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Event






Orientation Workshop for International Parents of New First Graders

This orientation will explain elementary school events and necessary school supplies before enrollment and how children typically spend their time after school. After the explanation, we will listen to experiences shared by parents and guardians who have already sent their children to school and provide an opportunity for attendees to socialize with each other.

Eligibility: Non-Japanese parents and guardians with preschool-aged children

* Interpretation will be provided (English, Chinese, and other languages.

Please inquire about other languages.)

-  1:30 pm to 4:00 pm, Sunday, October 5, 2025
-  Ota International Exchange Center ("Minto Ota")
(2nd floor, 4-16-8 Kamata, Ota-ku)
-  Free of charge
-  Apply on the GOCA website
-  Global City Ota Cooperation Association (GOCA)
☎ 03-6410-7981 Fax 03-6410-7982
Email: mail@ota-goca.or.jp



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Event

Sekai no Mama/Papa Hiroba (Get-together for international parents)

Ota City is launching a space where parents and children aged 0 to 3 years old with ties to countries other than Japan can drop by for a casual chat. Feel free to come and go at any time. No application is necessary.

Informal activities are also planned for each event.

Let's create a space where people feel welcome regardless of their language or culture.

【Description/Themes】

September: Parent-child music and movement class
(exercises to do with your child and hand games)

October: Information exchange regarding enrollment in
nursery school and kindergarten

November: Discussion about day-to-day childcare

December: Christmas party



2025

10:00 am to 12:00 pm, Wednesday, September 17

10:00 am to 12:00 pm, Wednesday, October 15

10:00 am to 12:00 pm, Wednesday, November 19

10:00 am to 12:00 pm, Wednesday, December 17



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Procedure

Daycare Center Applications (for Use from April 2026) and Consultations

【Applications for authorized daycare centers】

● Eligibility

Children who are unable to stay home due to the employment of their parent(s) or guardian(s), including job hunting, illness, childbirth, nursing care or caregiving duties, school attendance, or similar reason.

● Obtaining the required documents

The 2026 "Daycare Center Application Guidebook" and documents necessary for application will be available at the application counter from Thursday, September 25. Confirmation of the status of residence will be required for foreign nationals.

● Sunday reception

9:00 am to 4:00 pm on Sunday, November 2

Applications will be accepted at the application counter.



Wednesday, October 1, to Friday, November 28,
2025



Nursery Usage Support Section, Nursery Services
Division

(Counter No. 21, 3rd floor, 5-13-14 Kamata, Ota-ku)



Bring the necessary documents to the application
counter.



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Notice

Accepting Scholarship Applications from Students Going on to University or Institutions of Higher Education

The applicant must be a dependent of a parent or guardian who has resided in Ota City for at least one year before the loan and benefits start.
Please inquire for details.

- From early September to early November, 2025
- Benefit-type: 150,000 yen (lump-sum payment made before entering university, etc.)
Loan-type: National or public institution: Maximum of 35,000 yen per month
Private institution: Maximum of 44,000 yen per month
- Welfare Management Division
☎ 03-5744-1245
Fax 03-5744-1520



Notice

Free Tuberculosis Screening is Available (Chest X-Ray Examination)

The number of tuberculosis cases among foreign-born patients is on the rise, accounting for more than 80% of new cases in the 20–29 age group. An annual chest X-ray examination is recommended to help detect tuberculosis early on. Please use this program if you do not have the opportunity to undergo regular examinations.
* No appointment needed
Please visit the website for more information.

- 9:30 am to 12:00 pm, 1:30 pm to 4:00 pm,
Tuesday, October 7, 2025
- Rokugo Branch Office
(2-44-11 Nakarokugo, Ota-ku)
- Free of charge
- Infectious Disease Countermeasures Division
☎ 03-4446-2643
Fax 03-5744-1524



Event

Haneda Airport “Sora no Hi (Sky Day)” Festival 2025

Ota City will hold events commemorating “Sora no Hi (Sky Day)” to build familiarity and affinity with Haneda Airport. Companies in the airline industry and other fields will present a variety of programs for the public’s enjoyment. The festival will be a great opportunity to visit Haneda Airport with your family and friends.



- 10:00 am to 5:00 pm,
Saturday, September 27, 2025
- Haneda Airport Terminals 1, 2, and 3
• HANEDA AIRPORT GARDEN
(2-7-1 Haneda-Kuko, Ota-ku)
- Free of charge
Due to the popularity of last year’s event, the Ota City booth will once again host a button badge-making activity.
- Industry Promotion Section, Industry Promotion Division
☎ 03-5744-1322 Fax 03-6424-8233
Email: kanko@city.ota.tokyo.jp

Notice Try the Ota City Garbage Sorting App!

Have you ever struggled to remember which days to put out your garbage? Do you have questions about how to separate it? Ota City provides an app that makes it easy to access frequently asked questions about garbage - such as collection days, the proper ways to put out garbage, important points to remember, and types of garbage - with your smartphone. Give it a try!



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Project Promotion Section, Waste Reduction Promotion Division
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Visit the website to learn more about
Ota City's Garbage Sorting App: ▶



Notice Please Observe the "Five Rules for Safe Bicycle Riding"

- ❶ As a general rule, ride on the road, keeping to the left.
Ride on sidewalks only in special cases. Pedestrians have priority on sidewalks.
- ❷ At intersections, observe traffic signals and stop signs. Make sure the way is safe before proceeding.
- ❸ Use lights at night.
- ❹ Never ride while intoxicated.
- ❺ Wear a helmet.

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Notice Park Your Bicycle in Bicycle Parking Lots

Per city ordinance, Ota City designates areas around stations as "no bicycle parking zones," and regularly impounds unattended bicycles in these zones. Impounded bicycles are generally held for 30 days at an Impounded Bicycle Storage Center and will be disposed of if not claimed within this time frame.

Please make use of bicycle parking lots and do not leave your bicycle in public spaces (e.g. along roads and in front of stations).

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(Impounded Bicycle Storage Centers)



(City-Run Bicycle Parking Lots)



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