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Arts & Culture



A Life More Ordinary: A Portrait of **Contemporary Japanese Life on Film**



The Japan Foundation Touring Film Programme starts in February with its season of films depicting the life of the ordinary Japanese person.

:: For more information, click here.

(mage: Strawberry Shortcakes Dir: Hitoshi Yazaki 2006/127 min/subtitled)

Oha! Japan at the Unicorn **Theatre**

A double bill of Japanese theatre premieres aimed at children.

:: Click here for more information. (mage: Hello Maru-Chan)



Coming Soon - A Passage to the Future

Wolverhampton Art Gallery will host the only showing of this Japan Foundation Touring Exhibition

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Language (JFLLC)



The Third Japanese Speech Contest for **University Students**

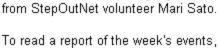


On Saturday 2 February, 12 finalists went head-to-head in front of 5 judges and a 130 strong audience in this year's University Speech Contest.

Click here to read more about the day and the winners.

Japanese Week at Barr Beacon Language College

From 14 - 18 January, Barr Beacon Language College in Walsall had a Japan themed week, which included successful Japanese language tasters from StepOutNet volunteer Mari Sato.



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Japanese Studies & Intellectual Exchange



Opportunities and Challenges for the G8: Lessons for Japan and the UK

A conference exploring the intitiatives taken by Japan and the UK in hosting the summit, shaping its agenda etc.

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