

## Afterschool Kids' Clubs

Accepting new members for next April!

**Inquiries:** Each kids' club; Child & Youth Support Division (1<sup>st</sup> Floor, City Hall Shizuoka Office Original Building) ☎ 054-221-1575; FAX 054-221-9293

The "Afterschool Kids Club" (放課後児童クラブ, *hokago jido kurabu*) is an initiative that looks after elementary school children whose parents aren't at home after school due to work or other engagements, and nurtures them in a safe and wholesome environment.

*Note: For a list of clubs in Shizuoka City, please visit the city website.*

*If the number of applicants exceeds capacity, some clubs may not be able to accept all children.*

### Open Days

Mon-Sat (excluding public holidays and the year-end/new year period)

*Note: Clubs are also open during summer, winter, and spring breaks.*

*Saturday operations vary by club.*

### Open Hours

- On school days: After school until 18:00
- On non-school days: 8:00 to 18:00

*Extended care available from 18:00 to 19:00*



### Usage Fees (As of FY2025, subject to change in FY2026)

- Regular Monthly Fee: 7,500 yen  
(August: 12,000 yen; March: 10,000 yen; Summer break period (21 July – 31 August): 14,600 yen)
- Extended Care Fee: 100 yen per use (maximum 1,000 yen per month)

### Application Period

Beginning: Wednesday 1 October

Deadlines:

- First round: Fri 31 October
- Second round: Sat 31 January (2026)

*Applications for May enrollment and beyond will be accepted starting in February.*

### How to Apply

- Online application form: <https://logoform.jp/form/79j2/1162429>
- Submit a paper application at each club's reception desk (weekdays until 18:00)

Application guides and forms are available at: Each After-School Kids Club, Shizuoka City Council of Social Welfare, Child & Youth Support Division, Childcare Support Divisions in each ward, Kambara Branch Office, Shizuoka City website

### Support for Families

- Households with multiple children enrolled at the same time or with lower income may be eligible for reduced fees.
- Some clubs accept children from schools other than the designated ones, operate only during summer, or are run by private organizations.

For details, please refer to the application guide or visit the city website. <https://www.city.shizuoka.lg.jp/p008921.html>



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