

# School Newsletter

## February

Japanese School of Abu Dhabi 2020 February 2<sup>nd</sup>

### Opening Ceremony

January 5<sup>th</sup>

We had two students who left school at the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> term, and we started the 3<sup>rd</sup> term with 62 students. Students presented various resolutions. Keeping the words is very important. "New year's day is the key of the year", and "Morning is the key of the day". Those words express the importance of the start and continuity. Let's keep the principle's speech in mind.

### Emergency Drill

January 8<sup>th</sup>

We finished four emergency drills in this school year. We practiced the emergency where we used the shelter. There are fire and earthquake drill as well. It is important that we prepare for emergency. Students learned the importance of discuss what to do in the case of emergency with family members.

### Student Committee

January 13<sup>th</sup>

We will have two more student committee gatherings in this school year. I wish students to work cooperatively and finish this year's committee productively.

**Sho Yo Sai : February 7<sup>th</sup> , Friday**

**Substitute Holiday : 9<sup>th</sup> , Sunday**

### Sports Day

January 17<sup>th</sup>

The competition between Red and White was a draw. This is extremely rare. Everyone worked very hard and did their best. The performance was impressive too. The national flags of UAE and Japan made by students impressed parents. Each team leader led the members well, and they cooperated well. Congratulations to both team members!! To parents, thank you for your cheers and support.

### Library Committee Gathering

January 21<sup>st</sup>

This time the library committee had a story-telling event. Both readers and listeners had a fun and memorable time.

### Sports Club Ends

January 22<sup>nd</sup>

We finished sports club this school year. We had 14 times in total. Did you enjoy joining the club? We often say it is important to exercise in our whole lifetime. When you find some sports which are suitable for you and you can enjoy, please continue to play those. You can find precious friends and grow special bond with friends through sports. This would enrich your life.

### Welcoming Generations to school

January 30<sup>th</sup>

Six members of Generations visited Japanese school and some students interacted with them. In G5-G9 music class, they interviewed students and made Kakigori (shaved ice) for students. Generations performed in Kouhaku Uta Gassen (Japanese singing competition on new year's eve) last year so some students may have seen them. Let's wish their success in the future.