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三鷹市登録有形文化財

## Ex-Official Residence called "Ichi-go Kansha"

The Tokyo Astronomical Observatory was established in Azabu, Minato-ku, in 1888 (Meiji era 21). Afterwards, the astronomical observatory was moved to Mitaka. The Mitaka campus was started to establish in 1914 (Taisho era 3).

This house was built in 1915 (Taisho era 4) and had been used as an official residence for about 90 years. We reconstructed it in 2009 and registered it as the tangible cultural property of Mitaka City.



Mitaka Picture Book House  
in the Astronomical Observatory Forest

has some attractive features.



"Star" - We cooperate with National Astronomical Observatory of Japan and many other astronomers.



"Forest" - We are located in a place with rich natural environment.



"Picture Book" - We collaborate with people who are interested in picture books.



"House" - Japanese-style house established about 100 years ago is served as a main building.



三鷹市  
星と森と絵本の家

Mitaka Picture Book House in the Astronomical Observatory Forest

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<https://www.city.mitaka.lg.jp/ehon/>

【Hours】 am10:00~pm5:00

【Closed】 Tuesday, Year-end and New Year holidays

Plottage:

about 2,400㎡

Building area:

about 350㎡

■ Bus stop: "天文台裏(Tenmondai-ura)" or "天文台前(Tenmondai-mae)"

◇ From JR武蔵境駅 (JR Line Musashisakai-St.)	<b>15minutes</b>	小田急バス(Odakyu-Bus) 境91
◇ From JR三鷹駅 (JR Line Mitaka-St.)	<b>20minutes</b>	小田急バス(Odakyu-Bus) 鷹51
◇ From 京王線 調布駅 (Keio Line Chofu-St.)	<b>15minutes</b>	小田急バス(Odakyu-Bus) 境91 小田急バス(Odakyu-Bus) 鷹51 京王バス (Keio-Bus) 武91

■ There is a free bicycle parking area in this facility.

■ You can use the astronomical observatory toll parking lot.

■ Map



National Astronomical Observatory of Japan is a research facility.

It is admitted to the tour route only. Please check in at the reception desk of National Astronomical Observatory of Japan before the tour.

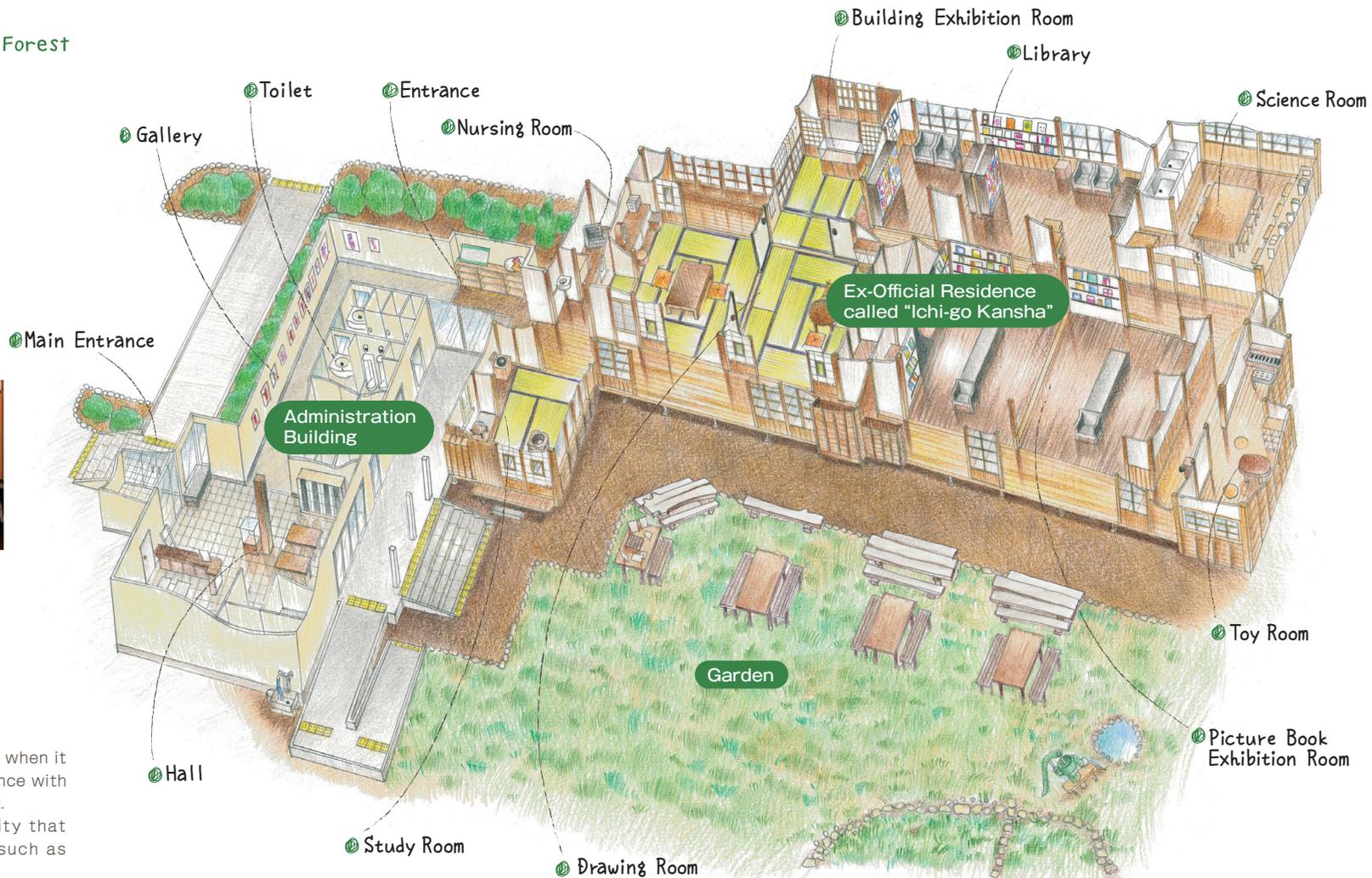


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## Mitaka Picture Book House in the Astronomical Observatory Forest



The picture book can be read by your own pace. And when it is read by someone to you, you can share the experience with him/her throughout various events in the picture book.

The picture book will stir your intellectual curiosity that motivates investigation and study in each field such as science and art.

We are engaged in diverse activities with considering the attraction of picture books.

## Work and Aim

This house and exhibition space is managed by Mitaka City in cooperation with National Astronomical Observatory of Japan.

Children can enjoy universe, nature, arts and cultures presented here, and grow their curiosity.

## Network

Various people who are interested in our work get together and create activities based on what is good for children's growth.

## What is Important

It is important that children explore and discover by themselves through interactions with people meeting here.