

Almost an Elementary School Student

The Process of Entering School

1. School Health Check-Up Notice

For students that will be enrolled in school, around the end of September of the year prior to when they will enter school, you will be sent a School Health Check-Up Notice. Children's health check-ups will be held around October and can be easily performed at the municipal elementary schools. They will perform a general health check, eye exam, ears/nose/throat exam, a dental exam, and a simple intelligence test.

2. Admission Notice

About two months before your child will enter school (junior high and elementary) in April, guardians will be sent an Admission Notice.

※If your child is of a foreign nationality, wishes to change the designated school, or is evacuated outside of the city, please contact the School Education Division at 0244-24-5283.

3. Admission Briefing

We will inform you with an introductory guidebook. We will explain what you need to prepare for school as well as student life at your designated school.

If you have any concerns such as allergies, please consult with your school before the first day of school.

4. Entrance Ceremony

Congratulations! You have been enrolled in school!

• Parents who have difficulty in receiving compulsory education for their children due to financial reasons are provided with school aid (school support system) such as school supplies and school meals.

If you need it, please apply at your school.

• The city conducts radiation measurement checks for every school lunch. In addition, all of the food ingredients are tested before cooking (the day before) for the sake of safety. Test results can be seen on the city homepage.

About Admission Applications for Afterschool Children's Clubs

After school, we use children's centers and other facilities to provide appropriate places for playing and learning, and we are working to ensure the healthy development of children.

For those that are interested, please consult with the Children's Home Division.

Youth Sports Groups

Let our heart and minds grow through sports! (See the next page.)