



# Himawari Preschool 2021-22 Openings

**Himawari Preschool is now accepting applications for new preschoolers at our unique Japanese childhood immersion preschool!**

The early childhood years are a special time of growing, where children can learn through play and natural social activities about themselves and the world of others around them. Here at Himawari Preschool, we give children the opportunity to grow also as “citizens of the world”. In our complete Japanese immersion environment, American kids can learn about socializing and playing with their new Japanese friends, as well as grow naturally in their vocabulary, cultural knowledge, and self-confidence.

Our teachers, professionals with teaching experience in both Japan and America, bring the Japanese perspective on learning to grow up here to the US, creating a wonderful blend of the best of both cultures. Himawari kids not only get to enjoy all the main US holidays and festivities, but also those from Japan as well! Also, our teachers bring art activities unique to Japanese culture direct to the classrooms, and using musical instruments bring the songs and games of Japan here to Michigan as well. There is no other place from the east to the west coasts of America where a child can truly grow to know and love Japan such as here.

**Activities** Japanese songs, hand play, picture books, origami, Japanese traditional children’s games, word games, Music activities, exercise (jump rope, mats, balls), outside play, crafts, cooking, number play, Rhythmic, fun with English, literacy

**Events** Here are some of the Japanese and American events we celebrate at Himawari Preschool:  
*Japanese:* Children’s Day, Tanabata, New Year’s making Mochi, Setsubun, Girl’s Day, Fall Festival (Matsuri)  
*American:* Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentine’s Day, St. Patrick’s Day, Easter  
*Other Events:* Art Fair, Sports Day, Birthday Parties (monthly), Field Trips,

## < 2021-22 School Year >

Entrance Requirements	3 years old and up * Please make sure your child is toilet-trained before coming to school (we can also accept children a little younger than 3 years old on a case-by-case basis)
Hours of Operation, Student Schedules	Monday ~ Friday, 9:00AM ~ 3:00PM (doors open 8:50) * Families can choose 3, 4 or 5 days of attendance per week (subject to availability) * 3 day schedules are: <b>Tue-Thr-Fri</b> for children who are 3 yrs old on or before Sept 1 2021, <b>Mon-Wed-Fri</b> for children who are 4 yrs old on or before Sept 1 2021 * 4 day schedules are: <b>Mondays through Thursdays</b>
Registration	Please fill out the student registration form on the Himawari Preschool website and send or bring to the address below, with the registration fee (\$60). <Address> Himawari Preschool 36611 Curtis Road Livonia, MI 48152 <Check payable to> Himawari Preschool LLC

< Tuition > (school year is divided in 6 roughly equal attendance periods: calendar on website).

	3 days/week	4 days/week	5 days/week
Registration fee (yearly)	\$60 (one time per year, per child)		
Tuition	\$6120 (\$1020 x 6)	\$7740 (\$1290 x 6)	\$9180 (\$1530 x 6)
Bus fee (both ways)	\$1680 (\$280 x 6)	\$2040 (\$340 x 6)	\$2400 (\$400 x 6)
Bus fee (one-way)	\$1050 (\$175 x 6)	\$1290 (\$215 x 6)	\$1500 (\$250 x 6)

Discounts: \$30 registration discount and \$60 tuition discount (up to \$360/yr) for second sibling

< Himawari Bus Information > (see website for route map)

	AM	PM	Bus Stop
West Bloomfield (Commerce)	8:00	3:30	UA Artists Cinema 14 Mile Rd & Haggerty
Novi/Wixom	8:15	3:45	Park & Ride Wixom I-96 & Beck Road.



☆Families may choose one-way or round trip.

☆Like tuition, bus fees are not calculated daily and are only available as a service per tuition period

☆Bus schedule may change depending on construction, weather, etc.

< Before & After care > (see parent handbook for rates): charged on a per-use basis

Before Care time: 7:45 – 9:00am      After Care times: 3 – 6:15pm

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