

Child Allowance for the Year 2010

Child Allowance (*Kodomo teate*) is granted to families in order to support the healthy upbringing of children, who are going to bear the responsibility of next generation society.

Regarding Child Allowance (*Kodomo teate*)

1. Eligibility: City registered Residents and registered Foreigners (excluding short term foreign residents) who are bringing up children who have not yet completed Junior High school (Children born after April 2, 1995). There is no income restriction. Public servants will be provided allowance at their place of work.
2. Allowance: Monthly 13,000JPY for each child
3. Grant period: For the period from April 2010 to March 2011
4. Application period: Until September 30, 2010 (applications postmarked until this date are valid)
5. If you apply within the application period, the allowance will start from April. In cases of moving to this city or delivering a child after April 1st, the allowance will be provided from the following month. (If you apply within 15 days of moving or child birth, the allowance will begin from the month following the move or child birth.)

Regarding Application

Applicant	Regarding Application
People who have not received child allowance (<i>Jidou te ate</i>) until now.	It is necessary to submit the new Child Allowance (<i>Kodomo te ate</i>) application for approval. In late April forms will be sent to city registered residents and registered foreigners whose children have not yet completed junior high school. The forms will be sent to head of households or guardians.
People whose children have not yet completed elementary school and are receiving child allowance (<i>Jidou teate</i>) from this city as of now (March 31st).	Application is not necessary. Please furnish current status in June.
People receiving child allowance (<i>Jidou teate</i>) at present (March 31) from this city, and also bringing up a child born between April 2, 1995 and April 1, 1997.	Please submit application for increase in Child allowance (<i>Kodomo teate</i>) for approval. Forms will be sent to these applicants in late April.
People who are at present (March 31)	Please submit new application for

receiving child allowance (<i>Jidou teate</i>), but their allowance payment has been temporarily suspended due to non submission of current status notice or inadequate documents	approval of Child allowance (<i>Kodomo teate</i>). Forms will be sent to people currently receiving Child allowance (<i>Jidou teate</i>) in late April.
Public servants	Apply at place of work

Notes

- Please refer to enclosed pamphlet for details of application and necessary documents.
- Applications are not being sent to people whose children have not yet completed junior high school, but are living outside this city. Please contact us at the telephone number given below.
- Though forms are being sent to people in public service, they should apply at their place of work.
- After approval of your application, a notification will be sent regarding the payment date of the said allowance.
- Please contact us in case you don't receive the forms until the middle of May.

Inquiry

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