

Fiscal Year 2024

Notice Regarding Tsukuba City's Benefits to Help with Rising Prices

Amid continued rising prices, Tsukuba City will provide 30,000 yen per household as living support to households who are exempt from resident tax in fiscal year 2024.

Additionally, for households with children aged 18 or younger (born on or after April 2, 2006), an additional 20,000 yen will be provided per child.

Please note that this notice is **intended for households that have moved to Tsukuba City on or after January 2, 2024, or households with separate guardianship arrangements.**

Application method

Mail application

Application deadline

Friday, June 13, 2025

(Valid if postmarked on this date)

*Regarding the additional child allowance for children born between May 26 and June 13, 2025, the deadline is

Monday, June 30, 2025

(Valid if postmarked on this date)

Eligibility requirements

- (1) All members of the household are registered as residents of Tsukuba City as of the record date (December 13, 2024), and the household is exempt from resident tax for fiscal year 2024.
- (2) As of January 1, 2024, all household members are registered residents in Japan, and resident tax information for fiscal year 2024 can be verified in any municipality within Japan.
- (3) There is no one in the household who is being supported by other relatives, etc., who are subject to resident tax for fiscal year 2024.
***If you are unsure about being claimed as a dependent under tax law, please confirm this with family members such as your parents or children.**
- (4) There is no one in the household who is subject to resident tax for fiscal year 2024 or who has income that would make them subject to resident tax for fiscal year 2024 but has yet to file a tax return.
- (5) There is no one in the household exempted from resident tax in fiscal year 2024 due to a tax treaty.
- (6) No member of the household has received the grant in Tsukuba City or any other municipalities.
- (7) Regarding the additional allowance for children, the applicant is supporting "children eligible for application" (living together financially) as of the record date (December 13, 2024). However, for children born on or after December 14, 2024, they must be dependents at the time of application (meaning they share the same livelihood).

Contact information:

Welfare Department, Tsukuba City Social Welfare Division, 1-1, Kenkyu-Gakuen 1-chome, Tsukuba City, Ibaraki 305-8555

Phone: 029-883-1366

(08:45-16:30 *Excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays)

Please be sure to check the procedures on the reverse side as well.

How to apply

[Documents to be submitted] *Please ensure all sections are completed without omissions.

- Tsukuba City's Fiscal Year 2024 Benefits to Help with Rising Prices Application form
- Copy of the head of household's (applicant's) identification verification document
- Copy of the document that can verify the bank transfer account
- If the head of the household's resident registration is different from the child's resident registration (separate guardianship arrangements), the child's resident record, a copy of an identification verification document, and a written petition are required.

*Only children who have a residence in the country are eligible.

*If you require a written petition, please contact us.

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| ● Driver's license | ● Front side of My Number card
(The side with the profile photo) |
| ● Passport | ● Residence card |
| ● Health insurance card | ● Long-term care insurance card, etc. |
| ● Pension book | |

*Identity verification documents
With profile picture
→ Only 1 document
No profile picture
→ 2 documents required

Copy of the document that can verify the bank transfer account

Required items

- Name of financial institution and branch name
- Account number
- Account name (Japanese kana)

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Assessment results and payment date

The received Letter of Confirmation will be reviewed in order, and a decision will be made regarding payment or non-payment.

The transfer of benefits will be carried out sequentially 3 weeks to 1 month after acceptance, but this may vary depending on congestion and other factors.

Please check the "Notification of Decision" sent to each household for the assessment results and the payment date.