

# Our Hirosho School Life!



## What happened in January?

### Foreign Exchange Students

This year, Hirosho had two students participate in the exchange program. They came from our sister school, Kilarney Heights, in Australia. They arrived in Hiroshima on January 6<sup>th</sup>. Each of the students stayed with a Hirosho student and their family. The Exchange students came to Hirosho and got to experience class as though they were a member of the school. One of the students stayed with our 3<sup>rd</sup> year international class, 3-4, while the other exchange student joined 3-2 for classes. They attended most of the classes as a normal student of each class. On January 14<sup>th</sup>, the exchange students visited a local elementary school where they played flag karuta and sang English songs with the children. The last day of their classes at Hirosho, some of the teachers and students helped the exchange students dress up in a kimono. They wore the kimono to their classes and were able to take many pictures to help remember their time at Hirosho. It was also a great experience for Hirosho students to practice communicating



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### Internship presentations

On January 29<sup>th</sup>, each class had to present about the various internships they went to in August. The students highlighted the major things they learned and the important things to remember when they transition into a job after Hirosho. The most common key point was being polite by using good manners. Others mentioned timeliness, hard work, and teamwork. After the internship presentation, there was a presentation by students about studying abroad in lieu of their internships. The end of the presentation included a goodbye message from the two exchange students that visited Hirosho in the beginning of January.



# What's coming in February?

## Farewell to the Seniors

February 5<sup>th</sup> the seniors will leave the school until graduation.

## Second year students - Show and Tell

Second year students have a Show and Tell speaking test.

## Final Exams

The first and second graders must prepare for the final tests of the school year!

## In the ALT's corner...

### Winter Word search!

Here is a fun word search to celebrate winter!

S T F S X A I Y P H D J Q E R  
C U E S K G F O N O L W C X R  
A F U K L I L K T T O I J I B  
R A F O N A I H A C C A T E X  
F A O A R A Q N C H E A T E R  
W K V B N X L T G O T A O C B  
L I E Z X Q Z B R C E U W M Q  
A A N I U G N E P O L V M B Y  
R X A L B S T K W L D N B H T  
D B I B E F S A J A H W Q I S  
F Z W V M P K G Q T M W J P O  
S W O C C N E N X E G L H X R  
G L O T Y S F B M R P N T M F  
G V A N Z Y E C O X P F H O Z  
Z M B R S U U C Z W R B I I A

1. It is white and falls from the sky.
2. This bird lives in cold places and swims well.
3. The opposite of hot
4. They cover your hands and keep them warm.
5. A famous snowman's name.
6. It goes around your neck to keep you warm.
7. It is on your bed and keeps you warm if you wrap it around you.
8. When water gets very cold it gets hard and turns into ...
9. A house made of ice and snow.
10. The largest land hunter. They look white and live near the north pole.
11. A delicious drink in the winter. It helps keep you warm when you drink it.
12. You put this on your body over your shirt to help keep you warm in the winter.
13. If your room is cold you will turn this on to make the whole room feel warmer.
14. It is a fun sport in the winter on mountains. You can have two poles,