

If you want to stimulate your intellectual curiosity, go to this romantic town facinated with sky and space. Every once in a while, make a big reach for the stars, and go for a world far above the sky.



You can feel close to sky and space

Sky and Space Map

There are many locations related to the sky and space in Chōfu & Mitaka. The biggest attraction is learning through experience while having fun. Adults who love aviation and space are waiting for you!







Mitaka Tourist Information Center \ 0422-40-5525





National Astronomical Observatory of Japan Mitaka Campus

An open research facility where you can experience the appeal of space. Invaluable observatories and museums are scattered throughout

¥ Free Admission @ 10:00 to 17:00 (Admission until 16:30) / Open daily



Mitaka Picture Book House in the Astronomical Observatory Forest

A beautiful picture book exhibition for all ages set in stunning historic buildings from the Taisho era. Once a year, a special star-themed exhibition is held to stimulate the curiosity.

the National Astronomical Observatory of Japan. Mitaka Campus ¥ Free Admission ⊙10:00 to 17:00 / Closed Tuesdays (also closed at periodic maintenance



JAXA Chōfu Aerospace Center

The center for exploration and advancement of aerospace technology. One of the attractions are the real-life mission simulator and cockpit exhibitions.

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Chōfu Airport

The runway can be seen from the window, while you take in the sounds of engines racing and the ambiance of the boarding announcements.

Chōfu 2 10:00 to 18:30 (Open until 17:30 between November to January

The Arial Gateway to the Izu Islands.

The take-off and landing of small

propeller aircraft can be seen from up-close from the observation deck







