



Admission in April 2025
Mie Prefectural
Mie Yotsubagasaki Junior High School
Student Recruitment Guide



Introduction

Mie Yotsubagasaki Junior High School is a Public Evening Middle School for those who, for various reasons, were not able to fully learn their junior high school curriculum. It is also a "*Manabi no Tayouka Gakkou* (Diversified Learning School)" (a so-called "special school for students with school refusal *application pending) designated by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) that provides special curriculum for current junior high school students who have not been attending school.

School Vision

Mie Yotsubagasaki Junior High School aims to be a "school where each individual's dreams can sprout, grow and expand."

School Overview

- There are two types of courses: one is a course specially designed as an "Evening Middle School" and the other is a course specially designed as a "Diversified Learning School" (*application pending) designated by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT)*.
- Classes are held five days a week and students study all junior high school subjects.
- The classes will be taught by teachers who hold junior high school teaching licenses.
- Daytime and evening classes are available, allowing students to choose the time to study that suits their individual circumstances.
- A training facility inside the school grounds of Mie Yume Gakuen High School will be renovated and used as a school facility.
- The total capacity is approximately 50 students.

Who can enroll?

【Evening Middle School Course】

Persons who live or work in Mie Prefecture, who are over school age (until the first March 31 after turning 15 years old), and who meet any of the following conditions:

- Those who have not graduated from elementary or junior high school
- Those who want to relearn what they learned in junior high school.
- Foreign nationals who have not completed compulsory education in their home country or Japan
- Others whose admission has been approved by the school principal (Director of the Elementary and Middle School Studies Division)

【Diversified Learning School Course】

As of Fiscal Year 2024, students enrolled in the 6th grade of elementary school (including the first half of compulsory education school) or the 1st or 2nd grade of junior high school (including the second half of compulsory education school) who have not been attending school or have a tendency to not attend school.

Curriculum

○ Total class hours per year

Evening Middle School Course : 700 hours

Diversified Learning School Course : 770 hours

※ The total number of class hours in a typical junior high school is 1015 hours.

○ Length of course

3 years (Evening Middle School Course can be enrolled for up to 9 years)

Timetable

Daytime classes	15:20 ~ 16:00	0 th period (40 min.)	Evening classes
	16:05 ~ 16:45	1 st period (40 min.)	
	16:50 ~ 17:30	2 nd period (40 min.)	
	17:30 ~ 17:40	Homeroom (10 min.)	
	17:40 ~ 18:00	Meal/Break	
	18:00 ~ 18:40	3 rd period (40 min.)	
	18:45 ~ 19:25	4 th period (40 min.)	
	19:30 ~ 20:10	5 th period (40 min.)	
	20:15 ~ 20:55	6 th period (40 min.)	

- Classes are held five days a week, Monday to Friday.
- Daytime classes are held from 16:05 to 19:25, and evening classes are held from 17:30 to 20:55.
- One period lasts 40 minutes, with four periods per day.
- The Diversified Learning School Course has 0th period (for daytime class) and 2nd period (for evening class), two days a week.
- Summer, winter, and spring breaks are available.

School Features

- In addition to conducting exchange learning and activities with students of different ages and grades in each course, we will also create opportunities for students from the two courses to engage in collaborative learning, such as exchange learning in each subject area, etc.
- Students can take personalized classes, incorporating flexible self-paced learning based on their learning proficiency and goals.
- New subjects will be established to provide social skills training classes aimed at improving cross-curricular and integrated inquiry-based learning and communication skills.
- In addition to a variety of experiential activities, you can also receive health and resilience education, etc.
- We also organize field trips and school trips.
- As a consideration for students with foreign connections, we provide classes in simple Japanese and initial Japanese language instruction.
- Those who are concerned about Japanese Language or elementary school studies can choose a curriculum that includes these subjects.
- We will provide school counselors and school social workers to ensure that students can seek advice as appropriate.
- We provide opportunities for students to connect with local community members, create a warm and supportive environment for students, and help them grow and realize their strengths and potential.

Expenses

- Tuition is free. Textbooks are provided free of charge.
 - Approximately 10,000 yen is required per year for teaching material fees and off-campus learning expenses.
 - You will need to save 30,000 yen over three years for school trip expenses.
 - If you commute to school by train or bus, you will need to pay a commuting fee. (You can purchase a school commuter pass).
 - If you wish to have meals provided, approximately 5,000 yen per month will be required for meal expenses.
- ※Depending on your family's financial situation, you may be able to take advantage of programs (such as school subsidy program) that cover the expenses or receive a refund.

Others

- Meals (for a fee) will be provided at the cafeteria of Mie Yume Gakuen High School.
- Dress code is optional. No uniforms are required.
- Students can enroll even if they are attending high school, vocational school, etc., or working.

Commuting Method

- Students are expected to commute to school on foot, by bicycle, or by public transportation. However, depending on the circumstances, students may commute by private car, motorcycle, or moped scooter.
- Evening class students of the Diversified Learning School course must be picked up by a parent or guardian as they will be returning home late.

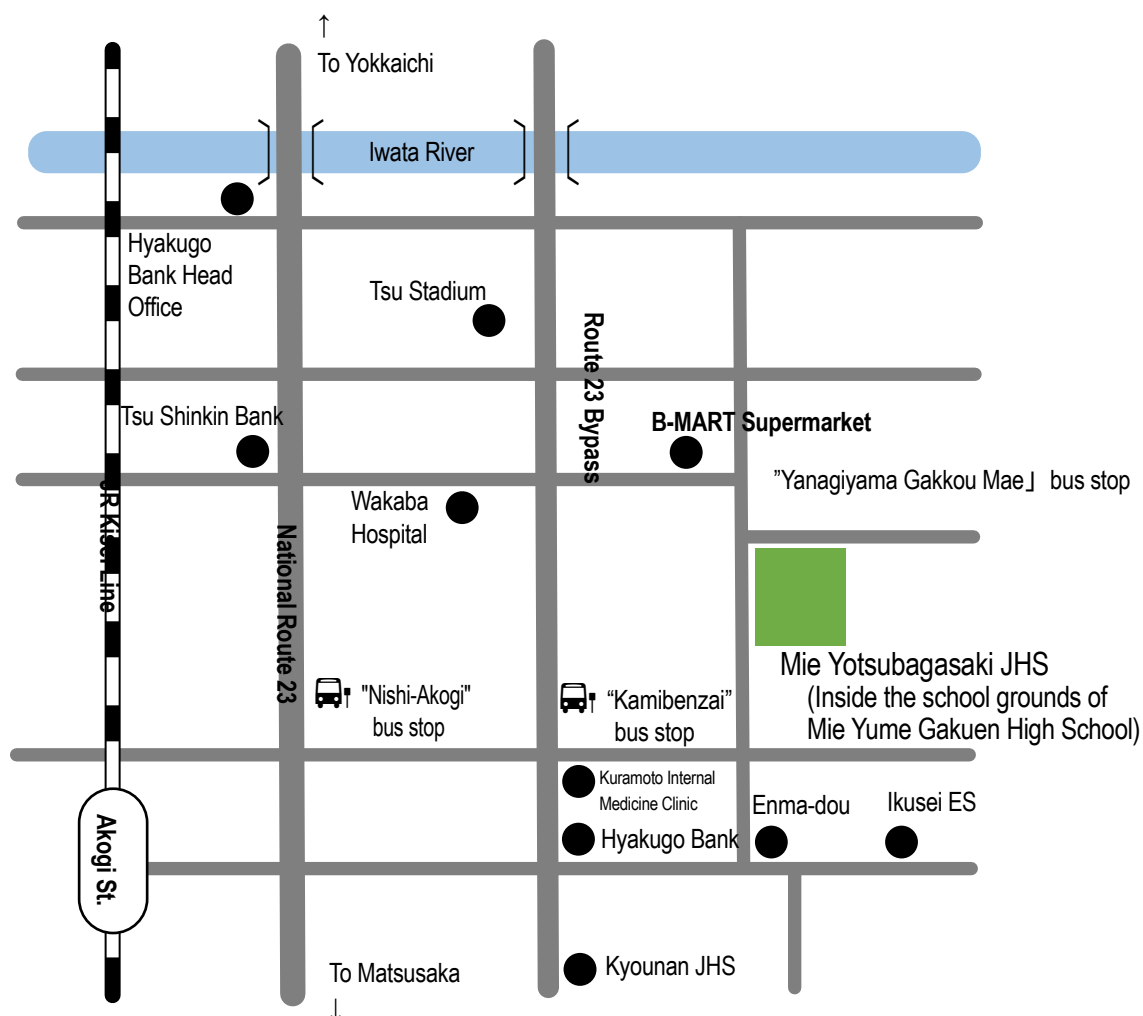
[Public Transport]

- * Get off at JR/Kintetsu "Tsu" station, take Sanko bus for about 15 minutes, get off at "Yanagiyama Gakkou Mae", then walk for 1 minute
- * Get off at JR "Akogi" station, then walk for about 10 minutes
- * Get off at Sanko Bus "Kamibenzai", "Nishiako" or "Shimobenzai" and walk for about 5-10 minutes

Location (map)

1239 Tsuoki, Yanagiyama, Tsu City

Inside the school grounds of Mie Yume Gakuen High School



Admission and Transfer procedures

Evening Middle School Course

(1) Attend an information session for applicants

① Dates:

- October 20, 2024 (Sun) 14:00 ~ 15:00 【Iga City】 *Iga-shi Shougai Gakushu Center*
October 26, 2024 (Sat) 19:00 ~ 20:00 【Ise City】 *Ise-shi Shougai Gakushu Center Isetopia*
October 27, 2024 (Sun) 14:00 ~ 15:00 【Tsu City】 *Mie Kenchou Koudou-tou*
November 2, 2024 (Sat) 14:00 ~ 15:00 【Yokkaichi City】 *Yokkaichi-shi Sougou Kaikan*
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November 8, 2024 (Fri) 19:00 ~ 20:00 【Tsu City】 *Mie Kenchou Koudou*

② How to apply

- By phone or email, provide your name, venue, number of participants, contact information, and whether or not you would like a one-on-one consultation.

Telephone number : 059-224-2766 E-mail : gakokyo@pref.mie.lg.jp

- Fill in the application form

<https://logoform.jp/form/8vMX/706014>



③ Others

If you are unable to attend the information session by Friday, November 8th, please contact the Evening Middle School Project Team of the Elementary and Middle School Studies Division of Mie Prefecture Board of Education Office.

(2) Have an Individual Interview

Individual interviews will be conducted so that the Prefectural Board of Education can understand the situation of the applicants and provide them with support tailored to their needs.

① Implementation period

November 2024 to February 2025

② Interview Method

- The interview will last approximately 30 minutes.
- Applicant must attend the interview in person. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.
- ※If other family members wish to participate, please let us know when you make your reservation.

③ Main Questions

- Reasons for applying • Current learning status • Health condition • Commuting method etc.

④ How to make a reservation

- Information about individual interviews will be distributed to those who attend the information session for applicants. Please follow the instructions to make a reservation.
- After adjusting the date and time, the Evening Middle School Project Team of the Elementary and Middle School Studies Division of Mie Prefecture Board of Education Office will contact you by phone.

(3) Attend the Trial Lesson

We offer the Trial Lesson so that applicants can learn more about the content and learning process at Mie Yotsubagasaki JHS, so that they can confirm that they are actually able to continue their studies and feel confident when enrolling.

① Implementation period

December 2024 to February 2025

② Schedule

The date, time, and location of the Trial Lesson will be determined at the time of the individual interview.

③ How to attend

- The Trial Lesson will last approximately 2 hours. Please attend at least twice during the period.
- An interview will be held after the entire Trial Lesson is completed.

(4) Submit the "Application Form" to Mie Prefecture Board of Education

① Submission period

After the trial lesson ends until Friday, March 14, 2025

※The "Application Form" will be distributed at the information session.

② How and where to submit

- By mail or in person

〒514-8570 13 Koumei-cho, Tsu City

Mie-ken Kyouiku linkai Jimukyoku Shou Chuu Gakkou Kyouiku-ka Yakan Chuugaku Secchi Junbi-han

※If you are sending by mail, please submit it by registered mail at the post office.

※Postage charges will be at your own expense.

※If you bring it in person, the office is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 to 17:00, except for public holidays.

(5) Admission acceptance

- Mie Prefecture Board of Education will send the admission result by mail within about one week, or two weeks at the latest, after receiving the application form.
- An information session for enrollment is scheduled for late March.

Diversified Learning School Course

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④ Others

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(2) Submit the "Enrollment/Transfer Form" to your current school or the city/town board of education where you live.

① Submission Period

Monday, October 21, 2024 to Friday, November 29, 2024

※The "Enrollment/Transfer Form" will be distributed at the information session.

② Others

For submission after the period, please contact the Evening Middle School Project Team of the Elementary and Middle School Studies Division of Mie Prefecture Board of Education Office.

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① Implementation Period

November 2024 to February 2025

② Interview Method

The interview will last approximately 30 minutes. Both the applicant and the parent/guardian are required to attend.

③ Main Questions

- Reasons for applying
- Current learning status
- Health condition
- Commuting method etc.



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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

【General】

Q Is it possible to transfer in the middle of the year?

A We plan to allow transfers in the middle of the school year.

Q What will the grades be like?

A We evaluate and grade nine subjects (Japanese language, Social Studies, Mathematics, Science, Music, Art, Health and Physical Education, Technology and Home Economics, and Foreign Languages) based on our own curriculum.

Q What will the career path be after graduation?

A We provide career counseling and support to help students take the next step in their career, whether that be entering a public or private high school (full-time, part-time, or correspondence), a vocational or technical school, or finding employment.

Q Does everyone have to eat the meals provided at school?

A The meals will only be provided on a request basis.

Q What kind of club activities and school events are offered?

A We will listen to the students' requests and decide how many clubs to establish and what kind of events to hold.

【Evening Middle School Course】

Q Due to work commitments I can only attend school two days a week. Can I still enroll?

A You can enroll even if you cannot attend school every day. Students can enroll for up to 9 years, allowing them to learn over time.

Although it does not count as attendance, you can take online classes from home when you have a sudden work commitment or are unable to come to school due to illness. Please note that it is not possible to take only online classes from the beginning.

Q Is it possible to learn the contents of elementary school?

A Students can choose a curriculum that also allows them to learn elementary school studies. Subjects are scheduled to include Japanese, Mathematics, and Foreign Language Activities and Foreign Languages.

Q Can I enroll from the second or third grade?

A Students may enroll in any grade they wish, taking into consideration their previous studies and other factors.

Q What if I don't know what grade to enroll in?

A During individual interviews and Trial Lessons, students may, if they wish, take a simple test to check their level of academic ability. The grade in which you will enroll will be decided through individual interviews.

Q I can barely speak Japanese. Can I still enroll?

A You do not need to speak Japanese to enroll. In addition to providing instruction in easy Japanese and initial Japanese language, school life is supported by staff members who provide interpretation and translation services.

【Diversified Learning School Course】

Q What if I want to return to my original/local school?

A In principle, students will be enrolled/transferred on the assumption that they will continue to study at Mie Yotsubagasaki Junior High School until graduation. If a student wishes to transfer out of Mie Yotsubagasaki Junior High School, we will thoroughly discuss whether transferring out is in the student's best interest, and ultimately respect the wishes of the student and their guardian.

Q I am not good at group activities. I am worried about whether I will be able to participate in group lessons and school events.

A Unlike regular schools, we do not have group lessons. Although there is time for whole class or group study, students decide where and what to study by themselves. Students participate in school events by discussing what they can do, such as participating in planning or providing support.

Q Do I have to attend school every day?

A You do not have to attend school every day. You can discuss and decide what method suits you best, such as attending school every day, attending school a few days a week and learning online the rest of the time, etc.

Q What will happen to the learning for the lessons that have been reduced?

A Although the number of class hours has been reduced compared to a typical junior high school, in order to achieve the goals of each subject set out in the curriculum guidelines, we will make efforts such as establish new subjects that offer cross-curricular and integrated inquiry-based learning and enhancing individualized and optimal learning.

Entry example of Submission Forms

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Application Form

Date : 2024 / 11 / 11 (year/month/day)

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三重県教育委員会事務局 小 中学校教育課長 様

I'd like to enroll in Mie Yotsubagasaki Junior High School.
If my admission is accepted, I will obey rules and directions

み え けんりつ よつば が さきちゅうがっこう にゅうがく きぼう
三重県立みえ四葉ヶ咲中学校への入学を希望します。

また、入学が許可されたときは、学校のきまりや指示にしたが

If you have a legal alias name other than your real name, please write it down.

志願者 し がん しゃ	ふりがな な まえ 名前 name	み え たろう MIE TARO	※ふりがな ※通称	
	せいねんがっぴ 生年月日 date of birth	ねん 年 4 月 2 日 year month day	ねん 年 40 歳 age	れい 齢 満 さい
	じゅうしょ 住所 address	〒 514 - 8570 Tsu Shi, Komei Cho 13 banchi		
	でんわばんごう 電話番号 phone	じたく 自宅 home	けいたい 携帯 cellphone	059-224-2766 090-XXXX-XXXX
	きんむさき 勤務先 name	(名称) Yotsuba Kabushiki Gaisha		
	※働いている人 のみ記入 Address	(所在地) Tsu Shi ○○ cho1-1		
	name of employer *if you're employed	(電話番号) 059-225-△△△△		
	がっこうめい 学校名 name of school	Mie Ken-ritsu Yotsuba Koutou 学校 correspondence (第 2 学年在籍) name of school grade		
	こくせき 国籍 nationality	Japan	にゅうがくきぼうがくねん 入学希望学年 grade you want to enroll in	1 年生 ねんせい
	きぼうするぶ 希望する部 course	ちゅうかんぶ 昼間部 daytime		

※未成年の志願者は、以下の「保護者」欄も記入してください。

If the applicant is under 18 years old, fill in the following information about the guardian.

保護者 ほごしゃ guardian	ふりがな な まえ 名前 name	
	じゅうしょ 住所 address	〒 -
	でんわばんごう 電話番号 phone	じたく home けいたい cellphone
	しがんしゃ 志願者との続柄 relationship with applicant	
	If the address and/or home phone number are the same as the applicant, please write "same as applicant."	

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入学・転入学希望届

き にゅうび ねん がつ にち
記入日：2024年11月11日

三重 市 ちょうりつ 三葉中 がっこうちやう さま
町立 学校長 様

If you have a legal alias name other than your real name, please write it down.

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三重県立みえ四葉ヶ咲中学校への入学・転入学を希望します

ふりがな	み え たろう		※ふりがな	
な まえ 名 前	三 重 太 郎		※通称	
せいねんがっぴ 生年月日	へいせい 平成	22 ねん 年	4 がつ 月	2 にち 日
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じゅう しょ 住 所	〒 514 - 8570 津市広明町13番地			
てんわばんごう 電話番号	059-224-2766			
こく せき 国 籍	日本			
ほ ごしやめい 保護者名	三 重 花 子		つづき がら 続 柄	母
きぼうりゆう 希望理由	Please write the reason for your enrollment/transfer application.			

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入学・転入学希望者名

ほ ごしやめい
保護者名

Please write each one's name in your own handwriting.

Contact Information

Mie Prefecture Board of Education Office

Elementary and Middle School Studies Division - Evening Middle School Project Team

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