

Language School for Sale

Due to personal reasons, I will be returning to my home country at the end of 2023 and need to sell my language school by then. It has been operating for 5 years. If you are interested, please send email to palar5@yahoo.com.au

Catholic Mass

Mass in English will be held June 11 and 25 from 15:00 at the
Catholic Matsuyama Church in Sanbancho 4-5-5
Tel. 089-921-1849



Worship at the Fukuin Center

June 4, 18 9:00-10:45 Regular Sunday Service
June 11 10:00-12:00 Sunday Service International Day
June 25 13:30-14:45 Worship in English

Matsuyama Fukuin Center, Heiwa-dori 1-6-6
Tel: 089-925-1008 <http://bit.ly/2LugPBV>

You are most welcome!
Please check our website.

Matsuyama Islamic Culture Center

Prayers are held 5 times every day and Islamic *dakwah* activities such as daily reading Hadist, weekly Qur'an Recitation for Adults (*Usroh*) and weekly recitation for kids (Kids Program), also Halal meat, and an Islamic book library are available.

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Japan Association of Language Teachers (JALT)

A before M: English language histories show motivation follows arousal

Brenda Hayashi, Miyagi Gakuin Women's University

The talk is an introduction to an on-going study that examines the English-language histories of Japanese women who are currently using English in their jobs. The participants graduated from a medium-sized private university in northeastern Japan, with no participant a graduate of the English department. Their ages range from the late 20s to the early 40s. The participants agreed to be interviewed and talk about their "English language histories."

Implementation of compulsory foreign language (mainly English) lessons in elementary schools from 2020 and the introduction of specialists of certain subjects (教科担任制度) in 2022 have created an environment where young learners are purposely exposed to English at an early age. Whether this will lead to an improvement of general English ability among the Japanese population will be evaluated only when these young learners become adults.

The participants who have disclosed their English language histories share some similarities: they did not start learning English until junior high school; they were not "English junkies" obsessed with English; and their EFL histories are filled with unexpected turns of events.

Sunday, June 18, 2023 14:00-16:00

Members: Free, One-day membership: ¥1000

*Send fee to: Shinsei Bank

Account number : 400 1656054 (柳在熙 Jaehee Ryu)

Branch:本店(Head office)、

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JALT website: <https://sites.google.com/view/matsuyamajalt/>

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Endorsements: Matsuyama City; Matsuyama City Board of Education



Matsuyama Toastmasters Club

Matsuyama Toastmasters Club is a non-profit, international organization for improving communication and leadership skills. We practice public speaking in English and Japanese.

Visit us 3 times for free to see if Toastmasters is for you.

www.matsuyama.toastmastersclubs.org

June 11 (Sun.) 13:30-15:00 at COMs

June 24 (Sat.) 19:00-20:30 on Zoom

Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/4156790322>

Donations and Fund-raising to support the people of Ukraine

Here is a list of organizations that are accepting donations to help the people of Ukraine.

★Matsuyama city

ウクライナ人道危機救援金 (じんどうきききゅうえんきん)

<https://www.city.matsuyama.ehime.jp/bosyu/ukrainakiyuenkin2.html>

★Ehime prefecture

ウクライナ人道危機救援金 (じんどうきききゅうえんきん)

<https://www.pref.ehime.jp/h10100/ukraine/ehimekenukraiejindokikiyuenkin.html>