

To All the Parents

◇ 令和6年度 就学援助制度のお知らせ ◇

NOTIFICATION REGARDING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR EDUCATION SYSTEM FOR 2024

Yokkaichi City Board of Education School Education Dept.

In Yokkaichi City, those families who are facing financial difficulties in supporting the educational expenses in public elementary and Junior High school are partially supported.

Qualified Recipient

Those families who are facing financial difficulties in supporting the educational expenses of their children or either of the following condition.

- (1) Through income screening, families who meet the Yokkaichi City Income Criteria (Please read the back page as for reference).
- (2) Families whose public assistance were stopped or discontinued in year 2023 based on Social Welfare Law.
- (3) Other special conditions・・・ Families that will be approved by the Board of Education

Special conditions ・・・Changes in family conditions (death, divorce etc.) or special conditions like (change of occupation, resignation, disease, fire, accident etc.) that caused a remarkable changes in livelihood

Support • Amount of Support (Annual) • Issuance Period

Support	Elementary School		Junior High School		Issuance Period
	Grade 1	Grade 2～6	1st Year	2nd・3rd Year	
Fees for School supplies・School-commuting supplies (Including Online Studies Communication fee)	25,630yen	27,900yen	36,730yen	39,000yen	Mid of July, December and March (The amount stated in the left will be issued dividedly.)
School supplies for incoming students	54,060yen	—	63,000yen	—	February (※1)
Total	79,690yen	27,900yen	99,730yen	39,000yen	

This is the Annual Amount of Support for those who will be approved in April. This was based on the 2023 Issued Amount. Possible changes might be applied in 2024.

School Lunch Fees

School lunches in elementary and Junior High school will be in-kind supply. If the financial assistance for education has been approved, there is no need to pay for school lunch fees. Yet, if you happen to pay for the lunch during the period that your financial assistance has been approved, your payment will be refunded to you.

School Supplies Fees for Incoming Students (※1)

- ・ This will be issued to incoming students before entering public elementary and Junior High school on April 2024.
- ・ To those who submit the application after the deadline of submission, this might be issued after school admission.
- ・ For those who were approved by the end of April 2024 only.
- ・ To those who transferred from other city or town, you will not be supported by Yokkaichi City if you already received support from other city or town.

Support other than mentioned above

(1) Part of expenses for Off-Campus activities (Field trip, Community observation etc.), actual cost of School Field trip (If the day it will be conducted has been authorized), actual cost of graduation album (Children who are certified on March 1 and have purchased. maximum amount: Elementary School11,000yen, Junior High School8,800yen)

(2) Actual cost for school-commuting (With a one-way distance more than 4km for elementary school and more than 6 km for Junior HS using public transportations, those coming from outside school zone are not included).

(3) Medical Expenses - Only those who were instructed by the school to seek for medical treatment for Trachoma, Conjunctivitis, Ringworm, Scabies, Impetigo, Otitis media, Chronic rhinitis, Adenoid, Tooth decay and Parasitic worm.

(4) There is no need to pay for Japan Sport Council Mutual Aid Premium.

Application

※ You have to re-apply every year for continuation. This is not renewed automatically.

◆ Requirements

- (1) Application Form... This is available at school or at City Hall 9F Board of Education School Education Dept.
- (2) *Inkan* (認印 *Mitome in*)
- (3) If your address as of January 1, 2023 was outside the city, you may be asked to submit your 2022 Income Certificate from the place you lived (including the member of your family household).
※ For those who have not yet declared their income, you have to file at Municipal Tax Division. To those who have no income (except for dependents), you have to declare that you have no income.

◆ Place to submit your application

- (1) To the Yokkaichi City Elementary or Jr. HS. where the child is presently enrolled.
- (2) To the Yokkaichi City Elementary or Jr. HS. where your child will be enrolled.
- (3) To the Board of Education School Education Dept.
※ If siblings are enrolled at elementary and Jr. HS: Only 1 application must be submitted to the Elementary or Jr. HS., or Board of Education School Education Dept. (No need to submit to both schools.)

Please do not apply if you are planning to transfer to other school outside Yokkaichi or to be enrolled at private school by the end of March 2024 (You can apply again if you will be admitted to any schools within Yokkaichi City).

◆ Deadline of Submission **October 31th, 2023 (Tue)**

But applications will still be accepted even after the deadline.



Screening

In Income screening, the income (※2) in year 2022 of all the members of the family household (※1) will be checked.

(※1) All the members of the family household... Blood-related or not, these are the people who are members of the family household and all the family members indicated in the Residence certificate. Including the income of those who live away from home because of work but are considered as members of the family household. But those who are practically living separately with separate livelihood are not included.

(※2) Income... This is the amount of income indicated in the ^{げんせんちようしゅうひょう}源泉徴収票 (Tax withholding slip) after deducting from the salary of the person employed. The income of the business owners is the amount of income stated in the ^{かくてい}確定申告書 (Final income tax return).

After the income screening, additional confirmation might be conducted.

◆ Screening Result Notification

The result of the screening for financial assistance for education will be sent through mail in early January 2024.

Issuance

(1) A 「^{しきゅうめいさいつうちしよ}支給明細通知書 Issuance Statement Notice」 will be sent by mail before the date of issuance.

(2) It will be transferred to the bank account specified by the parent. But if you have unpaid billings in the school, the financial assistance will be allocated for your arrears in school.

Income Criteria (Ref.)

The income criteria vary according to family members, age and housing condition. The table below is the rough estimate. (This is the amount as of September 2023, this might change depending on the year.)

Members of the family (Age)	Estimated Net Income Criteria	Estimated Total Income
2people (Age 33・11)	About 2.76 million yen	About 4.13 million yen
3people (Age 36・8・6)	About 3.55 million yen	About 5.11 million yen
3people (Age 38・37・6)	About 3.18 million yen	About 4.65 million yen
4people (Age 40・35・6・2)	About 3.39 million yen	About 4.91 million yen
5people (Age 40・37・9・5・0)	About 3.46 million yen	About 5.00 million yen
6people (Age 43・41・12・8・5・3)	About 3.59 million yen	About 5.16 million yen

Please contact the school or the Board of Educ., School Educ. Dept. (TEL354 - 8250) regarding the details of this system.