

Photo Album for 2016 Outbound to Kurashiki

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Finally reached Kurashiki after 29 hours from Christchurch



Kurashiki students welcoming us



Staff from Kurashiki City Hall and some citizens waiting for us to arrive. We can see Mr. Namba, Mr. Miyake, Mrs. Hashimoto, Mr. Saito here.

23 September 2016

Cultural learning day, City sightseeing, Kurashiki City Hall official visit



Shogi (Japanese chess) experts playing



Some students showing interest in Shogi



Japanese language study



Bikanchiku (Ohara Art Gallery at the back)



Kurashiki City Hall official visit

23 September 2016



Haka performance (Kamate Kamate)

27 September 2016

Mitsubishi Mizushima factory, Seto Bridge, Mini-tatami factory



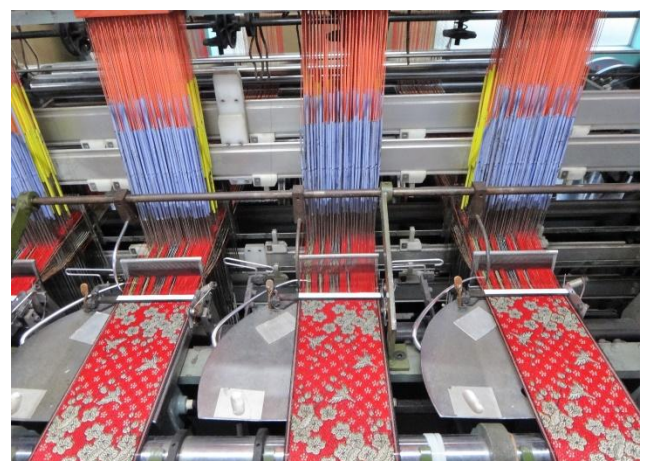
Mitsubishi Factory



Seto Bridge



Tatami tape factory



Tatami tape making machine

28 September 2016

Hiroshima / Miyajima Day Trip



Hiroshima Peace Park



Itsukushima Shrine (Miyajima)



Miyajima Ferry square

29 September 2016

Japanese Cultural Learning and experience 1



Kimono trying-on session



Sushi making session

29 September 2016



Daruma painting-in session



Taiko (Japanese drums) session

30 September 2016

Okayama area sightseeing
Korakuen Park, Okayama Castle, Kibi historical road



Korakuen Park (Okayama)



Wedding at Korakuen Park



Okayama Castle

30 September 2016



Trying-on historic courtiers' Kimono at Okayama Castle



Haka performance with Aussie students looking on at Okayama Castle !!
Huge success !!!

5 October 2016

Japanese Cultural Learning / experience 2

Japanese flower arrangement, Japanese calligrapher and Farewell Party



F arewell Party



Yami Japanese food !

5 October 2016

F arewell Party



Boys performed Haka their heart-out to our hosts in Kurashiki !
The best one !!



6 October 2016

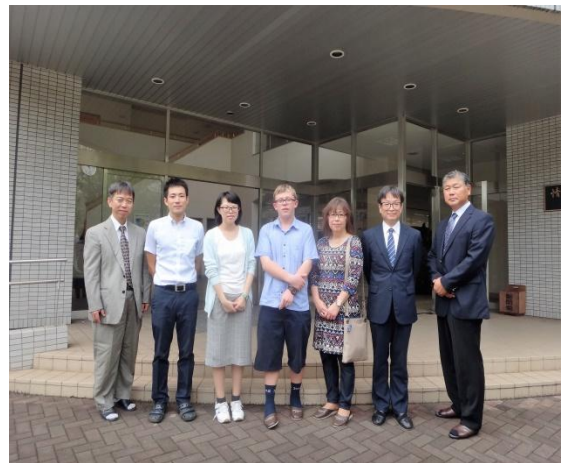


Last farewell at JR Kurashiki Station



Other photos

School Days



Thank you !