

The script must be written including following requirements below.
 For elementary and junior high school, write approximately 1,000 letters
 and 1700 letters for High school and general public division.

(The length of the speech is within 3 minutes for elementary and junior
 high school and within 5 minutes for high school and general public
 division. Please note that if you exceed your time limit, points will be
 deducted from the score.)

- ① The title of your speech.
- ② The name of your school or volunteer class (Only write full name of
 your school or class. Abbreviation is not acceptable.)
- ③ Your school year or date of birth.
- ④ Your full name.
- ⑤ First language you learned to speak (Your mother tongue.)
- ⑥ How many years and months you have been living in Japan as of
 April 1, 2021. If you left Japan for more than 3 month, subtract that
 time and calculate the total length of residency.
- ⑦ Write if you have participated in this contest in the past (not include
 competitions by other organizations.) If there are many applicants,
 priorities are given to first timer to this contest.

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- Your speech script will not be returned to you. Please make a copy before sending it if your need one.
- In case of unfair practice (plagiarism or informing false age or date of birth) is found, that contestant will be excluded from the contest or revoke the award.
- It is not allowed to turn in the script that you already used or are planning to use for another contest. However, you can submit the script applied for The 11th Higashimikawa Nihongo speech Contest.
- For final contestants, your name, the name of the school or group, school year and the mother tongue will be announced.
- Anyone is welcome to join as an audience. There is a possibility that media (newspaper and television) will be interviewing.
- The pictures and videos of the contest may be published by the Government of Aichi prefecture. And after the contest, the videos may be lent to applicants if they wish.

< Note: about Final round >

Even if the candidate passes the preliminary round, but does not show up on the day of the contest or disappear in the middle of the program, he or she will be disqualified.

No points are deducted for using the speech script during the contest.

The prefecture will reimbursed for the transportation fee (cost of train both ways from home to the location of the event)to each contestant and for one attendance such as a family member (total of 2.) for elementary school and junior high school division, only for the contestant as for high school and general public division.