



Beautiful weather in May

A month has passed since the new G1 students entered this school. We can see the children lined up neatly in a row and walking behind their classroom teacher Ms. Tamai. G1 students are getting used to school life and full of energy.

Here in Abu Dhabi, it's getting hotter in May. In Japan, 5th May is the boy's day called TANGO. A lot of KOINOBORI - a cloth streamer in the shape of fish(carp) - could be in the sky in Japan now.

This is an event we Japanese hope for children's growth. 5-meter KOINOBORI is also waving in the wind in the courtyard of the Japanese school.

The educational activities of the Japanese school in Abu Dhabi are now fully open. From this month, SOROBAN(abacus) class will also start. SOROBAN(abacus) fosters concentration and computational power. In May, we have swimming classes, school trip and events. Samurai school lunch renewed menu and the coupon system has been introduced. G7-G9 students have intermediate tests in May. The results of your daily learning will appear. So, let's study hard every day.



One day, an elementary school low-grade girl and mother got into the lift. The girl looked at me and said, "Hi uncle," and bowed. I was surprised, but I also said hello to her and bowed. Her mom praised the girl, "Good girl. You can greet people, can't you?"

In Japan, it is becoming less to speak to people even we know. I thought this girl was wonderful, but I was quite impressed by the words that this mother had originated.



Prof. Shigehiko Toyama, a professor at Showa Women's University, says: The first and greatest discipline for a child is the word. In general, teaching child(ren) a language is not considered the role of parents. If the word is firmly done, the foundation of the discipline is built. The future training is also done well. Words are the true discipline. If you try to teach good manners/behavior without doing this process, it won't work. Listening to his speech, I was realized that the words were basic to nurture people. The words that we usually use have a strong influence on our children. We must not forget that the wording is thoughtfulness.

This was written in a book: Gentle words will surely have a lot of gentle heart. Warm words will surely have a lot of warm heart. Polite words will surely have a lot of compassionate heart.

Serious incidents that shake our society are happening in the world. Something in the children is about to change. Parents, why don't you reconsider "the word is the basis for nurturing people" because of this time?

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Moral education

A little while ago, the principals of the whole country were gathered in Dubai, and had a training of the moral education. As a result, all schools in UAE are now obliged to take moral education.

Then, the project team and the research school were made, and there was a report of wanting to come to learn morality education to the Japanese school.

The reason why Japanese people have a moral mind is not because they are learning it in textbooks. Education at home, community education, and school education comprehensively foster the character formation and moral spirit of children. Every single moment in our daily life is linked to our moral education. Here's a good story that was in a magazine.

