The 26th International Speech Contest in Japanese

To promote Japanese Language study among foreigners and offer them the chance to express opinions about their experiences living in Japan, to deepen genuine understanding with foreigners, and in hoping for international interchange in our region, this year we are once again sponsoring a International Speech Contest in Japanese and Party for foreigners. We want to invite all foreigners living among us to make a speech and we hope that everybody will participate and support their efforts.

TO ALL FOREIGNERS : ACCEPTING SPEECH CONTESTANTS

Won't you express your message in Japanese to a wide audience? Tell us about the differences between your country and Japan, your impressions and experiences of living in Japan, things you would like to communicate to Japanese people, your future aspirations, etc... We are hoping for a large response.

Time: 28^{th} October 2018 (Sunday) $1:00 \sim 5:00$ p.m.

Place: Ashikaga Shimin Kaikan Bekkan - Hall

(Ashikaga - shi, Yuraku - cho)

No admission charge

Qualification: Foreigner living in Japan. (Within residence 5 years.)

Junior high school students and above.

[Limited: 20 contestants]

Speech Topic and Length:

- ①Theme is open (except missionary or promotional)
- 2) Please include a title
- ③Under 5 minutes

Deadline for Application: 12th October (Friday)

(Applications will be closed when the prescribed number of contestants is reached.)

Deadline for Manuscript: 19th October (Friday)

Application and Questions:

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Ashikaga International Association

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Commendation:

A certificate and prize will be given to the winners, and a souvenir to every contestant.

After the speech contest a CROSS - CULTURAL PARTY will be held.

Sponsors:

Ashikaga Community College and Ashikaga International Association