NIC Japanese Class for Children

✎With the aim of providing the Japanese language skills necessary for school and daily life, Nagoya International Center (NIC) volunteer will host Japanese lessons for children whose mother tongue is not Japanese. ✎



Participants: Children to whom either of the following are applicable:

1. Children aged between 6 and 15 years old (born between April 2, 2011 and April 1, 2020) whose mother tongue is not Japanese.
2. Junior high school students who were born before April 2, 2011, whose mother tongue is not Japanese, EXCEPT students of junior high school evening classes. (Please apply to the NIC Japanese Class for High School Students, if you currently attend junior high school evening classes.)

※Priority will be given to those who live in Nagoya City and attend or plan to attend a public elementary school or junior high school in Nagoya City.

Lesson Schedule: **From 10:00 to 11:30, every Sunday from 17 January to 28 March , 2027**
***No lesson on 14 February.**

Lesson Location: Nagoya International Center 3F Lecture Rooms, 5F Conference Room

Participation Fee: 1000 Yen – covers all 10 lessons
※The participation fee is non-refundable under any circumstances.

Capacity: 60 places (**Lot drawing**)
※20 places for 1st to 3rd graders in elementary school, 20 places for 4th to 6th graders in elementary school, and 20 places for junior high school students.

Applications will be by lottery. Even if you apply early, there will be a lot drawing when there are more applications than places available, and it may not be possible for you to attend the class.

Application: Applications for the class are only accepted online through this website.

Procedure: Apply via the NIC website **from 10:00 December . 9 (Wed) to 12:00 December. 18 (Fri)**
※Be sure to apply within the application period.
※If the maximum capacity is reached, there will be a lot drawing.
Siblings who apply together may not necessarily be able to take classes together.
※Only one application can be submitted per person. If you submit multiple applications, all your applications will be deemed invalid.

Interview : Sun. January 10, 2027 **(from 10:00~)** at NIC 4F Exhibition Room 3)
*If you do not come to the Nagoya International Center for the interview and payment, you will not be able to attend the classes.
*Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian during the interview and payment.

※Parent / guardian must complete the application form with the student.
※Please contact us if you are unable to apply online.

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To Parents / Guardians

Before applying …

1. The class is not designed to give students better grades at school. The aim of this class is to support and supplement the Japanese language skills necessary for school life. Our text and materials have been designed with this aim in mind.
2. Unfortunately, our class numbers are limited. (**Lot drawing**)

Notes about our "NIC Japanese Class for Children"

☆ Please attend the application process with your child. Please attend the interview with your child. Accompanying family members will be limited to one person to prevent crowded conditions.

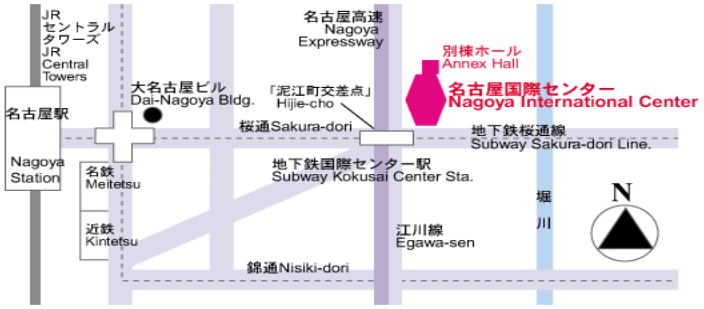
☆ Please give your child a flask of tea to bring to class.

☆ About sending off and picking up children: Parents are responsible for sending off and picking up their children. The Nagoya International Center will not be held responsible for any accidents that should occur outside of a class.

☆ Classes may be cancelled in the case of a storm warning being issued. In the event of cancellation, Nagoya International Centre will notify participants by e-mail.

Applications & Information

Nagoya International Center
Tel: 052-581-5689 (Closed on Mondays)
Fax 052-581-5629
E-mail: vol@nic-nagoya.or.jp



A request to the school teacher

As an organization managing part of the City of Nagoya's international relations activities, the Nagoya International Center holds Japanese lessons for children whose mother tongue is not Japanese. The class aims to provide the Japanese language skills necessary for a smooth school and daily life. During the application process we will be evaluating each student's Japanese ability and subject knowledge. In order to do this we would like the opinion and advice of each student's current school teacher. If possible, we would like the teacher to obtain permission from the student's guardian and to write an opinion and a view about the student's Japanese ability (listening, speaking, reading, and writing) and subject knowledge in the box below. For example: "The student can write 4th grade kanji"

※ Please note that submitted information will not be used for any other purpose.

NIC Japanese Class for Adults

NIC Japanese Class for Highschool Students

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学校名　　先生のお名前