For households that have recently become "Residential-Tax-Exempt Households" or have been imposed with "Residential Tax Based Only on Per-Capita Rate" in the 2024 fiscal year

A Guide about the Priority Support Benefits Due to Rising Prices of Commodities and Other Daily Necessities-Additional Child Benefits (¥50,000/child)

The City of Nagaoka has sent letters with the description of and application procedures for these benefits to the heads of households who are believed to be eligible.

- If you wish to receive this benefit, read the "Required Procedures for Receiving the Benefit" listed below and send the required documents via postal mail.
- Regarding the Priority Support Benefits Due to Rising Prices of Commodities and Other Daily Necessities – "Additional Child Benefits"

In order to reduce the burden of the rising prices of commodities and other daily necessities, this national government benefit project will provide <u>¥50,000/household</u> to <u>applicable households</u>.

- ① As you were notified in a separate letter from the city, your household is eligible for the "Priority Support Benefits Due to Rising Prices of Commodities and Other Daily Necessities" (¥100,000/household for households that have recently become "Residential-Tax-Exempt Households" or have been imposed with "Residential Tax Based Only on Per-Capita Rate").
- ② Your household has a dependent child aged 18 years or under (born on or after April 2, 2006). (In principle, this benefit does not apply to children under the care of institutions.)

Note: The amount of the benefit indicated in the enclosed "Confirmation Form" was calculated based on the number of eligible children as of June 3, 2024 (the reference day for determination).

Note: Children born from June 4, 2024 to October 31, 2024 are also eligible for the Additional Child Benefits.→For these children, separate procedures are required. Check the back side of this page.

Required Procedures for Receiving the Benefits

The "Confirmation Form" must be submitted, indicating the account to which benefits are to be paid and with photocopies of the required documents attached.

• After carefully examining the "Example Application Form," fill in the "Confirmation Form" and attach photocopies of the required supporting documents.

The confirmation form must be completed correctly without any omissions.

(Note: If some items in the confirmation form are found to be false, you may be asked to return the benefit.)

• Return the completed "Confirmation Form" with the required supporting documents in the return envelope via postal mail as soon as possible.

**Application Deadline: Thursday, October 31, 2024**(must be postmarked no later than this date)

• You will receive the benefit around four weeks after the City of Nagaoka receives your "Confirmation Form."

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For multilingual information (in Chinese, English, and easy Japanese), you can check the Nagaoka City website on the right. 如果您想查看外语资料, 请扫描此二维码访问长冈市官方网站。



**Notice:** 

The following households are required to submit separate application forms.

## If the household has a child who was born from June 4, 2024 to October 31, 2024

- The amount of the Additional Child Benefits indicated in the enclosed "Confirmation Form" was calculated based on the number of eligible children in the household as of June 3, 2024.
- In addition to these children, children born from June 4, 2024 to October 31, 2024 are also eligible for the Additional Child Benefits.
- In order to receive the additional child benefits, a separate application form and photocopies of required supporting documents must be submitted by the deadline.

**Application Deadline: Friday, November 15, 2024** (must be postmarked no later than this date)

**▶▶** If you are eligible, contact the call center below.

## Regarding Children Who Are Not Members of the Same Households and Not Living in the Same Households as Their Legal Guardians

- Regarding children 18 years old or under (born on or after April 2, 2005) who are living in a dormitory or someone else's home and not living in the same households as their legal guardians, the Additional Child Benefits may be provided for their legal guardians as long as the heads of the current households (i.e., the household head of the dormitory or the home the child is living in) are not eligible for this benefit.
  - In order to receive the additional child benefits, a separate application form and photocopies of required supporting documents must be submitted by the deadline.

**Application Deadline: Thursday, October 31, 2024** (must be postmarked no later than this date)

## For Further Information



Business Days and Hours: Weekdays 8:30 a.m. - 5:15 p.m. (also at the City Office General Service Desks)

## Be aware of bank transfer scams and personal identity theft!

If you receive a suspicious phone call or letter at your home or workplace claiming to be from the prefecture, the municipality, or the national government (or their respective employees), please contact your municipal office, local police station, or the specially designated police consultation line (#9110).