

JENESYS2020 Japan-Thailand Online Exchange
Japanese Communication/Japanese Culture Exchange
(Subtopic: Science and Technology)
2nd Batch Report

1. Program Overview

【Objective】 The main objective of this program is to strengthen the dissemination of information about Japan by providing students who are interested in Japan and the Japanese language in Thailand to learn about the culture, language, and the cutting-edge science and technology of Japan.

【Participants】 Total: 115 high school students, undergraduate students from Thailand

【Location】 Kagoshima Pref., Miyagi Pref., Tokyo, Aichi Pref., Hokkaido



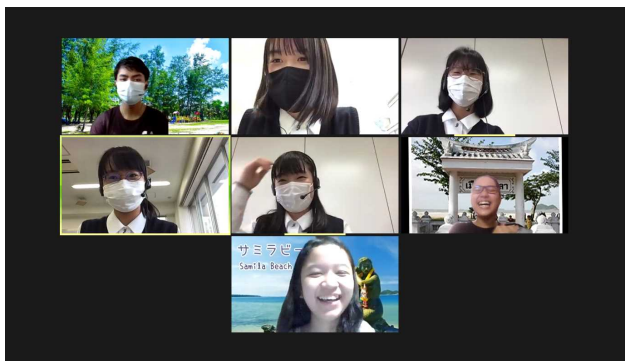
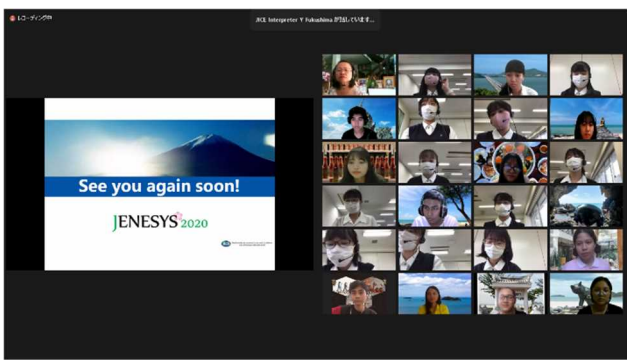
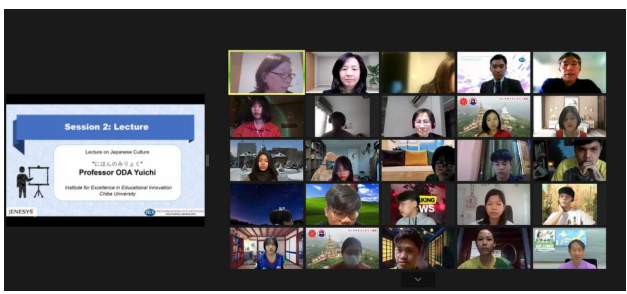

【Program Schedule】

Date Location	Program contents	Participants' questions and reactions
Number of participants for the following 2 days: 92		
May. 16, 2021 Kagoshi ma, Kanoya City	(Jointly with another programs) 【Webinar, Q&A session】 The charm of Kanoya City and the Host Town Project Lecturer: Ms.Kerdpraphob Pitcha, CIR (Coordinator for International Relations), Kanoya City, Kagoshima 1. Lecture 2. Q&A	There were many questions including about the plans for exchange after the Olympic Games, the Kanoya City festival, and the means of transportation when visiting the city.
May 31, 2021 Miyagi, Sendai City	【School Exchange】 Miyagi Prefectural Sendai Nika Senior High School 25 participants 1. School introductions and Q&A from both the Kingdom of Thailand Worarnarichalerm school, and the Miyagi Prefectural Sendai Nika Senior High School. 2. Participants are split into groups of	Students studying Japanese were able to interact actively in Japanese. Participants were given the opportunity to introduce not only their schools but also the areas they live in, and everyone showed interest in each other's culture and lifestyles. Japanese high school students commented that they were impressed that many people of their generation from other countries

	<p>approx. 7, to introduce themselves and exchange within the groups.</p> <p>3. 1 student from Thailand and Japan shared their thoughts on the school exchange.</p>	<p>were studying Japanese, and they seemed to have a meaningful exchange.</p>
Number of participants during the following 6 days: 23 (Jointly with other programs)		
January 22~, 2022	<p>【Video Viewing】</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Welcome Address 2. Home visit experience 3. Hiroshima peace tour 4. Learning Japanese 	<p>To foster better understanding of Japan, participants watched a video about Japan and the program before they participated in the main program.</p>
January 25, 2022 Tokyo	<p>【Orientation】 【Webinar, Q&A session】</p> <p>“Japan’s Attractions”</p> <p>Lecturer: Prof. ODA Yuichi, Institute for Excellence in Educational Innovation, Chiba University</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Lecture, Video 2. Q&A 	<p>After the lecture, there were many questions about Japanese culture, such as “What is the most distinctive Japanese culture?” The participants also asked the lecturer questions about his favorite things in Japan, and there was active communication between the lecturer and the participants.</p>
January 26, 2022 City of Nagoya, Aichi Pref.	<p>【Culture Experience】</p> <p>“Osu Shopping District Visit”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Virtual observation 2. Q&A 	<p>The participants had many comments and questions about the cleanliness of Japanese cities, food, and subcultures such as anime and manga.</p>
January 27, 2022 City of Hakodate, Hokkaido	<p>【Local Observation, Exchange Session】</p> <p>“Virtual tour of the City of Hakodate, Hokkaido”</p> <p>Hokkaido International Foundation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Observation 2. Exchange sessions in groups 	<p>The participants were very enthusiastic and seemed to enjoy seeing the view from Mt. Hakodate and the terrain of Hokkaido online. During the exchange session, participants asked questions about Hokkaido's industry and lifestyle.</p>
January 28, 2022 Tokyo	<p>【Workshop】</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reflection on the program 2. Action plan formulation and presentation preparation 	<p>Divided into groups of seven to eight, the participants developed action plans based on their learning throughout the program and prepared presentations for the reporting session.</p>
January	【Reporting Session】	<p>The participants made presentations in</p>

31, 2022 Tokyo	1. Presentations by the participants 2. Review Mr. YAMASHITA Ryusei Second Secretary, Japan Information Service (JIS), Embassy of Japan in Thailand	English and Japanese on their action plans to be implemented within three months after the program. A number of creative plans to disseminate information about Japan to a wide range of people were proposed.
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2. Program Photos

	
May 16, 2021 【Webinar, Q&A session】	May 16, 2021 【Webinar, Q&A session】
	
May 31, 2021 【School Exchange】 Miyagi Prefectural Sendai Nika Senior High School	May 31, 2021 【School Exchange】 Miyagi Prefectural Sendai Nika Senior High School
	
January 25, 2022 【Webinar, Q&A session】 Lecture	January 25, 2022 【Webinar, Q&A session】 Q&A session

	
<p>January 26, 2022 【Culture Experience】 Osu Shopping District</p>	<p>January 26, 2022 【Culture Experience】 Commemorative photo with a maneki-neko (beckoning cat)</p>
	
<p>January 27, 2022 【Local Observation, Exchange Session】 Participants enjoying the view from a gondola ascending Mt. Hakodate</p>	<p>January 31, 2022 【Reporting Session】</p>
	
<p>January 31, 2022 【Reporting Session】</p>	

3. Voices from Participants (excerpt)

◆ High School Student

I think it's a very good program for me. I know a lot about this city name kanoya. It's an unknown city but it has a very beautiful nature and I would like to visit there too.

◆ **High School Student**

When I saw a video clip about Kanoya city I could feel the joy and peace from this town. I was also impressed with the local accent of this city. Glad to listen to the seminar this time. And would like to have it again next time.

◆ **High School Student**

Today very happy I met a new friend from Japan. Learned more about Japan. It's a very good activity. I hope we will meet again.

◆ **High School Student**

It was a great program. I learned so much, and I would love to participate again if given the chance.

◆ **High School Student**

I was thrilled and honored to have taken part in this program. The program was not only fun, but I gained so much, including motivation to study languages.

4. Voice from Japanese Locals(excerpt)

◆ **Lecturer (Kanoya City, Kagoshima)**

Thanks to the generous support of JICE staff, the program took place without issue. I believe the lecture was very beneficial, giving the Thai students the opportunity to learn about Kanoya City.

◆ **School Exchange Participating Student**

Many of the students at my school enrolled because they were interested in international exchange, so I think online exchanges like this are very beneficial, as we can't go to other countries now due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

◆ **School Exchange Participating Student**

I was surprised to hear Japanese anime was popular among high school students in Thailand.



◆ **Cooperating Organization**

I think we were able to interact in a way that could only be done online. We as distributors will continue to improve on our skills.

□ **Cooperating Organization**

I believe that live-streaming the event, in addition to the slide show, made it possible for the participants to feel a closer connection with the charms of the local community.

5. Dissemination by the participants

 <p>อาาา เริน これはとても良い活動です。そして、機会を与えていただき ありがとうございます。 #JENESYS2020</p> <p>JICE's International Exchange Programs 6月1日 · 🌐</p> <p>(英語の後日本語があります) 【Thai & Japan high school online exchange!】 ... もっと見る 翻訳を見る</p>	 <p>JENESYS THAILAND 6月22日 · 🌐</p> <p>แม้อยู่ในภาวะการแพร่ระบาดของไวรัสโควิด19 การแลกเปลี่ยน ของโครงการ JENESYS2020 ก็ยังดำเนินต่อไป ภาพด้านล่าง เป็นการแลกเปลี่ยนออนไลน์ผ่านทางโปรแกรมซูมระหว่าง นักเรียนจากโรงเรียนวรนาธิเฉลิม สงขลา และโรงเรียนเซนได นี กะ จากจังหวัดมิยาจึ เมื่อวันที่ 31 พฤษภาคม พ.ศ. 2564 ทั้งสอง ฝ่ายได้เล่าสู่กันฟังถึงกิจวัตรประจำวันที่โรงเรียน จังหวัดของ ตนเอง และวัฒนธรรม อย่างสนุกสนาน 😊</p> <p>JICE's International Exchange Programs 6月1日 · 🌐</p> <p>(英語の後日本語があります) 【Thai & Japan high school online exchange!】</p> <p>JENESYS2020 Japanese Communication program was held on 31st May 2021.</p> <p>Thai and Japanese high school students introduced their schools and their daily life. Through self-introduction in the breakout rooms, students deepened their mutual understanding and friendship.</p> <p>Both schools in Thai and Japan were far from the capital. It is a great blessing that the international bridge can be connected regardless of location because of the COVID-19 situation.</p> <p>Thank you for the great presentation, Woranari Chalerm Schoolin in Thai</p>
<p>June 1, 2021 (Facebook)</p> <p>This is a very good activity. I am grateful for the opportunity I was given.</p>	<p>June 22, 2021 (Facebook)</p> <p>The JENESYS2020 exchange project was held in the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic. It was an online exchange using Zoom. On May 31, 2021, students from Woranarichalerm school and Miyagi Prefectural Sendai Nika Senior High School introduced and exchanged information on their countries, cultures, and daily lives.</p>

DAY 2 22.01.26

วันนี้เป็นวันที่วิทยากรได้พาไปชม"ย่านการค้าโอสึ"

เป็นย่านการค้าที่ตั้งอยู่เมืองนาโกย่า จังหวัดไอจิ ที่ย่านการค้าโอสึนั้นเต็มไปด้วยร้านค้ามากมาย ออกตัวอย่างเช่น ร้านขายเสื้อผ้าแฟชั่นต่างๆ ร้านขายเครื่องใช้ไฟฟ้า ร้านขายสินค้าเกี่ยวกับมังงะ อนิเมะ ร้านเกมเซ็นเตอร์ ร้านขายเครื่องแบบโรงเรียน ร้านขายขนมญี่ปุ่นไม่ว่าจะเป็น ขนมโทยากิ(เป็นขนมรูปปลาทำมาจากแป้ง ช้างในสอดไส้ถั่วแดง) ขนมอุยโร (เป็นขนมที่มีลักษณะหนึบ หนับ คล้ายกับขนมชั้นของไทย) ขนมทาโกยากิ(เป็นขนมแป้งนุ่มๆ ที่ข้างในสอดไส้ด้วยปลาหมึก) เป็นต้นรู้สึกชอบและประทับใจมากเหมือนได้ไปเที่ยวญี่ปุ่นเองได้รู้จักขนมต่างๆที่ไม่เคยรู้จักมาก่อน หรือสินค้าบางชนิดที่ในไทยไม่มีขายชอบคุณทางโครงการมากค่ะที่ทำให้ได้เก็บเกี่ยวประสบการณ์ความรู้ในครั้งนี้ขอฝากให้กิจกรรมที่แบบนี้บ่อยๆค่ะ~!!+🌸

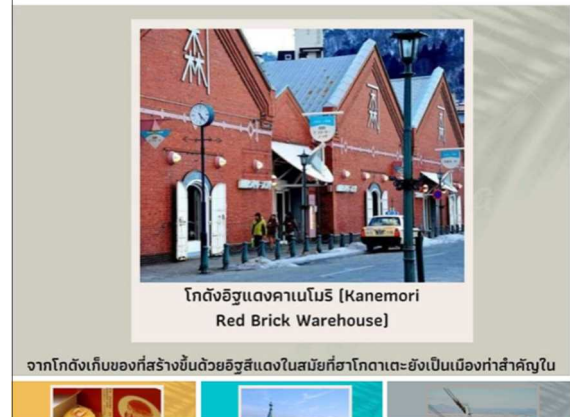
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Day3 วันนี้ได้มีการพาทัวร์ใน " เมืองฮาโกดาเตะ" ซึ่งเป็นเมืองที่ถ้าหากมีโอกาสได้ไปเยือนฮอกไกโด ต้องห้ามพลาด!
ฮาโกดาเตะ เป็นเมืองใหญ่สุดของจังหวัดโอซิมะ ในจังหวัดฮอกไกโด มีความสำคัญทางเศรษฐกิจเนื่องจากเป็นเมืองท่า มีประชากรอาศัยอยู่ราวสามแสนคน และนอกจากจะอยู่ห่างไกลจากซัปโปโรรึไม่มากแล้ว ฮาโกดาเตะยังมีสถานที่ท่องเที่ยวที่โดดเด่นอีกมากมาย โดยเฉพาะทัศนียภาพยามค่ำคืนจากภูเขาฮาโกดาเตะที่งดงามและได้รับการชื่นชมอย่างมาก 🌃🌸

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January 26, 2022 (Facebook)

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Today I was taken to Osu in Nagoya City, Aichi Prefecture. The Osu Shopping Street is lined with many stores. There were clothing stores, electrical appliance stores, stores selling anime and manga goods, game centers, stores selling school uniforms, and Japanese sweets stores. There were shops selling Taiyaki (fish-shaped pastries made of flour with red bean paste inside), Uiro (layered pastries similar to Thai Khanom Chan), Takoyaki (soft savory pancake, made of flour with octopus inside), and more. It was as if I was there myself and seeing foods and products that I had never heard of before and that are not sold in Thailand.

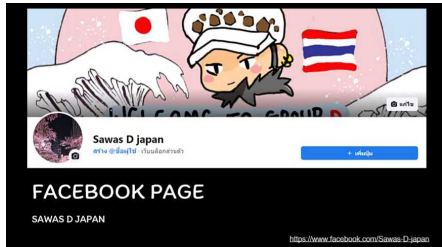



I am very grateful to the program for the experience and knowledge I gained. I would love to see this kind of program conducted again.

January 27, 2022 (Facebook)

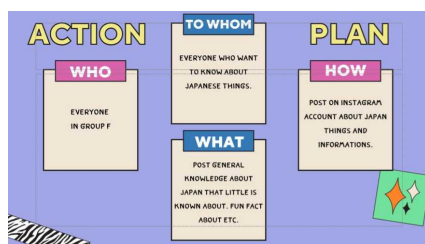
Today we're touring the City of Hakodate, which I highly recommend if you have a chance to visit Hokkaido. A must see!

Hakodate is one of the largest cities in Hokkaido. It is a bay city with a population of about 300,000 and is located not far from Sapporo, the largest city in Hokkaido. Being not far from Sapporo is an important factor economically. Hakodate is a very attractive place. The night view from Mt. Hakodate is particularly spectacular and popular.

6. Action plan presentations at the final reporting session

Group 1	
 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Project: Sawas D Japan 2. Timing: February 19, 2022 3. In order to spread knowledge about Japan to those not participating in this program, we will hold live talks about Japan on Twitter and Facebook to those interested in the Japanese language and culture. We will prepare games to interact with the participants, and we will also make past live broadcasts available on Joox.
Group 2	
 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Project: Make your dreams come true 2. Period: February ~ April, 2022 3. Group members will take turns posting on the "Make your dreams come true" Facebook page once a week to spread knowledge, understanding and information about Japan and the JENESYS program to anyone interested in the program.

Group 3



1. Project: Whatever in Japan
2. Period: February ~ April, 2022
3. We will disseminate information about Japanese culture, tourism, and food to the general public. We will post on Instagram about little-known information and trivia about Japan.

Implementation agency : Japan International Cooperation Center (JICE)