

## Notification of School Expense Subsidies (New Enrollment Subsidies) for Fiscal Year 2024

The School Enrollment Assistance (New Enrollment Subsidies) is a system to provide a certain amount of financial aid to those whose children will be entering municipal elementary schools and who are having trouble preparing for school due to financial reasons. In order to receive the aid, you must apply for it. The conditions for receiving aid and the amount of aid are as follows. If you do not wish to apply for this assistance there is no need to submit the application form.

### 1. Potential Recipients of the New Enrollment Subsidies

Students who meet any of the following application reasons may apply for the New Enrollment Subsidies.

Application Reasons	
(1)	Public assistance has been suspended or terminated this year or in the previous year.
(2)	Receiving a child rearing allowance. * Not the child allowance or special child bearing allowance.
(3)	Income in 2022 was less than the standard amount (see the guidelines below).
(4)	Have other financial difficulties.
(5)	Household finances changed abruptly.

※ Regarding (4) Other financial difficulties and (5) Sudden change in household finances, the applicant may be eligible for assistance if he/she has received a Livelihood Welfare Fund Loan, lost his/her job, etc. For details, please refer to the attached "Reasons and Required Documents for Recognition of Need for Assistance in Excess of the Approved Standard Amount."

### [Guidelines for Total income or Gross Income]

Number of household members	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven	Eight
Total income	Approx. 2.13 million yen	Approx. 2.66 million yen	Approx. 3.1 million yen	Approx. 3.23 million yen	Approx. 3.67 million yen	Approx. 4.6 million yen	Approx. 5.02 million yen
(Gross income)	(Approx. 3.31 million yen)	(Approx. 4 million yen)	(Approx. 4.55 million yen)	(Approx. 4.72 million yen)	(Approx. 5.26 million yen)	(Approx. 6.42 million yen)	(Approx. 6.91 million yen)

※The total income amount refers to the amount stated on the "Certificate of Taxable (Non-taxable) Amount" for municipal and prefectural taxes.

In the case of the Certificate of Income and Withholding Tax, the amount is the sum of the "Amount After Deduction of Employment Income" column, and for the Tax Return, the sum of the "Total," "Separate Tax," "Retirement," and "Timber" columns of the "Income" column.

Furthermore, if there is more than one person with income in the household, the amount will be the total of each person's income. If there is income from employment, public pension, etc., 100,000 yen is to be deducted from the total amount of income from employment and public pension.

### 2. Ineligibility for New Enrollment Subsidies

If any of the following descriptions are applicable to you, you are not eligible to receive New Enrollment Subsidies.

1	You are receiving public assistance. (If you are receiving public assistance, you can receive Enrollment Subsidies from public assistance.)
2	You do not have a savings account at a financial institution.
3	You are receiving a support similar to the New Enrollment Subsidies from another municipality.
4	Your child will enroll in a elementary school other than one in Kawasaki municipal elementary school before February 1, 2024.
5	Your child will enroll in a Kawasaki municipal special support education school before February 1, 2024. (Any child who enrolls in a special support education school is eligible for Expenses for School Supplies for New Students that are provided as a special support education scholarship incentive fee.)

\* If you do not have a savings account at a financial institution, the school expense subsidies will be paid through a school if you apply for school expense subsidies for fiscal 2024 and the application is approved after your child enrolls in a Kawasaki municipal elementary school. For that reason, you can receive the Expenses for School Supplies that are equivalent to the New Enrollment Subsidies.

### 3. Amount of New Enrollment Subsidies, notification of result of screening, payment date and method

- (1) Amount of school expense subsidies to be paid: 54,060 yen (tentative)
- (2) Notification of screening results: All applicants will be notified of screening results via postal mail at the beginning of March.
- (3) Payment date and method: School expense subsidies will be paid into your bank account in March.

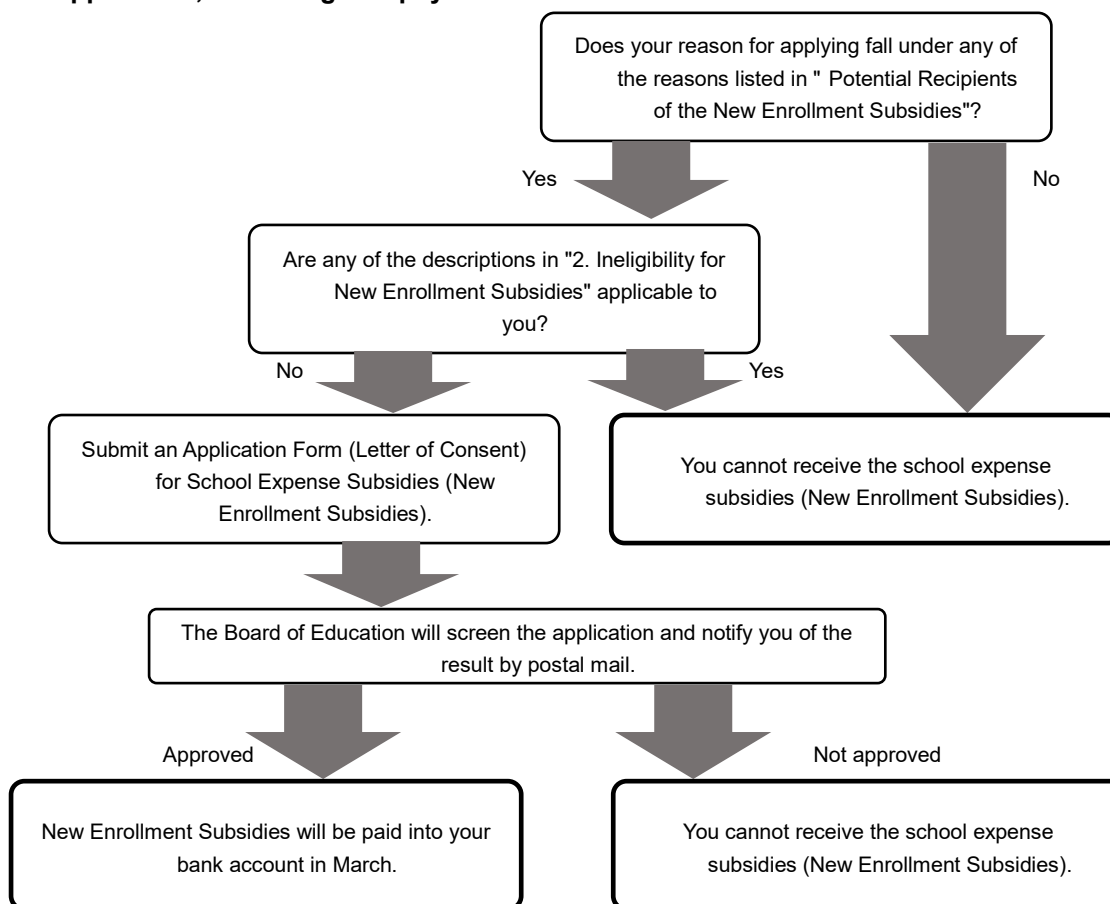
### 4. Application and deadline

To apply for the subsidies, fill in the enclosed application form by following the examples, and mail it in the enclosed return envelope.

\* You do not need to place postage stamps on the envelope. Even if you are already receiving school expense subsidies for your child, you need to submit the application form for your other children.

- (1) Where to submit: School Affairs Division, Kawasaki City Board of Education Secretariat (3rd floor, Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance building, 6 Miyamoto-cho, Kawasaki Ward, Kawasaki City)
- (2) Deadline for application: January 5, 2024 (it must be postmarked on or before this date)  
Please note that applications will not be accepted under any circumstances after this deadline.

### 5. Flow of application, screening and payment



- \* Even if you submit an application form, your application may not be approved for reasons such as "the household income in 2022 exceeds the base amount", "the income in 2022 is not known because earnings have not been declared", or "some entries in the application or attachments are inadequate".
- \* Even if the New Enrollment Subsidies are approved, you need to apply separately for school expense subsidies for fiscal 2024 after your children enroll. The application form will be sent out by the Board of Education at the beginning of April.
- \* If you fail to submit the application form for the New Enrollment Subsidies in time or if your application is not approved, you will be able to receive Expenses for School Supplies for New Students that are equivalent to the New Enrollment Subsidies when you apply for the school expense subsidies for fiscal 2024 after your children enroll and your application is approved.
- \* If you submit the document(s) listed in the "Reasons and Required Documents for Assistance for Persons Exceeding the Authorized Amount", notification of your application result may be delayed.

### 6. Inquiries

Academic Division, General Affairs Department, Office of the Secretariat, Kawasaki City Board of Education: 044-200-3736

Website: <http://www.city.kawasaki.jp/880/category/12-4-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0.html>

