

Nara City Information for Residents

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Nara City Hall Information Counter, Nara City Hall Shimin-Ka Counter,
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Public Health Center (4F, Hagukumi Center), Chubu Kominkan, Seibu Kominkan,
Hokubu Kaikan, Chuo Library, Seibu Library, Kintetsu Nara Station,
Nara City Tourist Information Center (by JR Nara Station), Nara Chuo Post Office
and Nara-Nishi Post Office.

[Inquiries in English] Phone: 0742-22-5595 (9:00-17:00) E-mail: nsgghyk@gmail.com



“Nara Prison Museum by Hoshino Resorts” to Open on April 27 (Mon.)

The former Nara Prison, located in the Kitamachi area of Nara City, will open as the Nara Prison Museum on April 27 (Mon).

The following attractive historical buildings and other sites are in the Kitamachi area.

1. **Nara Prison Museum** – A Romanesque style building, built in 1908
 2. **Hannyaji’s Romon Tower Gate** – The oldest tower gate in Japan built during the Kamakura Period (From the end of the 12th century to the middle of the 14th century.)
 3. **Yuhi (Sunset) Jizo Bodhisattva statue** -Built in 1509
 4. **Kitayama-Juhachi-Kento** -A facility built in the Kamakura period for the relief of leprosy patients
 5. **Former Hosoda Family Residence** -One of the oldest farmer’s residences in Nara City, built during the Edo period (1603-1868)
 6. **Imazaike Cherry Park** -You can enjoy beautiful cherry blossoms in the spring.
 7. **Kitamachi-Tegaimon Tourist Information Center**
 8. **Tegai-mon Gate of Todaiji Temple** – It preserves the appearance it had when Todaiji Temple was founded during the Nara period (710-784).
- * **Note:** The locations numbered 1 to 8 above correspond to the numbers indicated on the map on page 5 of this month’s Japanese edition of Nara City Information
Inquiries: Kanko-Senryaku-Ka (Tourism Strategy Section) Tel. 0742-34-4739

About Garbage Collection

Temporary large amounts of garbage, due to moving and so on, are not collected by Nara City.

Bring them to Kankyo-Seibi Kojo Environment Sanitation Plant) after making a reservation or ask an agent with a General Waste Collection and transportation permit in Nara City to dispose of them.

(You will be charged a fee by the agent.)

Please Don’t Park near the Garbage Collection Sites.

Cars might be splashed with dirty water while loading garbage, and there have been cases where garbage could not be collected.

Garbage Collection Dates and Areas in April

Area	A-F	B-E	C-H	D-G
Burnable Garbage	Mon. & Thurs.		Tues. & Fri.	
Unburnable Garbage	1, 15, 29 (Wed)		8, 22 (Wed)	

* Garbage collection is scheduled as usual during consecutive holidays including April 29 (holiday), except on Sundays.

Areas A-D are covered by Nara City, and areas E-H are covered by City Seibi-Kosha & Co.Ltd or Takeda Environment Co. Ltd. and Yamato Seiso JV. The garbage collection dates may be different in some areas. Please check the Nara City website.

Inquiries: Shushu-Ka (Collection Section) Tel. 0742-71-3012
City Seibi-Kosha (Public Corp.) Tel. 0742-33-8782
Takeda Environment Co. Ltd. and Yamato Seiso JV Tel. 0742-63-2552

Workshop for Pregnant Women & Babies and Dental Checkup (Phone Reservation)

Fluoride Coating for Tooth Decay Prevention

(For children born in April 2024)

Date: April 17 (Fri.)

Ha-pika Class for One-year-old Babies

(Tooth decay prevention class for first-born children born in April 2025)

Date: April 21 (Tues.)

Paku-Paku Class for Five-month-old Babies

(Baby food class for first-born children born in November 2025)

Date: April 22 (Wed.)

Maternity “Happy” Check

(For women 16 to 32 weeks pregnant)

Date: April 23 (Thurs.)

Papa-Mama Salon

(For women between 22 and 32 weeks of their first pregnancy and their partners)

Date: May 8 (Fri.)

Inquiries: Boshi-Hoken-Ka (Mother and Child Health Section)

Tel. 0742-34-1978

Vaccination Notices

Japanese Encephalitis Vaccinations will start (for those born in April 2023)

**Preliminary Examination Leaflets for Vaccinations were sent out in late March
(for those born in February 2026)**

Inquiries: Kenko-Zoshin-Ka (Health Care Section)

Tel. 0742-34-5129

Medical Checkups for Babies and Children

Checkup Name	Date	Place
4-month-old Babies Checkup (Born in January 2026)	From 4-month birthday until the day before turning 5 months old	Designated medical facilities in Nara City
10-month-old Babies Checkup (Born in July 2025)	From 10-month birthday until the day before turning 11 months old	
19-month-old Babies Checkup (Born in September 2024)	May 14(Thurs.), 21(Thurs.), 28(Thurs.)	Chuo Hoken Center (Central Health Center) (Hagukumi Center 2F)
3-1/2-month-old Babies Checkup (Born in October 2022)	May 12(Tues.), 19(Tues.), 26(Tues.)	

Things to bring: The questionnaire and *Mother’s and Child’s Health Handbook*.* The questionnaire will be sent in April. Those who moved to Nara City after April 1 and have not received one by the checkup day should contact Boshi-Hoken-Ka (Mother’s and Child’s Health Section)

Inquires: Boshi-Hoken-Ka(Mother’s and Child’s Health Section)

Tel.0742-34-1978

Maternal and Infant Health Care Consultation

Hagukumi Center 3F

Consultation by phone or face to face with public health nurses or midwives
(appointment required)

Date & Time: 9:00-17:00 on weekdays

Inquiries: Boshi-Hoken Ka (Mother's and Child's Health Section) Tel. 0742-34-1978

Tsuge Hoken Center

Consultation by phone or face to face with public health nurses or nutritionists

Date & Time: 9:00-17:00 on weekdays

Itinerant Consultation

Date & Time: April 21(Tues.) 10:00-11:00

Place: Koto Kominkan (Oyagyu-cho)

Things to bring: The questionnaire and *Mother's and Child's Health Handbook*.

Inquiries: Tsuge Hoken Center Tel. 0743-82-0341

Tsukigase Health Consultation Room

Consultation by phone or face to face with public health nurses. (appointment required)

Date & Time: 9:45-16:00 on weekdays

Inquiries: Tsukigase Health Consultation Room Tel. 0743-92-0480

Please pay special attention to infants and the elderly! Prevent Internal Bleeding Caused by Infectious Colitis Such as O-157.

It is highly infectious and can spread from person to person via toilets, shared towels, etc.

Let's learn the right knowledge to prevent food poisoning.

The symptoms and feature

- * You may get infected even if a small amount of bacteria is on your fingers or food.
- * The incubation period is long, 3-8 days, so it is difficult to identify the source of infection.
- * When the bacteria multiply in the body, they produce a powerful toxin called "verotoxin", which can cause severe damage to the kidney, brain, and other organs.

Know and stay safe! Prevention Tips.

- * Meat, etc. should be cooked thoroughly. Use separate pairs of chopsticks for cooking and eating.
(Bacteria are killed when the center of the meat reaches 75°C for at least one minute.)
- * Wash your hands well with soap before and after cooking, before eating, and after using toilet.
- * Wash cooking equipment and kitchen utensils diligently and sterilize them.
- * Try to eat food as soon as possible after cooking.

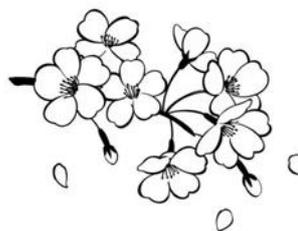
Panel Display: It is the season when food poisoning is more common. Please visit the panel display.

Date: April 27 (Mon.)- May 8 (Fri.)

Place: 1st Floor, Hagukumi Center, and connecting corrido on the 1st Floor of City Hall

Inquiries: About infectious diseases: Hoken-Yobo- Ka (Health Care Section) Tel. 0742-93-8397

About food poisoning: Hoken-Eisei- Ka (Health Sanitation Section) Tel. 0742-93-8395



Cancer Examinations (May)

Please apply to Kenko-Zoshin-Ka (Health Care Section) by phone or on the Nara City website.
 Free of charge for those who are on social welfare or belong to households receiving residential tax exemption.
 Please notify us of such when you apply.

*To prevent heatstroke, stomach cancer examinations in July will be held at Hagukumi Center only.

Please cooperate by making appointments for the examination in May or June, when appointments are easier to make.

Application Period: April 1 (Wed.)-20 (Mon.) 9:00-17:00

* Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays are excluded.

Stomach and Lung Examination

Date	Reception Time	Place	Capacity
May 12 (Tues.) May 19 (Tues.) May 21 (Thurs.)	9:00-10:00	Hagukumi Center	30 each
May 14 (Thurs.)	9:15-10:15	Tomio Minami Kominkan	27
May 20 (Wed.)	9:15-10:15	Kita Fukushi Center	26
May 22 (Fri.)	9:45 -10:45	Seibu(West) Library	20
May 25 (Mon.)	9:15-10:15	Co-op Oshikuma	27
May 26 (Tues.)	9:15-10:15	Miato Kominkan	27
May 27 (Wed.)	9:15-10:15	Tomio Kominkan	27

Lung Cancer Examination

Date	Reception Time	Place	Capacity
May 7 (Thurs.)	14:00-15:00	Co-op Oshikuma	40

Stomach Cancer Examination: X-Ray (involving drinking barium on that day)

Lung Cancer Examination: Chest X-Ray (including tuberculosis test)

Fee: 1,500 yen (1,000 yen for stomach cancer examination only and 500 yen for lung cancer examination only)
 From FY 2026, sputum testing is not included in lung cancer examinations because the national guidelines were revised.

Those eligible: A person over the age of 40 who is registered as a resident in Nara City on that day.

The following people are excluded: pregnant women; those who had stomach, lung, or intestine surgery within the past 5 years or are in treatment; those who have barium sensitivity or had aspiration (lung cancer examination is possible); those who had an endoscope stomach cancer check by Nara City in this or the previous fiscal year (lung cancer examination is possible); and those who had a lung cancer low dose CT scan by Nara City in this fiscal year (stomach cancer examination is possible).

Others: For those who are breastfeeding, please notify us of such when you apply. The examination interval is once a year. There might be cases when you may not be able to take the examination depending on your health or questionnaire.

Inquiries: Kenko-Zoshin-Ka (Health Care Section)

Tel. 0742-34-5129

Nara Kogeikan (The Nara Crafts Museum)

1-1 Azemame-cho 630-8346

Tel. 0742-27-0033

Traditional Craft *Ittobori* Demonstration by Yoshito Araki, Nara Wood-Carving Artist

Date & Time: May 2 (Sat.) 13:00-17:00

Shiryō Hozon-Kan (Museum of Archives and Preservation)

1-1 Wakido-cho 630-8337 Tel. 0742-27-0169 Closed on Mondays

Special Release of Historical Materials of Museum Collections “Famous Places in Yamato”

Date & Time: April 1 (Wed.)-May 24 (Sun.)

Special Exhibition of Naramachi-Saijiki (Almanac Calendar in Naramachi)

“Nara’s Cherry Blossoms, *Shokuofu-no-Hi*”

Date & Time: April 1 (Wed.)-26 (Sun.)

Naramachi Nigiwai-no-Ie

5 Nakanoshinya-cho 630-8333 Tel. 0742-20-1917

Exhibition of the Collection of *Tanka* (Traditional Japanese Poems) by poet Toshio Mae in Commemoration of the 100th Anniversary of the Poet

Date & Time: April 2 (Thurs.)-May 6 (Holiday) 9:00-17:00

Contents: *Tanka* by Mae Toshio, a leading Japanese poet, will be exhibited with photographs.

This exhibition will also be held at Naramachi-Koshi-no-ie and Onjokan during the same period.

The 11th Anniversary Ceremony for the Naramachi Nigiwai-no-Ie

Date & Time: April 19 (Sun.) 14:00-15:30

Contents: *Matcha* tea will be served.

Capacity: 50 people

“*Koi-nobori* (carp streamer) Open-air Painting”

Date & Time: April 25 (Sat.) 14:00- In case of rainy weather, April 26 (Sun.)

Contents: Coloring in a picture of a big carp streamer

Others: Please come in clothes that can get dirty.

Let’s Play with Tops

Date & Time: May 5 (Holiday) 13:30-15:30

In case of rain, the event will be held indoors.

Instructor: Eijiro Otsuka, a member of the Japan Top Trick Federations

April 9 Is Uterus Day

Cervical cancer is the most common type of cancer among women in their 20s and 30s. If detected early and treated appropriately, it is curable in many cases.

What is Cervical Cancer?

* It is caused by infection with the human papillomavirus (HPV).

* Even a single sexual encounter can lead to exposure to the virus.

The HPV vaccine helps prevent cervical cancer. However, because the vaccine does not provide complete protection, it is important for women aged 20 and over to receive cervical cancer screening every two years. (Cervical cancer screening in Nara City for fiscal year 2026 begins on July 1.)

Panel Exhibition on Uterine Diseases and Prevention, Focusing on Cervical Cancer

Date: April 6 (Mon.) - April 10 (Fri.)

Place: Connecting corridor on the 1st floor of City Hall

Inquiries: Kenko-Zoshin-Ka (Health Care Section)

Tel. 0742-34-5129

City Hall *Fureai* Concert

Date & Time: April 17 (Fri.) 12:20-12:50

Place: City Hall 1st Floor Entrance Hall

Performers: Ensemble Chouette

Inquiries: Bunka-Shinko-Ka (Cultural Promotion Section) Tel. 0742-34-4942

Drunk driving on a bicycle

After the strengthening of penalties due to the revision of the law in November 2024, the number of car license suspensions for driving under the influence of alcohol on bicycles has increased rapidly.



If you drive a bicycle under the influence of alcohol, your license will be suspended.

The penalties have been strengthened due to the revision of the law in November 2024, and in the case of serious incidents such as fatal accidents and particularly vicious and dangerous violations such as driving under the influence of alcohol, in addition to severe criminal penalties such as fines, licenses may be suspended for up to 6 months.

Severe disciplinary action in the workplace

In addition to license suspension, some employers also impose severe disciplinary action, which can have a big negative effect on your life.

Thinking “it’s just a bicycle” can ruin your career and life.

Drunk driving on a bicycle causes serious accidents. Make sure that you “Do not ride if you drink”.

About license suspension: Nara Prefectural Police Headquarters

Tel. 0742-23-0110

Inquiries: Kiki Kanri-ka (Crisis Management Division)

Tel. 0742-34-4930

Irie Taikichi Memorial Museum of Photography

600-1 Takabatake-cho 630-8301 Tel. 0742-22-9811

Orisaku Mineko Photo Exhibition “*Kouin-1 Mahorama*”

Date: April 11 (Sat.) - July 5 (Sun.)

Irie Taikichi’s Showa “*Bunraku in the Osaka Era*”

Date: April 11 (Sun.) - July 5 (Sun.)

Contents: Exhibiting photographs of Irie Taikichi’s *Bunraku* from the Osaka period

* Closed on Mondays (excluding holidays), April 30 (Thurs.), and May 7 (Thurs.)

Onjo-Kan

32-1 Narukawa-cho 630-8335 Tel. 0742-27-7700

Onjo-Kan “*Machikado Piano*”

Date & Time: April 18 (Sat.), May 16 (Sat.) 14:00-16:00

Onjo-Kan GW Plan: A String Quintet Entrance Concert

Date & Time: May 4 (Holiday) 14:00-15:00

Contents: Classical music and movie soundtracks will be played by string instruments

Capacity: 40 people

Performers: Members of Ensemble Corda

Onjo-Kan GW Plan: Let’s enjoy *Nankin Tamasudare* and Picture Book Live!

Date & Time: May 5 (Holiday) 14:00-16:00

Capacity: 40 people

Performers: Artists from Hachifusa-Mitsuyo-No-Kai and Kotonohanohane

Sugioka Kason Calligraphy Museum

3 Wakid-cho 630-8337 Tel. 0742-24-4111

Calligraphy Experience

Date & Time: April 25 (Sat.)-29 (Holiday) 9:00-17:00

Naramachi Center

38 Higashi Terabayashi-cho 630-8362 Tel. 0742-27-1151 * Closed on Monday

Photo Exhibition: Introduction to Ukraine Now and its Culture

Date & Time: April 7 (Tues.)-April 25 (Sat.) 9:00-17:00

Photo Exhibition Workshop

Date & Time: April 18 (Sat.) 13:00

Inquiries: Please call Naramachi Center for an application.

KOTONALab. Craft-making Day

Date & Time: April 29 (Holiday), May 5 (Holiday) 10:00-16:00

Contents: Making crafts, drawing, etc.

Entrance Concert

Date & Time: May 4 (Holiday) 13:00

Performers: Vocalists such as Mai Mitsumura, Yuya Kago, Harue Yamaguchi, etc.

2026 Dance Seminar

Date & Time: April 11 (Sat.) 10:00-12:00

Place: Mikasa Kominkan (4-chome Omiya-cho)

Inquiries: Mr. Kurata of the City Recreation Association s Tel. 090-7091-5928

Sakura-no-Waka Concert

Inishie-no-Nara-Yae-Zakura and Motoori Norinaga-no-Yama-Zakura

Date & Time: April 22 (Wed.) 13:30

Place: Nara Bus Terminal Lecture Hall (Noborioji-cho)

Capacity: 280 people

Application: Call by April 14 *Uta-de-Tsutaeru Rekishi-Bunka-no-Kai* Tel. 03-3906-1984

Eki-mae (station-front) Craft “Nara-no-Sora-Kara” (An exhibition market of contemporary crafts)

Date & Time: April 25 (Sat.), May 3 (Holiday) 10:00-18:00

Place: Station Square on the east side of JR Nara Station (Sanjo-honmachi)

Inquiries: *Jikko iinkai* (the Executive Committee)

Tel. 0743-59-1355

Art Exhibition by Nara High School Graduates

Date & Time: From April 28 (Tues.) to April 29 (Holiday),

From May 1 (Fri.) to May 3 (Holiday) 10:00-17:30

From 13:00 on the first day and until 15:30 on the last day

Place: Nara City Art Museum (1-chome, Nijyo-oji-Minami)

Inquiries: Shimada (organizer)

Tel. 090-3429-439

Lifelong Learning Center

23 Surugamachi 630-8357 Tel. 0742-26-8811 Fax 0742-26-8813

Gallery Exhibition Information

Earth Day Nara 2026 (Nara Stop Global Warming Association NASO)

Date & Time: April 26 (Sun.) 10:00-16:00

Kominkan Activities

Tawara Kominkan

1078-1 Myoga-cho 630-2175 Tel. & Fax 0742-81-0888

Event Name	Contents, Date & Time	Deadline
Tawara Everyone's Salon	A casual social salon with gymnastics and conversation April 17, June 19, October 16, December 18 and Feb. 19, 2027 (Fridays) 13:30-15:15 Eligibility: Adults (those who work or study in Nara; children not yet in school may attend with guardians)	No application is needed Entrance is free
Try Try Try Together as Parent and Child	Parents and children can enjoy musical play, picture books, crafts, and more together. April 19, July 5, September 20 and March 7, 2027 (Sundays) 10:00-12:00 Eligibility: Generally, children aged 0-5 and their guardians	

Tsukigase Kominkan

2815 Tsukigase-Oyama 630-2302 Tel. & Fax 0743-92-0346

Event Name	Contents, Date & Time	Deadline
Social Gathering	Parents and children can enjoy a panel theater, hand games, and more together. April 15, July 15, October 14 and December 16 (Thursdays) 14:45-15:45 Eligibility: Children aged 3 through elementary school and their guardians (students also can join.) Entrance is free	No application is needed
Tsukigase Classic Film Series	Enjoy movies on a large screen. April 17 (Fri.) <i>Only Yesterday</i> , May 15 (Fri.) <i>The Shawshank Redemption</i> , June 17 (Wed.) <i>Departures</i> (Generally 9:30-11:30) Eligibility: Adults (including those who work or study in Nara) Entrance is free *Screened titles may be subject to change.	

Nimyo Kominkan

3684 Gakuen-akamatsu-cho 631-0027 Tel. & Fax 0742-45-986

Event Name	Date & Contents	Application
Healthy Exercise Class	Stay active and take care of your health every day! April 14 (Tues.), May 12 (Tues.), July 14 (Tues.) 10:00-11:00 * For adults Free entry	Not necessary

Fushimi Kominkan

13-4 Aono-cho 2-chome, 631-0841 Tel. & Fax 0742-45-986

Event Name	Date & Contents	Application
Happy Picture Books Hours	In principle, on the 2nd Friday of the month from April 24, 2026, to March 12, 2027 10:30-11:30 * For preschool-aged children and their guardians Free entry	Not necessary

Miato Kominkan

204-1 Gojo-cho 630-8032 Tel. & Fax 0742-34-5954

Event Name	Date & Contents	Application
Miato Childcare Square	Free space and Finger-games, Singing seasonal songs, Handicrafts Last Thursday of each month from April 30 to March 25, 2027 10:00-12:00 * For children aged 0-3 years old and their parents/guardians Free entry	Not necessary

Mikasa Kominkan

313-3, Omiya-cho 4-chome 630-8115 Tel. & Fax 0742-33-0515

Event Name	Date & Contents	Application
To Moms and Dads doing their best on their own	Consultation for single or solo parents, Childcare information exchange meeting April 25 (Thurs.) 10:30-12:00 * For guardians of babies or elementary school students (Children allowed to attend) Free entry	Not necessary

1st Annual Traffic Safety Festival

Traffic safety promotional items will be given to attendees!**Date & Time:** April 12 (Sun.) 9:45-12:00**Place:** Nara City Hall Lawn Plaza and other locations**Contents:** VR traffic safety experiences, free bicycle inspections by mechanics, mini traffic safety classes, coloring activities, paper crafts, and reflective material crafting

* If it rains, some activities may not be held

Inquiry: Kiki-Kanri-Ka (Crisis Management Section) Tel. 0742-34-4930**Fee:** Free

80th Spring Sports Day

Date & Time: May 10 (Sun.) * The opening ceremony will start at 8:00**Place:** ROHTO Arena Nara (Horen-Sahoyama 4-chome)

For further information, please visit Nara City's website

Those wishing to participate need to contact the Nara City Sports Association

Tel. 0742-22-3860



Education Center KIDS LEARNING FLOOR

Class Name	Date & Time	Application
Kids Planetarium: "The owl explorer's adventures" (on April 4 & 5) "Nijiro and seasonal constellations, story of Virgo" (April 11 and after) Capacity: 40 seats each time	Every Sat. Sun. & holiday in April (1) 10:30-10:50 (until 11:00 on April 4 & 5) (2) 13:30-14:00	Reception on the day
Petit-Petit Craft: "Let's make a bear keychain with a pipe cleaner" Capacity: 12 people each time	April 12 (Sun.) & 29 (Holiday) (1) 10:00-10:20 (2) 11:00-11:20 (3) 14:10-14:30	
Movie Screening: "Manga Japanese old stories, Shio-Fuki-Usu / Ato-Kakushi-no-Yuki" Capacity: 190 seats	April 18 (Sat.) 13:00-13:30	Not necessary
Night Planetarium: "Kimagure Planetarium, we will deliver the seasonal starry sky" Capacity: 40 seats (From elementary school upper graders to adults. Adults by themselves can also apply)	April 24 (Fri.) 18:30-19:10	Reception on the day

Petit-Petit Craft: “Let's make a convertible and GO!” Capacity: 10 people each time	April 25 (Sat.) (1) 10:00-10:20 (2) 11:00-11:20 (3) 14:10-14:30	Reception on the day
Story Class: “Anansi and Five”, etc.	May 2 (Sat.) 11:00-11:30	Not necessary
Craft Experience Class: “Let's enjoy paper printmaking!” Capacity: 12 people (age 5 and over) each time	May 17 (Sun.) (1) 10:00-11:30 (2) 13:30-15:00	April 27 (Mon.)
Space Class: “Let's make a planet mobile” Capacity: 18 people (1st graders and over) each time	May 23 (Sat.) (1) 10:00-11:30 (2) 13:30-15:00	May 6 (Holiday)
Programming Class (Introductory Class): “First scratch program: Let's create a balloon game” Capacity: 12 people (1st graders and over) each time	May 24 (Sun.) (1) 10:00-11:00 (2) 13:30-14:30	May 6 (Holiday)

Education Center -The Festival for Children
May 3 (Holiday)-6 (Holiday) 9:00-15:00

Class Name	Date & Time	Application
Planetarium: “Waku-Doki! Space Adventure: Journey through the Solar System with Galileo” Capacity: 40 seats per each session	May 3 (Holiday) (1) 9:50-10:15 (2) 10:30-10:55 (3) 11:10-11:35 (4) 13:20-13:45 (5) 14:00-14:25 May 5 (Holiday) and 6 (Holiday) (1) 10:30-10:55 (2) 11:10-11:35 (3) 13:20-13:45	Same-day registration
Fun Crafts: "Let's fly and play!: Aim for the Goal" * Admission is free.	May 3 (Holiday) (1) 9:30-12:00 (2) 13:00-15:00	No reservation required
Exciting Science Experiment: “Move Animals with Magnet Power” * Admission is free.	May 3 (Holiday) (1) 9:30-12:00 (2) 13:00-15:00	
Traditional games for Families: “Otedama (juggling beanbags), <i>Kendama</i> (cup and ball game), <i>Daruma Otoshi</i> (Daruma dropping Game), <i>Koma</i> (spinning tops), etc.	May 3 (Holiday) 9:30-15:00 May 4 (Holiday), 5 (Holiday) and 6 (Holiday) (1) 9:30-12:00 (2) 13:00-15:00	
Golden Week Movie Screenings: “Japanese folk tales animation: <i>Hanasaka Jiisan</i> , <i>Yume wo kau</i> , <i>Sarukani Gassen</i> , <i>Tanokyu</i> ” Capacity:190 seats for each session	May 4 (Holiday) (1) 11:00-12:00 (2) 13:00-14:00	
Let's Play with Trains: Let's run Plarail trains on a big layout. For ages 3 and over You can bring your own Plarail trains. (One trainset per person, with batteries.)	May 5 (Holiday) and 6 (Holiday) (1) 9:30-12:00 (2) 13:00-15:00	

Place: Hagukumi Center 9F

Application: Apply online from the Nara City website. In case of excess application, a lottery will be held.

Others: Unless otherwise specified, same-day registration will open 15 minutes before the scheduled start time and will close once capacity is reached.

Children must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

Other programs may also be held in addition to those listed above.

Please note that entry is not permitted after a planetarium program has started.

Group bookings are available for the planetarium. (Advance reservation required.)

For the latest information, please visit the city website or contact the relevant city department directly.

Inquiries: Kids Learning Floor (Kyoiku-shien-ka, within the Educational Support Section) Tel. 0742-36-0401

Children's Book Week
April 23 (Thurs.)-May 12 (Tues.)

Event Name	Date and Time	Place	Eligibility:
First books & Storytelling time for infants	Every Wednesday 10:30, 11:00	Chuo Library Children's Room (Storytelling Room)	Children under 4 years old & their guardians
Storytelling & Picture-card Show	First to fourth Sundays 11:00-11:30		Children from age 4 to elementary school 2 nd graders
Time to Enjoy with Babies	Tuesday to Friday 10:30-11:30	Seibu Library Children's Room	Children under 4 & their guardians
A Storytelling Candle	Third Wednesday From 15:30	Seibu Library (Storytelling Room)	Children 4 years old & over
	Fourth Wednesday From 15:30		6 years old & over children
Storytelling Meeting	First Thursday 10:30-10:50	Hokubu Library (Storytelling Room)	Children under 2 & their guardians
	Third Thursday 10:30-10:50		1- to 3-year-olds & their guardians
Nahmin Storytelling Meeting	Second Saturday 11:30-12:00		Under elementary school 3rd grade
	Fourth Saturday 11:30-12:00		Elementary school 1 st graders & over (Adults may participate on their own)

Inquiries: Chuo Library (Tel. 0742-26-6101)

