ORUGATTAKIDS 2024



Japanese language class for children, mothers, and fathers from foreign



★Children will learn proper Japanese pronunciation and usage through crafts, games, and picture book readings.

Even if it seems like your child is having a friendly conversation in Japanese with their friends, they might not be using words accurately or might not have learned age-appropriate vocabulary. To solve this issue, activities will be held in this class that will aid your child's Japanese development from a professional perspective.

★Parents can consult about kindergarten and elementary school.

Have you ever received a kindergarten or elementary school newsletter that you couldn't understand? Whether it's about personal belongings, school events, or preparation for a new semester, we can go over anything you may not understand. We also offer consultation for any troubles or concerns you may have.

Motohiro Isaki



Associate Professor, Division of Speech-Language-Hearing Therapy, Faculty of Health Science, Kumamoto Health Science University

- Licensed speech-language pathologist, teaching language to children
- Research on children's language development
- Particularly considers how to teach language in relation to language, communication and cognition (intelligence and learning ability).
- Come to see us if your children have difficulty studying, understanding Japanese, or communicating with their friends.
- Enjoy learning Japanese with your children.

Takako Akiha



Associate Professor, Department of Japanese Language & Literature, Prefectural University of Kumamoto

- Japanese Language Teacher
 Training Program Coordinator
- Engaged in Japanese language education at universities in the U.S. and Korea
- Currently making a great effort to raise a bilingual Japanese-Korean child (7 years old)
- Advice from the perspective of language acquisition for children growing up in a multilingual environment (for parents).
- Observe children's Japanese language ability from the perspective of Japanese language education, and plan activities with students that take into account the children's level of proficiency and the Japanese language ability they are aiming for.



Location: Kumamoto City International Center (5F, Japanese-Style Small Conference Room)



Date: Twice a month (Sunday) 10:30 - 12:00 a.m.

MAP

14,28/Apr. 12,26/May. 9,23/Jun. 14,28/Jul. 11,25/Aug.

8,22/Sep. 13,27/Oct. 24/Nov. 22/Dec. 12,26Jan./2025

Participants: Children ages 5 - 8 and their parents

Fee: Free

Number of people: First 10 people (children)

★Reservations are required.



Application: Kumamoto City Consultation and

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