

Kakamigahara English News

Family Support Benefits:

Don't forget to apply for the various benefits this month for the new fiscal year!

General:

Please update your information if you have a child, move in or out of the city, etc. There's some support available for many parents in general. If you are continuing, please be sure to do so within 15 days. You can apply/update/consult at the Family Support Division in the city hall, or at the Service Center counter.

Low Income: (Up to 18)

Additional support for any family of low income is also available (50,000 yen per child). This includes job and income loss/economic hardship caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. Some may be automatically enrolled if they are enrolled in other benefits, but some may need to apply (such as the case with COVID related loss). To do so you can download the forms from the city webpage or from the Family Support Division.

Single Parent: (Up to 18)

If you are a single parent you can receive additional money for your child. Please consult with the Family Support Division.

For more information, please contact the Family Support Division at TEL 058-383-7217

The Kakamigahara City Hall Tourism and Multicultural Division

You can find us on the 6th floor of the Sangyou Bunka Center. Our hours are 8:30 AM~5:15 PM.

Telephone: 058-383-1426

E-Mail: kia@city.kakamigahara.gifu.jp

Website: www.kia1986.org

Please feel free to contact us if you have questions, comments, or for more information.

Children's Health Services for June:

Reception: Reservations are from 8:30 AM-12:50 PM in person or online. If unable to make your reservation then, you may do so by telephone from 1:00PM-1:30 PM. Reservations are **same day only**.

Due to current situation regarding the coronavirus, please be sure to bring your own bath towel.

NOTE: Because of the COVID-19 vaccinations, please be sure to check online at the city webpage or other sources for updates. All appointments will be at the *Sogo Fukushi Kaikan*.

4 months

Date	Area:	For Children Born
June 1 (Tue)	Naka/Kawashima/Sohara/Inaba	January 1-15 2021
June 2 (Wed)	Naka/Kawashima/Sohara/Inaba	January 16-31 2021
June 3 (Fri)	Unuma	January 2021

11 months

Date	Location	For Children Born
June 28 (Mon)	Naka/Kawashima/Sohara/Inaba	July 2020
June 29 (Tue)	Unuma	July 2020

1 year 6 months (18 months)

Date	Location	For Children Born
June 15 (Tue)	Naka/Kawashima/Sohara/Inaba	November 1-13 2019
June 16 (Wed)	Naka/Kawashima/Sohara/Inaba	November 14-30 2019
June 21 (Mon)	Unuma	November 2019

There is also a dental check, please be sure to brush teeth before coming in.

3 years

Date	Location	For Children Born
June 22 (Tue)	Naka/Kawashima/Sohara/Inaba	April 1-15 2018
June 23 (Wed)	Naka/Kawashima/Sohara/Inaba	April 16-30 2018
June 25 (Fri)	Unuma	April 2018

Includes physical, vision and hearing check, urine exam.

For more information contact the Kakamigahara Kenko Kanrika at TEL 058-383-1115

OR the Higashi Hoken Soudan Center (Unuma) at TEL 058-379-7888

Blood Donation

There will be an opportunity to donate blood coming soon. If you'd like to donate, please do so!

When: June 2, 2021

Time: 1:30 PM~4:00 PM

Place: *ken kinzokukōgyōdanchi kyōdō kumiai* (Prefectural Metal Industry Cooperative Complex) For more information please call the Health management Division at TEL 058-383-7570.

City Hall Holiday / After Hours and Services for May:

The Kakamigahara City Hall will have the following irregular hours for the following services in May. Please use the basement entrance located on the North Side of the Main building.

Please be aware that city functions and office hours may change in an emergency.

Division	Evening Consultations	Holiday hours	Telephone
National Health Insurance (1 st floor, Medical Insurance Division)	May 12~14, 17 (Wed ~ Fri, Mon) 5:15PM~8:00 PM	May 16 (Sun) 1:00 ~5:00 PM	058-383- 1112
City Tax Office (City Hall, 2 F)	May 11~14, 17 (Tue ~ Fri, Mon) 5:15PM~8:00 PM	May 16 (Sun) 1:00 ~5:00 PM	058-383- 4773

My Number Card Window Extended Service Times

Through June the My Number pick up/services will be extended during weekday hours on the following days from 5:15 PM~7:00 PM due to the needs of this time of year. Dates are May 6, 13, 20, 27; June 3, 10, 17, 24. Weekend hours are 9:00 AM~12:30 Noon on April 11, 17; May 9, 23; June 13, 17.

If you need to pick up your card on the weekend, please make a reservation by phone during the weekday hours (8:30 AM~5:15 PM). For more information please call the Citizen's Services Division at TEL 058-383-1078.

Special Temporary Benefit Payment for Single-Parent Households

Single parent households will be eligible to receive 6,000 yen per child for the year. You can get the application online from the city website. As all foreign residents are considered “outside the city” regardless of visa type, it will be necessary to apply in person at the Family Support Division. You must bring any of the following documents to apply: Child-Rearing Allowance Certificate (*jido fuyo teate*), Medical Recipient Certificate (Single Parent), or certification to prove your marital status as legally single. You will also need to bring your personal seal (*inkan* or *hanko*). Application deadline is May 25, 2021.

Please contact the Family Support Division at TEL 058-383-7284

Light Vehicle (*keijidosya*) Taxes are Coming

Light vehicle taxes (*kei* cars, agricultural vehicles, light 2 and 3 wheeled vehicles, etc.) are due May 31. Don't be late! Pay slips will be sent out May 11th. Be aware this is the same time as other (larger capacity engine) vehicle taxes are also sent out and collected by the prefecture; light vehicles however are collected by municipalities where the vehicles are registered.

Payment can be made through Convenience Stores, Banks, and now even through your smartphone apps like auPAY, LINE Pay, Pay B, PayPay, etc.

Please be aware the taxes did increase from last year. Also, if your car/vehicle is over 13 years old, there was an additional tax created a few years ago that you will need to pay more. If you have an ecologically friendly vehicle (natural gas, electric, etc), then you will have a lower tax burden.

If you have any questions or comments, or believe the tax was incorrectly calculated, please feel free to contact the Municipal Vehicle Tax Division at TEL 058- 383- 4703 or the Prefectural Vehicle Tax Division at TEL 058- 279-3781 for questions or consultations.

~ From everyone at KIA and Kakamigahara City Hall, Have a Wonderful Golden Week!