

SMILE COUPONS

For Raising Children in Kanazawa

Now accepting applications

■ What are SMILE COUPONS for Raising Children in Kanazawa?

The coupons include **services to increase opportunities for you and your child to enjoy time together (outing coupons)** and **various services to reduce your child-raising burden (trial coupons)**.

*The coupons were changed to electronic coupons from April 2023. You can access them via your smartphone.



■ Coupon Descriptions

- ☐ **Outing coupons** Can be used when you and your children use the facilities **(73 coupons)**
- ☐ **Trial coupons** For trial use of various services to reduce your child-raising burden **(35 coupons)**
- ☐ **Picture book coupon** Allows you to choose a picture book to receive from a list of books **(one coupon)**

■ When is the deadline for using the coupons?

Coupons can be used until the end of the school year (March 31), before the child starts attending elementary school. Coupons for public baths can be used by children born in or after April 2020, until they are in the third grade of elementary school.

■ Who can apply? Parents of preschool children in Kanazawa

■ How to apply?

You can apply via the “Ishikawa Central Area Child-raising App”.

***If your child has already been given coupons (booklet), you cannot apply for the electronic coupons. If you want to change your paper coupons (booklet) into electronic coupons, it is necessary to apply via the app for transfer from paper coupons, and return the paper coupons.**

Application procedure

STEP1

Install the app

STEP2

Apply for the coupons via the app

1. Enter “金沢市” (Kanazawa City) for your address, and the banner “かなざわ子育てすまいるクーポン” (Smile Coupons for raising Children in Kanazawa) will be shown on the home screen.
2. Tap the banner and select “新規利用申請” (Application) on the next screen to apply.



This icon is the mark to look for

Install the app from here



【AppStore】

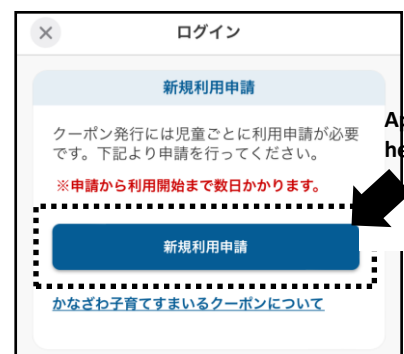


【GooglePlay】



App home screen

Tap the banner



Screen after tapping the banner

Precautions

- Set your ID and password yourself upon application.
- You can use the coupons a few days after your application.
- Applications are necessary for each child.

■ How to use it?

1. When the e-mail arrives after application, enter your child's ID and password to login.
2. You can receive benefits at the facility when you show the coupon screen of your smartphone.

■ Using the coupons on multiple devices (e.g. those of the parents and grandparents)

It is possible to use the coupons on multiple devices by sharing your child's ID and password.



Postpartum Helpers

- **What are postpartum helpers?** Helpers are sent to your home to help you with child raising and housework so that you can raise your child and be worry-free until you recover from childbirth.
- **Who can use the system?** Mothers and their spouses who do not have anyone to help with child-raising or housework, within six months after childbirth or leaving hospital (or within two years after childbirth in the case of multiple births, or one year after childbirth if the children have siblings less than three years old)
- **When are helpers dispatched?** Once (2 hours) a day, Mon. - Fri. 9:00am - 5:00pm, except year-end and New Year's holidays
- **How many times are helpers dispatched?** 20 times within six months of childbirth / leaving hospital. Up to 50 times within two years after childbirth for multiple births; if the children have any siblings less than three years old, up to 25 times within one year of childbirth.
- **How much is the fee?**

Households receiving public assistance or exempted from municipal tax	Free
Households exempted from income tax	250 yen / time
Other households (When using a trial coupon)	1,000 yen / time (500 yen / time)

A payment notice will be sent in the month following the dispatch due date. Please pay at a specified financial institution.



- **How to apply?** Apply via the Kanazawa City Electronic Application Service or fill out the application form and submit or send it to Kanazawa Health and Welfare Foundation seven days before dispatch. (You can phone or send a fax if you are in a hurry.)

Kanazawa Health and Welfare Foundation 3-23 Otemachi, Kanazawa 920-0912 (Health Plaza Otemachi)
Tel: 076-260-0071 (Mon.-Fri. 9:00am-5:00pm) Fax: 076-222-0025



Family Support Center

- **What is the Family Support Center?** The center facilitates mutual support between those who seek support for child raising (support-requesting members) and those who hope to provide support (support-providing members) in order to promote community support for child-raising families.
- **Who can request support?** People who live in Kanazawa and have a child between the ages of one month and elementary-school age.
- **What types of support are provided?** Childcare before and after kindergarten, nursing schools or certified centers for early childhood education and care (ECEC) and taking children to those childcare facilities; childcare after school or after-school children's clubs; childcare if it is difficult to take children along or when caregivers go to hospital; care for convalescent children; and childcare to provide caregiver respite.
- **When are children taken care of?** 6:00am - 10:00pm (no overnight childcare)
- **Where are children taken care of?** In principle, children are taken care of at the house of a support-providing member. If members agree mutually, it is possible to take care of children at the house of a support-requesting member or take children along.
- **How much is the fee?** 700 yen / hour (if a **trial coupon** is used, the first hour is free.)
The requesting member should pay the fee directly to the providing member in cash.
- **How to apply?** Call Kanazawa City Family Support Center. However, member registration is necessary before using the system for the first time. Apply via the Kanazawa City Electronic Application Service or fill out the application form and submit or send it to the center.

Kanazawa City Family Support Center 3-10-1 Togashi, Kanazawa 921-8171 (Kanazawa Education Plaza)
Tel: 076-243-3410 (Mon. - Sat. 9:00am - 5:30pm) Fax: 076-243-3412



Temporary Childcare by Nursing Schools and Certified Centers for Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC)

- **What is temporary childcare?** Childcare is provided temporarily when caregivers are sick, attend wedding ceremonies, funerals, etc., or need a break.
- **How old must children be to qualify?** Preschool children (varies depending on the facility)
- **Where are children taken care of?** Ohisama Room, Honwaka Room, Nursery at the 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Chibikko Hiroba at Omicho Exchange Plaza (3F), Nursery at Kanazawa Mirai No Machi Creation Center, nursing schools and certified centers for early childhood education and care (ECEC) that provide temporary childcare
- **How much is the fee?** As shown in the table below, the fee (if a **trial coupon** is used, the first hour is free), care hours, time periods, and required items vary depending on the facility. Please ask each facility.
- **How to apply** Reservation required. Apply to each facility directly. Applications may not be accepted for reasons such as limited capacity.

Ohisama Room	1-5 Seito (Docomo Kanazawa Seito Bldg. 1F)	☎076-267-2330
Honwaka Room	15-7 Nakamura-machi (in Nakamuramachi Childcare Center)	☎076-241-9837
Nursery at the 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa	1-2-1 Hirosaka	☎076-220-2815
Chibikko Hiroba at Omicho Exchange Plaza	88 Aokusa-machi	☎076-260-6724
Nursery at Kanazawa Mirai No Machi Creation Center	3-11-1 Nomachi	☎076-280-3114

Nursing schools and certified centers that provide temporary childcare

(For information on participating nursery schools and similar facilities, please contact the Nursery School and Kindergarten Section at 076-220-2299, access the Child-rearing support website (<http://www.kanazawa-kosodate.net/>), or refer to the Child-rearing Support Book "Nobinobi~no".)

※Applications may not be accepted due to reasons particular to the facility.

Check here for further information



Temporary Childcare for Sick Children

- **What is temporary childcare for sick children?** Childcare is provided temporarily when caregivers have difficulty caring for their child due to work or other reasons.
- **Which children are eligible for coupons?** Preschoolers who receive "Smile Coupons for Raising Children in Kanazawa".
- **How much is the fee?** You can use **trial coupons** to obtain benefits such as 500 yen off the regular charge of 2,000 yen (discounted to 1,500 yen). (One coupon can be used per day.) Since fees are subject to change depending on the facility and closed days, please confirm with the facility.
- **Where are children taken care of? How to apply?** Reservation is required. Apply to the desired facility directly. Your application might not be accepted due to capacity limits, etc.

Hiyoko Sick Child Nursery at Ishikawa Prefectural Central Hospital	2-1 Kuratsuki Higashi	☎076-238-7868
Sakura Sick Child Nursery at Kanazawa Municipal Hospital	3-7-3 Heiwa-machi	☎076-245-7330
Tampopo Room at Kanazawa University Hospital	13-1 Takara-machi	☎076-265-2990
Hotto Room Sick Child Nursery at Kensei Clinic	3-5-2 Heiwa-machi	☎076-241-9062
Happy Sick Child Nursery at Johoku Hospital	20-3 Kyomachi	☎076-253-0561
Seirei Sick Child Nursery at Seirei Infant Home	1-5-30 Nagamachi	☎076-223-2980
Himawari Room at Matsuda Pediatric Clinic	2-7-37 Masuizumi	☎076-225-6344
Korisu-no-sato Sick Child Nursery at Yokoi Clinic	1-10-3 Kikugawa	☎076-262-8551

Check here for further information



Facilities that Accept Outing Coupons



21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa/ Kigoyama Planetarium/ Cultural Facilities (5 coupons)

Free for a child and two accompanying persons

Kanazawa Yuwaku Yumejikan Museum ☎235-1112 Kanazawa Nakamura memorial Museum ☎221-0751 Kanazawa Yasue Gold Leaf Museum ☎251-8950
Great People of Kanazawa Memorial Museum ☎220-2474 Kanazawa Noh Museum ☎220-2790 Kanazawa literary Hall ☎263-2444
The Old Site of Mr.Kurando Terashika's House ☎224-2789 Tokuda Shusei Kinenkan Museum ☎251-4300 Izumi kyoka Kinenkan Museum ☎222-1025
Kanazawa Phonograph Museum ☎232-3066 Kanazawa Shinise Memorial Museum ☎220-2524 Maeda Tosanokami-ke Shiryokan Museum ☎233-1561
Muro Saisei Kinenkan Museum ☎245-1108 D.T. Suzuki Museum ☎221-8011 Kanazawa Folklore Museum ☎222-5740
Kanazawa Yuwaku Edomura ☎235-1267 Yoshiro and Yoshio Taniguchi Museum of Architecture, Kanazawa ☎247-3031
21st century museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa - Collection exhibition ☎220-2800 Planetarium-Ginga no sato Kigoyama ☎229-1141



Public baths (10 coupons *5 coupons for children who were born on or before April 1, 2020)

Free for a child and one accompanying person

Z Sasano-yu ☎243-4205 Kobashi-yu ☎252-3342 Kanazawa Onsen Kanaiwaso ☎267-0630 Healthy Bath 268 ☎240-2600
Lemon-yu ☎243-0626 Ishibiki Onsen Kamenoyu ☎262-4126 Kenroku Onsen ☎221-2587 Yamato Onsen ☎251-4343
Hytan-yu ☎261-0543 Futaba-yu ☎261-2711 Moroeno-yu ☎0120-31-0268 Kuwana-yu ☎252-2659
Awazu-yu ☎243-9045 Matsuno-yu ☎231-5611



5 Prefectural Facilities (one coupon for each facility)

Free for a child and two accompanying persons

Ishikawa Zoo ☎0761-51-8500 Notojima Aquarium ☎0767-84-1271 Ishikawa Insect Museum ☎076-272-3417
Ishikawa Children's Activity Center・Planetarium Hyakuman boshi ☎243-6501 Prefecture Kaihin pool ☎267-2266



Kanazawa FURATTO Bus (10 coupons)

Free for one adult when riding Kanazawa FURATTO Bus with a child

Traffic Affairs Section ☎076-220-2038



Amerun Park (indoor interchange open space) /Municipal pool (20 coupons)

Free for a child and two accompanying persons

Municipal Seibu pool ☎291-6450 Municipal Naruwadai pool ☎251-3963 Kanazawa Pool ☎251-3535
Amerun Park (indoor interchange open space) ☎251-3531



Uchikawa Sports Area (20 coupons)

Free for one ride of Rainbow Mobile, Dokidoki Slider or Nakayoshi Cycle

Uchikawa Sports Area ☎229-4013



Nearby children's playing facilities (one coupon for each facility)

Free for a child and two accompanying persons

Train Park Hakusan children's play area ☎076-235-9677

Asobi-no-mori Kahokkuru ☎076-208-3517 Ishikawa Forest Park Mori-no-himitsu-kichi ☎076-209-2522



Picture Book Coupon (One coupon)

■ Which picture books are available? One picture book from the list of books recommended by Kanazawa City Library (available books may vary)

■ Where are the picture books available? Picture books are provided in exchange for coupons at the Children's Plaza of each Health and Welfare Center.

Izumino Children's Plaza ☎226-1154 Ekinishi Children's Plaza ☎234-5136 Motomachi Children's Plaza ☎251-2258



【Picture book list】

Kanazawa City Children's Future Wellbeing Department

Child-rearing Support Section

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