



Sapporo City Kids' Hall  
Mini Kids' Hall  
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Sapporo City

# Kids' Hall & Mini Kids' Hall

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## Kids' Hall Installation Status

Kids' Hall : 108 Mini Kids' Hall : 92  
(Current as of April 1, 2021)



	Kids' Hall	Mini Kids' Hall
Chuo Ward	11	6
Kita Ward	16	14
Higashi Ward	15	12
Shiroishi Ward	9	11
Atsubetsu Ward	8	7
Toyohira Ward	12	10
Kiyota Ward	8	6
Minami Ward	9	9
Nishi Ward	10	11
Teine Ward	10	6

# What is a Kids' Hall & Mini Kids' Hall

The Kids' Hall and Mini Kids' Hall is designed to promote healthy mental and physical development of children in the community, as well as provide safe places for children to play, as well as comprehensive support for child-rearing.

Our basic policy stands on the foundation of "Working together with the community to create a center filled with the smiles of every child." We are managed and operated under the Sapporo Youth & women's Activity Association.



### Kids' Hall

Eligibility  
Children ages 0 - 18

Hours  
8:45 - 18:00

Evening use hours for Jr. High and High School students (twice a week)  
Jr. High / until 7:00 PM  
High School/ until 9:00 PM

\*Jr. High and High School Evening use is available only at some facilities.

### Mini Kids' Hall

Eligibility  
Elementary school students in the same school district.

Hours  
School days / after school - 6:00 PM  
Weekends / 8:45 - 6:00 PM

### After-school Kids' Club

Eligibility  
Elementary school children in the same school district.

Hours  
School days / After school - 4:45 PM (April - September)  
After school - 4:00 PM (October - March)  
Summer and Winter Vacation / [Mon - Fri] 10:00 - 3:00 PM

\*Closed during spring break.

**Closed Days : Sundays, National holidays, Substitute holidays, New Year's holiday (Dec. 29 - Jan 3)**

\*Closed days for After-school Kids' Club includes the above, during spring break, and days when school is not in session, including Saturdays (open and closed hours subject to differ according to each facility).



## KIDS' CLUB

Kids' Hall Mini Kids' Hall

The KIDS' CLUB service is provided for children whose parents work, and would be left alone at home after school.

Hours  
**After school hours (8:00 AM on days school is not in session) - 7:00 PM**

Closed Days  
**Sundays, National holidays, Substitute holidays, New Year's holiday ( Dec. 29 - Jan 3)**

\*Use of the service between 8:00 - 8:45 AM, and between 6:00 - 7:00 PM will incur a charge.

## Child-rearing Salon Kids' Hall

This service is designed to provide a space where infants, preschoolers, and their parents can enjoy communication and exchange with other parents with children.

Hours  
**Facilities offering once-a-week service/ 10:30 - 12:00**  
**Facilities offering service three times a week/ 9:00 - 12:00**

\*Number of days service is offered, and the days it is offered will differ according to each facility.



## FREE TIME Kids' Hall

The facility offers a service twice a week, where kids in Jr. high and high school can come in the evening and use the facility.

Hours  
**6:00 - 9:00 PM**  
(Jr. high students must go home at 7:00 PM)

\*Implemented days will differ according to each facility.  
\*Some facilities do not offer this service.



## Occupancy Use Kids' Hall

The Kids' Hall is opened after hours to the public for various activities (usage charge).

Hours  
**6:15 - 9:00 PM**  
(Days and hours available will differ according to each facility.)

\*Implemented days will differ according to each facility.  
\*Some facilities do not offer this service.

# A Day in the Kids' Hall & Mini Kids' Hall

MORNING

AFTERNOON

EVENING

Kids' Hall

## Child-rearing Salon

### For Infants and Parents

While providing a safe place for young children to play, and parents to raise their children, the facility also offers a place for parents with infants to freely gather together and build relationships with other parents, and exchange information and communication with the local volunteers.



The facility can also be used by child-rearing clubs or circles, as well as independently by parents with infants, even on days when Child-rearing Salon is not offered.

\*Days and hours will differ according to each Salon.



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## Free Visit

### For All Children

This service is offered for children between ages 0 and 18. The service provides a venue for children of all ages to interact with different age groups, giving children an opportunity to participate in various events, games and experiences that are designed to aid in healthy development.

#### Mixed Age Playtime

##### Sports Room Play

- Balls
- Unicycles, jump ropes, hula hoops
- Tag
- Various sports



##### Play Room Games

- Tops, kendama (cup and ball), otedama (bean bags)
- Board games, card games
- Blocks, play house



#### Reading Promotion

- Volunteers and other children read stories
- Books for checking-out (Kids' Hall only)
- Maintenance of a reading environment

#### Events and Experiential Activities

- Children's Management Committee
- Intergenerational Exchange, Cooperative Business
- Experiential Volunteer Business
- Joint Business
- Club Activities
- Other Experiential Business



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## KIDS' CLUB

### For children whose parents are not home

The KIDS' CLUB service is provided for children whose parents work, and would be left alone at home after school. \*Registration is required for use.



Kids' Hall

## FREE TIME

### For Jr. High and High School Students

The facility offers a service (twice a week), who kids in Jr. high and high school can come in the evening and use the facility.

\*Not offered during long Jr. high school breaks.

#### Sports Activities

- Basketball
- Volleyball
- Dancing



#### Cultural Activities

- Band and Music Activities
- Cooking
- Reading and Studying



#### Other

- Group Activities
- Planning and Implementation of Various Events



# Introduction to Experiential Activities

We are the heroes and heroines!

## Children's Management Committee

A Children's Management Committee is established at each Kids' Hall and Mini Kids' Hall, for the purpose of incorporating the opinions of children to create an environment that is fun and comfortable for the children who use the facility. The children who serve on the committee will contribute to make the rules for the Kids' Hall, plan and manage events, thus cultivating individual autonomy, and assertiveness.



Together with our local community

## Intergenerational Exchange & Cooperative Business

With cooperation from the community, we implement various business and projects that aim to revitalize towns where children are the central focus. Further, in order to incorporate the opinion of the community into our business projects, we have established a Community Contact Association at each Kids' Hall.



# Introduction to Experiential Activities

## Take the first step toward social contribution! Experiential Volunteer Evenets

We host activities related to volunteer experience with children to cultivate a sense of empathy, and the desire to help others.

Children who participate in such activities will help up trash in neighborhood parks to help with the "Zero trash project," or visit care centers for the elderly and perform songs and dances, and interact with the residents by playing traditional games.



## Let's Grow Together! Club Activities

Through continued group activities, children learn to cooperate and have fun while achieving goals, and begin to mature into individuals. We are here to support such development of children.



## Beyond the Borders of Kids' Hall Joint Events

In order to raise awareness of the Kids' Hall activities and spread of friendship and relationships between children in the community, we implement joint events in cooperation with other Kids' Halls throughout the area.

We hold unique activities that are large scale, such as nature experiential events, sports events, and festivals.



## Utilizing the Uniqueness of the Hall Other Experiential Events

Each Kids' Hall strives to implement creative and innovative experiential activities that support the enrichment of the children's hearts and minds.

(crafts, cooking, traditional games, readings, group play, sports events, and more.)





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