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Change of Program Name and Partial Activity Content Hakuho Scheme for a Global Children's Japanese Language Network

In conjunction with preparation for the 11th year of the program, the "Hakuho Scheme for a Global Children's Japanese Language Network" will integrate its program and activity name into "Hakuho Japanese Language Exchange Program" to allow for an easier understanding of the program content. A portion of the activity content will also be changed. We thank you in advance for your understanding and continued cooperation with the Foundation.

(1) Program Name

Former: Hakuho Scheme for a Global Children's Japanese Language Network

New: Hakuho Japanese Language Exchange Program

(2) Activity Name

Former: Japan Experience Program for Overseas Children

New: Hakuho Japanese Language Exchange Program

* There is no change to "The Preparatory Training in Japan for Overseas Teachers".

(3) Change of Activity Content

The "Overseas Experience Program for Japanese Children" will be discontinued.

This program is undertaken with the cooperation of the Japan Foundation, the Association for Japanese-Language Teaching, the Association of Japanese Language Teachers in Romania, the Japanese Teachers' Association of Sri Lanka, the Mongolia-Japan Center for Human Resources Development, the Turkish Japanese Foundation Culture Center, WuFeng University and other organizations.

Hakuho Foundation, a public interest incorporated foundation based in Tokyo, Japan, was established in 1970 to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the founding of Hakuodo Inc., a major Japanese advertising company. With the vision of contributing to children's growth through the power of language, the Foundation helps support child education through such initiatives as the Hakuho Award, the Hakuho Research Grant for Child Education, the Hakuho Foundation Japanese Research Fellowship, the Hakuho Japanese Language Exchange Program (formerly known as the Japan Experience Program for Overseas Children), and the Hakuho Foundation Child Research Institute. In addition, we have set up the Hakuho Teacher Development Scholarship in 2018.

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