

Language

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HOW to raise a child to speak both Japanese and your native language?

July 4, Saturday, 10AM-12AM (Registration open from 9:45)

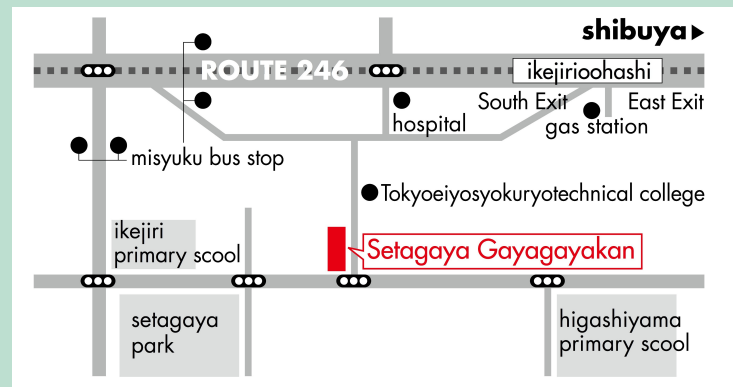
Setagaya Gayagaya-kan Floor 3, Exchange Hall
7 minutes walk from Ikejiri-Ohashi Station (Tokyu Den-en-toshi Line)

Early childhood (until 6 years old) is the most important in creating the foundations of language abilities. Let us think together about language learning which is closely linked to one's future studying and career choices. The event will be held in easy Japanese.

Participants: International or foreign families with children under 6 years old. You can take part on your own, with children or as a family.

Application: Please send an e-mail to the following address icris.setagaya@gmail.com

Please include 1) names and nationality of all the participants from your family, 2) your native language and the languages you speak, 3) children's age, 4) years of residence in Japan.



* Lecture by Olga Basova, PhD. “Ways to Succeed in Bilingual Education”

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Major research interests include socio-linguistics, bilingual education, and migration.

* Workshop: “My Family’s Language Education Planning”

At this workshop the participants will be divided into groups in order to think together about the strategies of language education that suit each situation.

Organizer: ICRIS Setagaya **Representative:** Chiharu Yoshida **Website:** <http://icris-setagaya.com>

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