

じゃらちゃん JaLaChamp

2024

Japanese Language Championship for Young Learners UK
Finals Day: Saturday 11th May 2024

Programme

Registration

12:30pm – 13:00pm

Opening and welcome speech

13:00pm – 13:10pm

Speech Category

13:10pm – 13:50pm

Interval 13:50pm – 14:00pm

Video Category Secondary School-1

14:00pm – 14:20pm

Video Category Secondary School-2

14:20pm – 14:30pm

Interval 14:30pm – 14:40pm

Video Category Primary School

14:40pm – 14:55pm

JaLaChamp Special Talk by Dr Catherine Butler

14:55pm – 15:25pm

The Finalist Chat Show

15:25pm – 15:40pm

Interval 15:40pm – 15:50pm

Award Ceremony

15:50pm – 16:30pm

Please note that the schedule may be subject to change.

Organiser



Venue

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Speech Category

Those who have a Japanese level equivalent to B1 level of JF standard for Japanese-language Education/ CEFR

① Eric Taylor

Whitgift School (Y12)

将来にも日本は現金中心の国としていつづけるべきですか?
Should Japan stay as a cash dominant country in the future?

② Abubakar Sambo

Wycliffe College (Y12)

七転び八起き
Fall down seven times, get up eight

③ Polly Fletcher

Wolfreton School and Sixth Form College (Y12)

食べ残しは だれにもちきゅうにも よくないです。
Food waste is not good for both people and the planet.

④ Rupert Lam

Harrow School (Y12)

学校は環境を守る三つの方法
Three Ways My School Can Help the Environment



Video Category

Secondary School Division 1

A1-A2 Level of JF standard for Japanese-language Education/ CEFR

Theme : My/Our Talent わたし とくい 私(たち)の得意なこと

① Hugo

Katharine Lady Berkeley's School

My Talent - Revealed

② Timothy Pooley

James Gillespie's High School

ぼくのとくいなもの
My favourite thing to do.

③ The Karate Cubers

Japanese4Schools

- Charis Taylor, Niamh Cardinal, Parker Bonnefin, Sean Landers
The Karate Cubers

④ Lochlann

Whitgift School

ロ克蘭のとくいなこと。
ドキュメンタリー
Lochlann's skills: A documentary

⑤ Yuna

Sheffield Japanese Play-group & Study-club/ Tupton School

things I have gained throughout my life

⑥ Wolfreton Year 9 Group

Wolfreton School and Sixth Form College

- Rebecca H, Hannah R, Henry B, Chloe N, Sophia D
Every mistake is a lesson well learnt

⑦ Sky Phisuthikul

Wycombe Abbey School

Me and my hobby- Cooking!

Secondary School Division 2

B1 Level of JF standard for Japanese-language Education/ CEFR

Theme : What I/We Want to Save for the Future わたし みらい のこ 私(たち)が未来に残したいもの

① A Japanology production

Wolfreton School and Sixth Form College

- Polly F, James M, Harry N, Gracie F

私達は未来に本場の物を守りたい

We want to save authenticity for the future

② ロクニンジャ/ROKUNINJA

Bristol Chibikko Juku

- Miyo Graham (Cotham School), Elias Arango (Cotham School), Abby Callanan (Cotham School), Mei Horobin (Winterbourne Academy), Sayo Kubo-Richards (Oldfield School), Ria Stagg (Backwell School)

What we want to save for the future... Freddo's

Primary School Division

A1-A2 Level of JF standard for Japanese-language Education/ CEFR

Theme : Where I/We Live わたし まち 私(たち)の町

① JeDAK

The Japanese Saturday School in London

- Jessica Koga, Edward Oguri, Akihiko Kitagawa

Our Towns in London

② Japanese Club

Blackthorns Community Primary Academy (Club application)

Lindfield: The Prettiest Village!

③ London Girls

Kotoba no Kakehashi (ことばの架け橋)

- Ayla Murase, Mira Nonomura, Ai Ukita

We live in London

④ Chan Brothers

Wendy the Japanese @Hong Kong

- Leo Chan (Hermitage School), Clement Chan (St. Hugh of Lincoln Catholic Primary School)

僕たちのウオキング
Our town - Woking

⑤ Gutch Girls

Fielding Primary School

- Emi Gutch, Saya Gutch

イーリング一分間の旅

Traveling through Ealing in one minute

⑥ Alice Barker

St Mary's RC Primary School Edinburgh

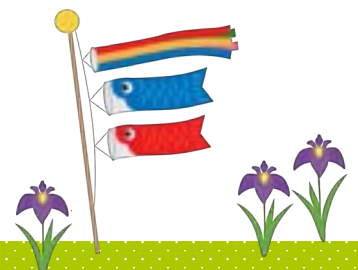
エジンバラが大好き!
I love Edinburgh!

⑦ Japanese Club

Maple Walk School (Club application)

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London



Judges

Michael RIVERA KING*
TANAKA Hiroko**
OKAZAKI Yasuyuki
Stuart ADAMS
NAGAI Miyuki

Chief Executive, The Japan Society
Japanese Language Advisor, The Japan Foundation, London
Minister for Public Diplomacy and Media, Embassy of Japan in the UK
Teacher of Japanese, Bexley Grammar School
Coordinator of the Japanese Speech Contest for University Students and
University Teacher in Japanese Language, University of Sheffield

Interlocutor

LEE Rui Language Tutor, University of Warwick

*Chair of Judges **Deputy-chair of Judges

Special Talk

Dr Catherine Butler Reader of School of English, Communication and Philosophy, Cardiff University



Catherine Butler is Reader in English Literature at Cardiff University. Her academic books include *Four British Fantasts* (2006), *Reading History in Children's Books* (with Hallie O'Donovan, 2012) and *Literary Studies Deconstructed* (2018), and several edited collections. Her latest book, *British Children's Literature in Japanese Culture: Wonderlands and Looking-Glasses*, was published by Bloomsbury in 2023. She has also published six novels for children and teenagers. Catherine is Editor-in-Chief of *Children's Literature in Education*.



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