

Global Communication

for Primary School Students 2022 Plan

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Supratarka (NPO)

Conference Theme

"Let's invent a way to make world peace!"

「世界が平和になるための方法を発明しよう！」

Participants (10 Students each from 3 countries)

1. Japan: Students from various schools in Japan
2. Malaysia (Penang): Students of Batu Kawan Primary School
<https://www.facebook.com/PRS-SK-BATU-KAWAN-111520373614891/>
3. Taiwan (Tainan): Students of Rihsin Elementary School (日新國民小學)
<https://www.zhes.tn.edu.tw/>

*Students ages: basically 10 - 11 years old.

Date

June 5 (Sunday)

(2 hours' duration)

Japan: 14:00 - 16:00

Malaysia: 13:00 - 15:00

Taiwan: 13:00 - 15:00

Venue

Japan: from home

Malaysia: from home

Taiwan: from home

*Participation from school is also possible.

Conference style

- Video call system between 3 countries.
- Individual participation from home.
- No restriction on video call devices. (PC, Tablet, Smart phone)

Participation fee *free of charge

Activity

We realized that it is not easy at all to keep peace around the world with the reality of what is happening in Ukraine and other places. Then it is worthwhile for students to consider world peace and exchange ideas together.

Through the exchange of opinions and ideas, students will develop their understanding of each other and of the world.

Aims

1. Develop students' understanding of the world.
2. Develop children's worldwide network.
3. Develop students' communication skills.
4. Provide opportunities for global communication.
5. Develop students' leadership skills.

Activity sequence

*Japan Time

Stage	Time (Japan time)	Program	Details
Greetings	14:00-14:01 (1 min.)	Ice Breaker <all students>	Share greetings in local languages from each country. <u>*All repeat the phrase.</u>
	14:02-14:03 (1 min.)	Host's Greeting <host >	Opening words by the host.
Self Introduction	14:05-14:08 (3 min.)	Self introduction. (Japan, Malaysia, Taiwan) <all>	Self introduction for all. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● A translator (teacher) introduces first. ● Students of the country follow. ● Self introduction just by name.
Introduction of school	14:10-14:20 (9 min: 3 min x 3)	Introduction of school. < presenters > (Japan, Malaysia, Taiwan)	Students introduce their school. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>Presenter(s)</u> introduce their school with photos and diagrams. ● Students from other countries can ask questions to the presenter(s).
Introduction of school items	14:20-14:30 (10 min)	Introduction of items we use at school < all students>	Students introduce items they use at school. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● For example: text books, notebooks, art works, etc <u>as cultural exchange.</u> ● Students show them at the same

			<p>time all together.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● They can ask to each other.
World peace	14:35-15:10 (35 min) (3 min x 6)	<p>Let's invent a way to make world peace!</p> <p>2 presentations from each side. (Japan, Malaysia, Taiwan)</p> <p>Discussion <any student></p>	<p>Students discuss the theme "Let's invent a way to make world peace!" and share ideas and opinions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>Each student</u> prepares one's own ideas in advance. ● Present <u>2 ideas</u> from each side. ● Use diagrams to explain <u>ideas (inventions)</u> clearly. ● Others ask questions or express opinions about it. ● Students can also express <u>personal ideas</u>. ● Students can express their opinions in their native language which will be translated into English by staff. ● The conference manager will go to the next topic according to the time table.
	15:10-15:13 (3 min.)	Break time	3 minutes break.
Fee questions	15:15-15:35 (20 min)	Free questions to each other <any students>	<p>Students can ask <u>free questions</u> to each other.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Topics won't be restricted. ● The conference manager will go to the next topic according to the time table.
Closing words	15:35-15:36 (1 min)	Closing words. <host>	<p>The host gives closing words.</p> <p>*Video call is still connected.</p>
	15:38-15:40 (2 min)	Beak time	2 minutes break.
Summary	15:40-16:00 (20 min)	<p>Filling work sheets and collecting students' impressions. <all students> <observers></p>	<p>Summary will be done <u>all together</u>.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Students fill the work sheets. ● All students express their impressions of the meeting one by one. ● Other participants also express their

			impressions of the meeting.
	16:00-16:02 (2 min)	Closing words of the meeting. <Leaders><host>	<u>Closing words by a leader</u> of each country. Saying good-bye to each other. *All activities will be closed.

Preparation

1. **Each side** prepares introduction of their own school.
 - Introduce your school with photos and diagrams.
 - Add current situation of Coronavirus.
 - Select presenter(s) of your school.
 - Presentation should be within 2 minutes at each side.

2. **Each student** prepares one's own idea(s) for the theme **“Let's invent a way to make world peace!”** in advance.
 - Idea(s) should be clear and concrete.
 - Idea(s) doesn't have to be actually possible.
 - Idea(s) shouldn't be some kind of magic.
 - Use diagrams to explain your idea (invention) clearly.

3. **Each side** prepares two ideas for the theme **“Let's invent a way to make world peace!”**.
 - Develop their ideas and decide two ideas as your group ideas.
 - Prepare presentation for those two ideas.
 - Ideas should be clear and concrete.
 - Use diagrams to explain it clearly.
 - Ideas can be prepared in their own language.
 - Use short sentences so that it can be easily translated into English.
 - Each presentation should be within 2 minutes because of translation.

4. **Each student** prepares school items to show.
 - Text books or notebooks or art works are fine, so that we can compare the difference between countries.
 - Prepare some items so that everyone can show different items.

5. **Presenter(s)** for your school introduction.
 - Select student(s) as presenter(s).

6. **Presenters** to present your group ideas.

- Select two students as presenters. (Two ideas)
7. **Translators** need to understand the flow of translation, because all gather on the same screen at the same time. They need to translate one by one sequentially.

Conference Rules

1. All participating students are expected to ask questions or express opinions.
2. **Do not criticize other's ideas or opinions** by own standards. Constructive questions or opinions are welcomed.

Sequence of communication

Speaker (native language)

→ Translator (English) → [\[Internet\]](#)
 → Translator 1 (native language 1) → Students
 → Translator 2 (native language 2) → Students

Questioner (native language)

→ Translator (English) → [\[Internet\]](#)
 → Translator 1 (native language 1) → Speaker
 → Translator 2 (native language 2) → Speaker

Role list at the conference

- Conference manager: hosts and controls and facilitates the entire activity.
- Group managers (translators): Teachers. (Each country has one manager who takes care of their students.)
- Conference staff: support the conference and the conference manager.

Notes

- Please select students according to their ideas and will. Students should not be selected according to their English ability only. The aim is not English conversation but to discuss and exchange ideas beyond country borders.

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