provided at the main facility.) Please apply for childcare facility use as "Kaoru Kaze Uehara Kodomo-en" without distinguishing between the main and branch facilities.
Kaoru Kaze Uehara Kodomo-en Iris	Branch Facility	
Yoyogi Shisei Kodomo-en　Jingumae Aozora Kodomo-en　Honmachi Kirakira Kodomo-en　Ebisu Nobinobi Kodomo-en Honmachi Soyokaze Kodomo-en　Machi no Kodomo-en Yoyogi-Uehara　Machi no Kodomo-en Yoyogi-Koen Shibuya Higashi Shizen no Kuni Kodomo-en　Harajuku Kodomo-en		

[Center for Early Childhood Education and Care]

We also accept children aged 3 to 5 for short-time and medium-time childcare.
For applications for short- or medium-time childcare, please contact the facility directly (refer to the phone numbers in the "List of Nursery Schools and Integrated Early Childhood Education and Care Facilities").

Facility Name	Shibuya Honmachi Kodomo-en

City Childcare Room

Facility Name (Operating Business Name)	Location	Phone	Childcare age	Capacity *1						
			As of April 1, 2027	0-year-old	1-year-old	2-year-old	3-year-old	4-year-old	5-year-old	Total
Daikanyama Ebisu-nishi Nursery Room (Poppins Educare Inc.)	2-15-12 Ebisunishi	3461-1473	From 57 days old	12	6	6	6			30
Oyama Nursery Room (Rikyu Co., Ltd.)	2-53-13 Nishihara Inside Yoyogi Oyama Park	3460-1360		12	12	6	2	2		34

*1 The capacity of each city childcare room may change depending on the application status.

*2 As this is a temporary facility for children on the waiting list, the enrollment period is until the end of the fiscal year. However, if you apply for a licensed nursery school for the following fiscal year as well,

Home-visit childcare service (for children on the waiting list)

Service provider	Childcare age (as of April 1, 2027)	Capacity	Remarks
Poppins FamilyCare Inc.	57 days to 2 years old	Approximately 10 people	For an overview of the project, etc., please refer to pages 36-37 of the "Admission Guidelines to Nursery Schools."

Other

List of Tokyo-Certified Nursery Schools in Shibuya City

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☆ Please contact each facility directly regarding enrollment, etc.

Facility Name	Location	Phone Number	Capacity	Accepted Ages	Display on Nursery School Map
Palette Nursery School Hatsudai	Castle Shinjuku 1st/2nd Floor, 4-31-4 Yoyogi	5333-6041	40	From 57 days old to before elementary school enrollment	A
Poppins Nursery School Yoyogi	1-31-1 Yoyogi	5333-4950	30		B
Fujiki Nursery Room	2-29-4 Sasazuka	3378-0283	19	From 57 days old through the 2-year-old class	C
Angel Room	Hiroo Child-rearing Support Center 3F, 5-8-2 Hiroo	3446-9462	20		D
Nadeshiko Nursery School	24-1 Motoyoyogi-cho	3481-4611	26		E
Community House Nursery Room Poppo	6-16-4 Honmachi	3320-8163	18		F
Komorebi Nursery School Ebisu-en	Nowel Ebisu 1F, 3-17-16 Higashi	6805-1680	29		G

Other

0-year-old class | 1-year-old class and up

*City (Shibuya city) = municipal nursery school, Private (Private) = Private nursery school, Certified (Certified) = authorized Kodomo-en

Small = Small-scale childcare facility

Integrated = integrated centers for early childhood education and care

List of Licensed Nursery Schools in Shibuya City

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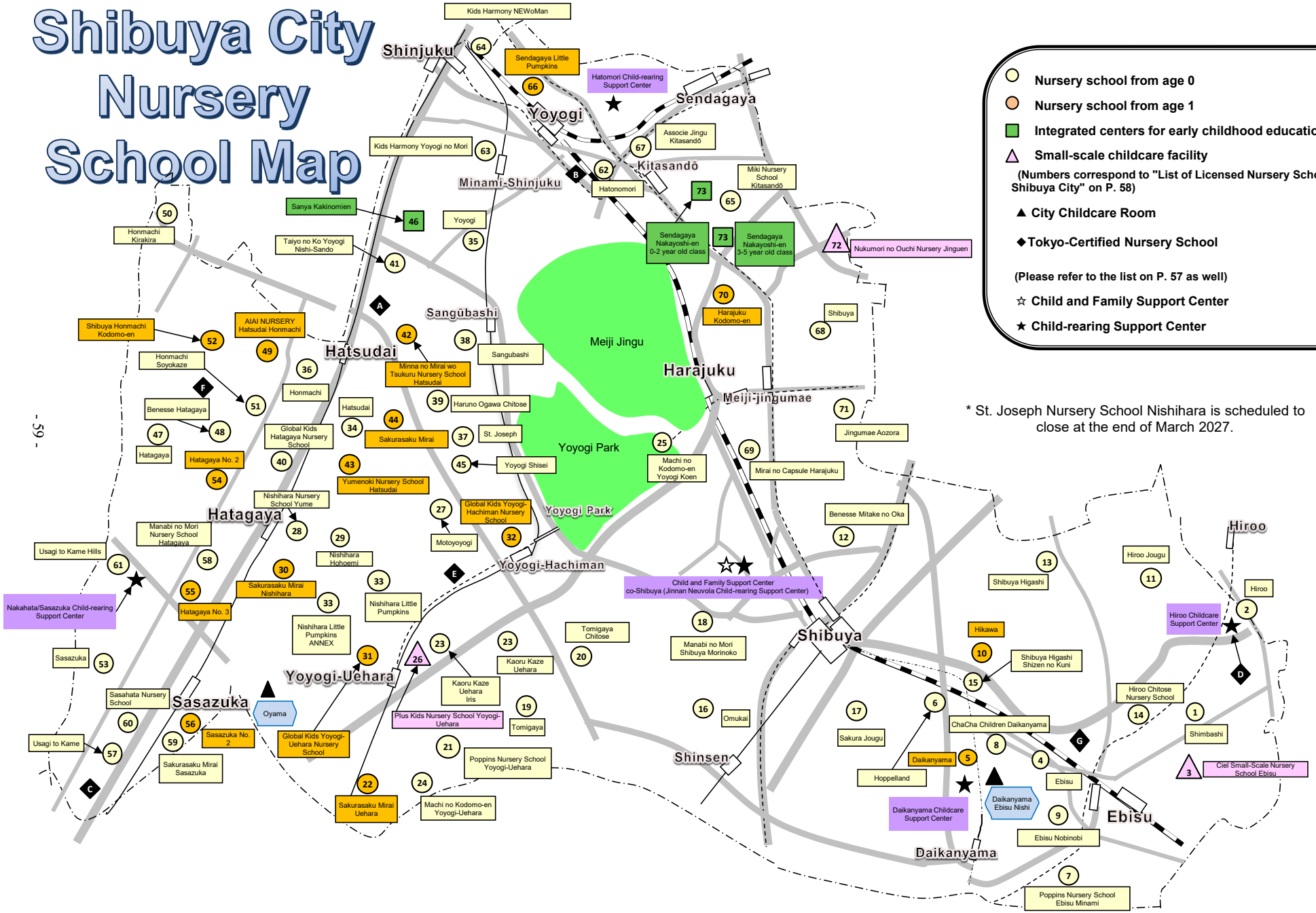
District	Type	Facility Name	Location	Phone	Accepted Ages (As of April 1, 2027)	Nursery School MAP Number above
Shimbashi	City	Shimbashi Nursery School	1-27-10 Ebisu	3444-0463	From 57 days old	1
		Hiroo Nursery School	5-7-1 Hiroo	3444-7457	From 57 days old	2
	Small	Ciel Small-Scale Nursery School Ebisu	1-34-11-101 Ebisu	6409-6848	57 days to 2 years old	3
Ebisu	City	Ebisu Nursery School	2-8-1 Ebisunishi	3461-6276	From 57 days old	4
		Daikanyama Nursery School	7-9 Daikanyamacho	3461-4423	From 1 year old	5
	Private	Hoppeland Shibuya	2-16 Uguisudani-cho	6712-7810	From 57 days old	6
		Poppins Nursery School Ebisu Minami	3-11-25 Ebisu Minami	6452-4531	From 57 days old	7
		ChaCha Children Daikanyama	2-13-5 Ebisunishi	6380-2395	From 57 days old	8
	Certified	Ebisu Nobinobi Kodomo-en	1-19-1 Ebisunishi	5784-2531	From 57 days old	9
Hikawa	City	Hikawa Nursery School	2-20-18 Higashi	3409-1190	From 1 year old	10
	Private	Hiroo Jougu Nursery School	4-1-1 Hiroo	3407-9042	From 57 days old	11
		Benesse Mitake no Oka Nursery School	1-18-9 Shibuya	5464-6817	From 57 days old	12
		Shibuya Higashi Chitose Nursery School	4-7-8 Higashi	3486-3180	From 57 days old	13
		Hiroo Chitose Nursery School	1-3-11 Hiroo	6433-5730	From 57 days old	14
	Certified	Shibuya Higashi Shizen no Kuni Kodomo-en	1-29-1 Higashi	3406-4169	From 57 days old	15
Omukai	City	Omukai Nursery School	1-26-6 Shoto	3468-2235	From 57 days old	16
	Private	Sakura Jougu Nursery School	23-21 Sakuragaokacho	5458-5200	From 57 days old	17
		Manabi no Mori Shibuya Morinoko Nursery School Jinnan	38-4 Udagawacho	3780-2388	From 57 days old	18
Uehara	City	Tomigaya Nursery School*1	2-30-8 Tomigaya	3467-3602	From 57 days old	19
	Private	Tomigaya Chitose Nursery School	1-31-3 Tomigaya	3460-4515	From 57 days old	20
		Poppins Nursery School Yoyogi Uehara	2-42-3 Uehara	6407-1096	From 57 days old	21
		Sakurasaku Mirai Uehara	3-37-9 Uehara	6804-9086	From 1 year old	22
	Certified	Kaoru Kaze Uehara Kodomo-en	2-2-17 Uehara	3465-0415	From 57 days old	23
		Kaoru Kaze Uehara Kodomo-en Iris	1-18-6 Uehara	5738-7875	From 57 days old	23
		Machi no Kodomo-en Yoyogi Uehara	2-24-15 Uehara	5738-8225	From 57 days old	24
		Machi no Kodomo-en Yoyogi Koen	2-1 Yoyogikamizono-cho	3460-1005	From 57 days old	25
	Small	Plus Kids Nursery School Yoyogi-Uehara	1-25-1 Uehara	3460-6261	57 days to 2 years old	26
Nishihara	City	Motoyoyogi Nursery School*2	51-19 Motoyoyogi-cho	3465-8663	From 57 days old	27
	Private	Nishihara Nursery School Yume	1-22-20 Nishihara	5790-8421	From 57 days old	28
		Nishihara Hohoemi Nursery School	1-40-3 Nishihara	3466-0581	From 57 days old	29
		Sakurasaku Mirai Nishihara	2-33-17 Nishihara	6804-7401	From 1 year old	30
		Global Kids Yoyogi-Uehara Nursery School	3-15-10 Nishihara	5738-7104	From 1 year old	31
		Global Kids Yoyogi-Hachiman Nursery School	5-7-2 Yoyogi	6407-1217	From 1 year old	32
	Certified	Nishihara Little Pumpkins	2-46-4 Nishihara	5790-5012	From 57 days old	33
		Nishihara Little Pumpkins ANNEX	2-47-19 Nishihara	5738-5177	From 57 days old	33
Hatsudai	City	Hatsudai Nursery School	2-17-22 Hatsudai	3379-1734	From 57 days old	34
		Yoyogi Nursery School	3-51-8 Yoyogi	3370-7549	From 57 days old	35
		Honmachi No. 3 Nursery School	1-5-5 Honmachi	3378-4759	From 57 days old	36
	Private	St. Joseph Nursery School	5-16-4 Yoyogi	3460-9988	From 57 days old	37
		Sangubashi Chitose Nursery School	4-50-13 Yoyogi	3376-0616	From 57 days old	38
		Haruno Ogawa Chitose Nursery School	4-57-6 Yoyogi	3370-6010	From 57 days old	39
		Global Kids Hatagaya Nursery School	1-19-3 Honmachi	6276-7935	From 57 days old	40
		Taiyo no Ko Yoyogi Nishi-Sando Nursery School	4-27-6 Yoyogi	5302-6426	From 57 days old	41
		Minna no Mirai wo Tsukuru Nursery School Hatsudai	4-37-15 Yoyogi	6304-2088	From 1 year old	42
		Yumenoki Nursery School Hatsudai	2-13-11 Hatsudai	6276-6534	From 1 year old	43
		Sakurasaku Mirai Hatsudai	2-19-16 Hatsudai	6276-6439	From 1 year old	44
	Certified	Yoyogi Shisei Kodomo-en	5-14-16 Yoyogi	3485-2466	From 57 days old	45
	Integrate	Sanya Kakinomien (Sanya Kindergarten)	3-32-13 Yoyogi	3370-1410	From 1 year old	46
Honmachi	City	Hatagaya Nursery School	5-35-12 Honmachi	3377-7595	From 57 days old	47
	Private	Benesse Hatagaya Nursery School	6-34-6 Honmachi	5302-8661	From 57 days old	48
		AIAI NURSERY Hatsudai Honmachi	2F, AZ Shibuya Honmachi, 2-6-3	6304-2931	From 1 year old	49
	Certified	Honmachi Kirakira Kodomo-en	3-38-10 Honmachi	5358-5951	From 57 days old	50
		Honmachi Soyokaze Kodomo-en	6-6-2 Honmachi	5333-2688	From 57 days old	51
		Shibuya Honmachi Kodomo-en	4-39-1 Honmachi	6452-6380	From 1 year old	52
Sasazuka	City	Sasazuka Nursery School	3-36-13 Sasazuka	3376-6842	From 57 days old	53
		Hatagaya No. 2 Nursery School	3-4-1 Hatagaya	3378-0876	From 1 year old	54
		Hatagaya No. 3 Nursery School	2-56-6 Hatagaya	3376-1650	From 1 year old	55
		Sasazuka No. 2 Nursery School	1-27-1 Sasazuka	3481-7121	From 1 year old	56
	Private	Nursery School Usagi to Kame	2-31-8 Sasazuka	3376-1663	From 57 days old	57
		Manabi no Mori Nursery School Hatagaya	2-42-15 Hatagaya	3370-5115	From 57 days old	58
		Sakurasaku Mirai Sasazuka	1-32-5 Sasazuka	6407-9839	From 57 days old	59
		Sasahata Nursery School	2-34-12 Sasazuka	3320-2112	From 57 days old	60
		Nursery School Usagi to Kame Hills	3-48-1 Sasazuka	3374-2070	From 57 days old	61
Sendagaya	Integrate	Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en (Sendagaya Nursery School)	3-34-9 Sendagaya	3478-4494	From 57 days old	73
	Private	Hatonomori Nursery School	4-28-8 Sendagaya	3478-2037	From 57 days old	62
		Kids Harmony Yoyogi no Mori	2-35-1 Yoyogi	6383-4138	From 57 days old	63
		Kids Harmony NEWoMan*3	JR Shinjuku Miraina Tower 5F, 5-24-55	6457-7614	57 days to 2 years old	64
		Miki Nursery School Kitasando	3-21-5 Sendagaya	5843-1721	From 57 days old	65
		Sendagaya Little Pumpkins	Links Square 2F, 5-27-5 Sendagaya	6380-6990	From 1 year old	66
		Associe Jingu Kitasando Nursery School	Park Court Jingu Kitasando The Tower 3F, 4-6-8 Sendagaya	6447-5230	From 57 days old	67
Jingumae	City	Shibuya Nursery School	3-18-8 Jingumae	3401-0952	From 57 days old	68
	Private	Mirai no Capsule Harajuku Nursery School	6-34-25 Jingumae	6452-6365	From 57 days old	69
	Certified	Harajuku Kodomo-en	1-1-10 Jingumae	6438-9301	From 1 year old	70
		Jingumae Aozora Kodomo-en	5-6-1 Jingumae	6418-4361	From 57 days old	71
	Small	Nukumori no Ouchi Hoiku Jinguen	THE COURT Jingu Gaien 2F, 2-2-39 Jingumae	6804-2987	57 days to 2 years old	72
	Integrated	Sendagaya Nakayoshi-en (Sendagaya Kindergarten)	2-4-1 Sendagaya, inside Sendagaya Elementary School	3402-8280	From 4 years old	73

*1 We plan to relocate and then carry out reconstruction work on-site. (Details are undecided)
*2 From fiscal year 2029 onwards, we plan to relocate and then carry out reconstruction work on-site. (Details are undecided)
*3 From the 3-year-old class, children will move to Kids Harmony Yoyogi no Mori.

For details such as the number of openings at each nursery school, please see "Number of openings for admission in April 2027" on the Shibuya city website.

Shibuya city website "Vacancy status of Shibuya city run and private nursery schools"

Shibuya City Nursery School Map



- Nursery school from age 0
- Nursery school from age 1
- Integrated centers for early childhood education and care
- Small-scale childcare facility

(Numbers correspond to "List of Licensed Nursery Schools in Shibuya City" on P. 58)

- ▲ City Childcare Room
- ◆Tokyo-Certified Nursery School

(Please refer to the list on P. 57 as well)

- ☆ Child and Family Support Center
- ★ Child-rearing Support Center

* St. Joseph Nursery School Nishihara is scheduled to close at the end of March 2027.

About applications for nursery school (at the counter) for April 2027

First round of applications: Thursday, October 22, 2026 – Friday, November 27, 2026

Second round of applications: Tuesday, December 1, 2026 – Tuesday, February 16, 2027

*Excluding Saturdays, Sundays, public holidays, and the year-end/New Year period [Tuesday, December 29 – Sunday, January 3].

*The admission adjustment for the second round of applications will only be conducted for nurseries that have vacancies after the adjustment for the first-round.

Hours: 9:00–11:30, 14:00–16:00 [By appointment only (details below)]

Location: Admission Information Section, Nursery Division, Main Building 4F, Shibuya City Office

●The counter will be crowded in late November, so please come to the office by mid-November.
If you wish to have an explanation or consultation in advance, please come to the office by Wednesday, October 21 before the application period begins.

●**Please be sure to fill out the necessary documents in advance before coming to the office.** (See pages 8-9)
*Employment certificates, etc., are valid if they are **dated on or after September 15, 2026**.

●We will accept applications on November 3 (Tuesday, national holiday) and November 21 (Saturday) from 9:00 to 16:00 (last appointment time is 15:30).

●Applications will be accepted from those expecting to give birth by April 1, 2027. (See page 10)

●If you are a Shibuya City resident applying for a nursery school outside the city (See page 15)

People who plan to move out of Shibuya City

Reception location: Counter at the municipality you are moving to (applications are not accepted at the Shibuya City counter)

Please inquire with the municipality you are moving to regarding necessary documents, etc.

Those who do not plan to move out of Shibuya City but wish to attend a nursery school outside the city

Application location: Shibuya City Office counter

Please apply at the Shibuya City Office Nursery Division counter at least 10 days before the nursery school enrollment application deadline in your desired municipality.

Please inquire with your desired municipality regarding required documents, deadlines, and application requirements.

●If you live outside Shibuya City and are applying for a Shibuya city nursery school (See page 14)



Target person: Applicants who plan to move in by Wednesday, March 31, 2027

Application location: Shibuya City Office counter

* Please make a reservation by phone before visiting the office.
* Please prepare the necessary documents using Shibuya City forms and apply at the counter.
* If you do not move into Shibuya City by Wednesday, March 31, 2027, your provisional offer will be cancelled.

●Applicants who do not plan to move in by Wednesday, March 31, 2027 (Applications are accepted from the second-round of April enrollment)

Application location: Counter at your municipal office

Please apply using Shibuya City forms between 2 weeks and 10 days before the deadline.

Advance reservations for first-round enrollment application

●Target period: First-round enrollment period
(Morning session: 9:00–11:30, Afternoon session: 14:00–16:00)
* Reservation slots are in 30-minute increments, **with one slot (30 minutes) per household**.
Please come to the counter at least 5 minutes before your scheduled time.

●Reservation method: Via Shibuya City official LINE (If using LINE is difficult, please contact us by phone).
* For LINE reservations, please add the Shibuya City official LINE account (@shibuyacity) as a friend in advance.

Shibuya City LINE Official Account QR Code

* If you need an interpreter (English), please **make a reservation between 9:00–11:00 and 14:00–15:30 on weekdays.**