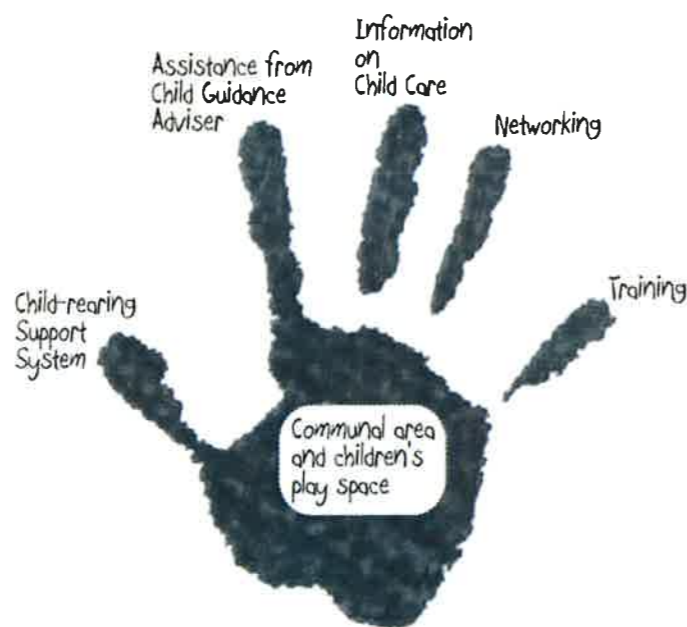
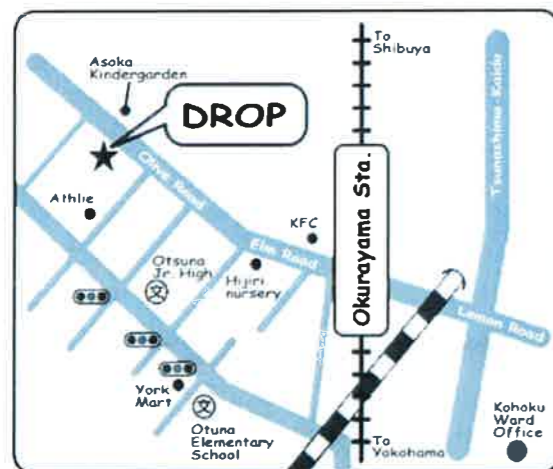
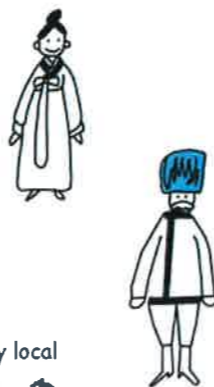


# Welcome to DROP!



DROP (Kohoku-ku Child Care Support Center) is a gathering place for children and family. We can provide you information about raising children in Yokohama, and other services concerning child care. Let's share the joyful moments of raising children together at DROP! \*Drop is part of Non Profit Organization Bino-Bino activities, supported by Yokohama City.



Access from Okurayama Station (Tokyu-Toyoko Line. Please note that only local trains stops at Okurayama Station)

Approx. 10 minutes walk from the station. After going out the ticket gate, turn right and keep walking straight along Elm Street. You will see our facility on the left side of the road. Please note that we have no parking spaces.

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■ Opening days/hours:  
Tuesday thru Saturday  
9:30-16:00  
■ Closed days:  
Sundays, Mondays, holidays,  
year-end/New Years and  
special closing days  
■ Usage fee: FREE

## Some event in your community

Festival with foods games show and informations.  
Let's have fun time with neighbors!

### One-day Festival @Futo Miyamae

■ 11/10 (Sun) ■ 10:00~14:00  
@Asoka kindergarten's parking  
You can enjoy "soba"noodle making, Japanese tea ceremony, music, performance, and exhibitions. Please come with your family!

### Welfare Festival 2013@Shirosato Kozukue

**Chiiki care plaza**  
■ 11/17 (Sun) ■ 10:00~16:00  
@Shirosato Kozukue Chiiki Care Plaza  
You can check your blood age and stress and also consult care for elders.

### Let's go to care plaza

■ 11/23 (Sat) 11/24 (Sun)  
■ 9:00~17:00  
@Shimoda chiiki care plaza  
Anybody can enjoy some exhibitions and events. There is a play space for your kids.

### 3R Yume Chiiki Fureai Festival

■ 11/24 (Sun) ■ 10:00~15:00  
@Shigen Jyunkankyoku(Resources circulation station)Kohoku office  
Various events such as music live, communication with "Yuru-chara", shops, flea market, and lottery for reuse furnitures.

### One-day play park in Okurayama Produced by "tsuchinoko net" mum group

■ 11/4 (Mon) ※If it heavy rains→11/10(Sun)  
■ 10:00~15:00 @Futo park ※Please check web site. [URL:tsuchinokonet.jimdo.com](http://URL:tsuchinokonet.jimdo.com)  
Soap bubbles, mud play, cluft work by natural materials. Anybody is welcome. Let's enjoy together ♪

Last Lunch meeting⇒ We enjoyed small Halloween party with new members ♪



## International Mum's Lunch Meeting

Next Lunch Meeting will be...

**December 17<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 12:00-14:00**  
Bring your lunches!

We will be talking about...

■ Let's plan small Christmas plan of this meeting  
■ Checking layout of Drop pamphlets in English Chinese.  
→Chinese speaker needed .Please ask staff.



Come and join us!

for kids and mums

# DROP

Kohoku-ku Child Care Support Center

## November 2013

Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
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3	4 closed	5 ☀️ Craft work Club 10:30 ~ 12:00 3 year check-up 12:45-13:30	6 👩👶 Gardening Club 10:00-12:00 ♥️Breast-feeding counseling	7 ☀️ 1.5 year check-up 12:45-13:30	8 8 4 month check-up 8:45-9:45	9 👩👶 Music Time 13:30-15:00
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Gardening club, sewing club, Craft work club, Music time, Library corner are voluntary activities by DROP users. Anyone is welcome to join!

## Program Information

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### at DROP

- **Hand-made toy club (chain-ring)** 11/7 (Thu) 10:30-12:00  
Let's make chain-ring together with chatting ☺️
- **Working Union** 11/9 (Sat) 14:00-15:00  
Discussion and information for working mums. Please ask for details.
- **Twins and Triplets' Meeting** 11/12 (Tue) 10:00-13:00
- **Play Time** 11/13 (Wed) 11:00-11:30  
Fun singing and dancing with volunteer staff!
- **Mama Café 'Oka-cha-n'** 11/13 (Wed) 14:00-  
Tea time for mums (presented by our volunteer staff).
- **Let's Exchange & Reuse! @"Futo cho dai ni koen" park** 11/19 (Tue) 10:30-12:00  
Near Drop. Free entrance. Ask for details.
- **"Warabeuta" & Picture Book (reservation necessary)** 11/20 (Wed) 10:30-11:00  
Librarian will introduce Japanese traditional kids songs & how to choose picture books for your baby.
- **Outing with mum & kids(DROP volunteer)** 11/20 (Wed) 10:30-13:30  
We will be walking to Okurayama Bairin Park. Ask for details. (If rainy it will be cancel.)
- **International Mum's Lunch Meeting** 11/21 (Thu) 12:00-14:00  
Let's have cross-cultural lunch time! Bring your lunches.
- **Beginner's Lunch Party (reservation needed)** 11/22 (Fri) 11:30-13:00  
Bring your own lunch and join others new to Drop for a fun conversation.
- **Pre-mama Café (reservation needed)** 11/27 (Wed) 10:30-12:00  
Volunteer mums with 0-year-old baby needed for sharing experiences & information

### DROP Counseling

Discussing with a professional individually  
\*Reservation necessary.

- 11/6 (Wed) 13:00-15:00
- 11/9 (Sat) 10:00-12:00
- 11/14 (Thu) 10:00-12:00
- 11/16 (Sat) 10:00-12:00
- 11/20 (Wed) 13:00-15:00
- 11/27 (Wed) 13:00-16:00

### Kurumi Salon

Let's talk about raising kids with the midwife and other mums.  
\*Reservation necessary.

- 11/28 (Thu) 10:30-12:00

### 'Iroenpitsu' Bread Sale

- 11/5, 26 (Tue) 12:00-12:30  
Don't miss it!

### DROPPA

- 11/2 (Sat)  
We will go for a walk with dads & kids ♪ Ask for details.  
Gathering for Dads. Come and join us!

### Lactation Counseling at Health Support at Kohoku Ward Office

- 4 month old health checkup (8:45-9:45)
- ★ 1.6 year old health checkup (12:45-13:30)
- 3 year old health checkup (12:45-13:30)
- ♥️ Breast-feeding Counseling (Contact : 045-540-2340)  
\*Reservation necessary  
\*Japanese only

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