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June 6, 2024

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16th MITSUBISHI ASIAN CHILDREN'S ENIKKI FESTA 2024-2025

The National Coordinating Body of Clubs for UNESCO in the Philippines (NCBCUP) is delighted to announce the start of the 16th Mitsubishi Asian Children's Enikki Festa in the Philippines, from July 1- October 31, 2024. The target participants are children aged 6 to 12 years old. This event is designed to provide an opportunity for children worldwide to understand Asian people's daily lives through illustrating diaries under the theme of "My life that I want to share with anyone in Asia".


The Grand prix winner in the Philippines will be invited to the Award Ceremony and cultural exchange program to be held in Osaka, Japan in July- August 2025 (tentative). The airfare for two (2), for the Grand Prix winner and one parent or coach will be shouldered by the NBCUP. In case unexpected events happen, the tour will be cancelled at the sole discretion of the organizers and the possible participants will receive commemorative goods instead.


Interested participant for the event may visit the website and download the needed forms at <https://www.unescoclubsph.org/programs/competitions/16th-mitsubishi-asian-childrens-enikki-festa>. Participation is **personal and on a voluntary basis** and shall be subject to the no-disruption-of-classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith".

Attached is the request for advisory on the event.

For queries, please coordinate with:

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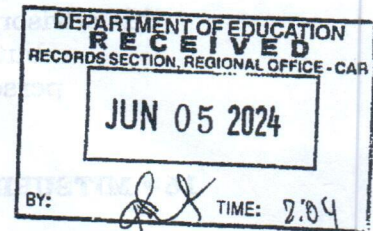
June 1, 2024

DR. ESTELA L. CARIÑO

Regional Director

DepEd Region CAR

Wangal, La Trinidad, Benguet



SUBJECT: Requesting for DepEd Advisory

Dear Dr. Cariño,

The National Coordinating Body of Clubs for UNESCO in the Philippines (NCBCUP) is delighted to announce the start of the **16th Mitsubishi Asian Children's Enikki Festa 2024 - 2025** in the Philippines, from **July 1 – October 31, 2024**. The target participants are children aged **6 to 12 years old**. This event is designed to provide an opportunity for children worldwide to understand Asian people's daily lives through illustrated diaries under the theme of "My life that I want to share with anyone in Asia".

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In this regard, we would like to request for the release of an Advisory from the Department of Education so that more pupils can participate in this event. This contest is on a **VOLUNTARY** basis, **NO FEE** shall be collected from the participating pupils, teachers, or parents, and will **NOT DISRUPT** any classes as the pupils can do this in their own free time.

Attached to this letter are the following:

1. Form 002 Entry Guidelines Enikki Festa 2024 - 2025
2. Form 003 Entry Form Enikki 2024 - 2025 A4 size
3. Form 003A Format for Children to Draw A4 size
4. Form 004 Form of Translation of Essay
5. Poster

You may visit the website and download the forms here:

<https://www.unescoclubsph.org/programs/competitions/16th-mitsubishi-asian-childrens-enikki-festa>

We look forward to fostering fruitful collaborations and eagerly await the approval or issuance of a DepEd advisory to further support our collective efforts.

Sincerely,

Dr. Serafin Arviola Jr.

Founding Chairperson, NCBCUP



National Coordinating Body of Clubs for UNESCO in the Philippines (NCBCUP)



2024-2025

Mitsubishi Asian Children's Enikki Festa

ENTRY GUIDELINES

Organizers

Mitsubishi Public Affairs Committee (MPAC)
Asian Pacific Federation of UNESCO Clubs and Associations (AFUCA)
National Federation of UNESCO Associations in Japan (NFUAJ)

Local Organizers

National Coordinating Body of Clubs for UNESCO in the Philippines (NCBCUP)

Participating Countries and Region

Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei, Cambodia, People's Republic of China, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Republic of Korea, Laos, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taipei, Thailand, Timor-Leste, VietNam and Japan

16TH MITSUBISHI ASIAN CHILDREN'S ENIKKI FESTA 2024 - 2025

This event is designed to provide an opportunity for children worldwide to understand Asian people's daily lives through illustrated diaries. We will invite children from 24 different countries and regions in Asia to draw their illustrated diaries under the theme of "My life that I want to share with anyone in Asia". Why don't you participate in this event to let friends in Asia know about your life and culture through your three-page illustrated diaries?

1. FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

- (1) Entry period: July 1 – October 31, 2024
- (2) National Screening (Philippines): November, 2024
- (3) International Screening (Japan): May, 2025
- (4) The International Awarding Ceremony and a cultural exchange program will be held in Osaka, Japan in July - August (tentative), 2025.

2. ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

(1) Volume

Each Enikki will be drawn on the A4-size [297mm long x 210mm wide] drawing paper or the equivalent by paint, color pencils or crayons etc. and each entry should be three pages.

WHAT IS "ENIKKI" (ILLUSTRATED DIARY)?

In Japan we have a custom of creating "Enikki" (Illustrated Diaries) that portray daily events and thoughts in the form of a picture and a short essay. In an "Enikki" the author not only writes about things he/she has seen, heard, done or thought, but also describes his/her rich humanity and sensibility. Since pictures can transcend language and literacy boundaries, "Enikki" can be a very effective means for cross-cultural understanding.

(2) Theme

"My life that I want to share with anyone in Asia" (You may choose any subjects you want for your diary) Any subject can be chosen from your daily life. Enikki can describe what you did, saw, experienced or had in mind in your daily life that you want your Asian friends to know and to understand, such as nature and climate, favorite games, family and friends, school life, and local festivals and traditional performing arts.

(3) Eligibility

Children aged 6 - 12 at the time of entry

(4) Entry Period

July 1 – October 31, 2024 in the Philippines

(5) Format

An A4-size (297mm long x 210mm wide) page with the picture at the top (two thirds of the page), and the essay beneath (one third of the page). The picture and essay being on the front side of the page. Please do not use the back side.

(6) Entry Procedures

- a. Write your name on the back of each of the three pages, and number them (on the back) 1 – 3.
- b. Fill in the entry form attached to the Entry Requirements and turn it in with your entry.
- c. Put the three pages together with the entry form, and deliver or mail them.
- d. Please do not damage the entry by using a glue or stapler or laminating them.

(7) Application Criteria

- 1) Applicant's work must be original artwork in every sense and have not been made public at all.
The entry shall be disqualified if the work includes any of the followings which may infringe any other person's copyrights or which may deny originality of the Enikki;
 - a) any copy or reproduction of pictures, cartoons, sentences etc.
 - b) cut-out of anything that may infringe trademark and/or portrait rights.
 - c) cut-out from printed materials such as newspapers, magazines and advertisements.
- 2) Applicant's work must be manually created, i.e. the picture must be drawn or painted by the entrant herself/himself and the essay be written by the entrant herself/himself. Any digital artworks or typed or word-processed essays will be disqualified.

(8) Awards

[1] Grand Prix Award (one winner per country)

Winners will receive trophies and commemorative medals and will be invited to the Award Ceremony and a cultural exchange program to be held in Japan. (In case unexpected events happen, the tour will be canceled at the sole discretion of the Organizers and the possible participants will receive commemorative goods instead.)

[2] Organizers' Awards (Winners will receive certificates of the award and commemorative gifts).

Mitsubishi Public Affairs Committee Award (one winner per country)
Asian Pacific Federation of UNESCO Clubs and Associations Award (one winner per country)
National Federation of UNESCO Associations in Japan Award (one winner per country)

[3] Excellence Award (four winners per country)

(Winners will receive certificates of the award and commemorative gifts.)

(9) Selection Method

The Executive Committees in each country and region will carry out the first screening, and will select 8 entries. These 8 entries will then be sent to Japan where they will be judged by the International Screening Committee in Japan. In this way, winning "Illustrated Diaries" will be selected.

**Please note that entries sent to Japan will not be returned. The right to the "Illustrated Diaries" is held by organizers.*

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT US AT:

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In the Philippines, we celebrate Flores de Mayo where we have parades or what we called 'legata'. It's like a parade of games and processes. There are games on parades with beautiful places to be enjoyed. There's a lot of games. It was a wonderful experience that I got a chance to participate in this tradition together with my brother as my escort. But this year was different as some parades and festivals because of the pandemic. We can't have a parade by having other way to celebrate despite at home. We did virtual dancing for our little girls.

One of the Enikkis by Xantara San Juan, the Grand-Prix Winner of the Philippines in the 2021 - 2022 Enikki Festa.

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ENTRY FORM

Email Address: _____

Name: _____

Sex: _____

Age: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Contact Number: _____

Address: (street) _____

(city) _____

(province) _____

(zip code) _____

(country) _____

Nationality: _____

Name of School: _____

Grade: _____

Address: (street) _____

(city) _____

(province) _____

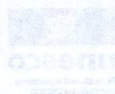
(zip code) _____

(country) _____

School contact person: _____

Contact Number: _____

Email: _____



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Author's Name
Name in English

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EXAMPLE

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1.

(This side)
(Last Name)

Author's Name
Name in English

I saw the big Buddha of Tozaki Temple (1) the very day I came to Japan.

1 - Sunday, April 10, 2000

2.

I went to the swimming pool.

2 - Friday, June 6, 2003

The water was not as cold as I have expected. I swam happily for 200 meters. My apartment had a view of the sea.

3 - Sunday, July 8, 2006

When I was at home, an incredible sound and light fell upon me. It looked like a thunder had struck the front of my house. My brother (2) was scared.

3.

(Foot of Buddha)

(1) Tozaki Temple, Tozaki Temple; Name of Buddha temple in Japan
(2) My brother; the younger brother of the author

(Comments)

Children's innocent eyes and energy is precious. The author's "I hope a conversation was exchanged with you" was in the picture.

(Note on translation)

(Comments)



EXAMPLE

Author's Name (山田 太郎)
Name in English (Taro Yamada)

1. - Sunday, April 16, Sunny -
I saw the Big Buddha of Todaiji Temple.(1) His very big and gentle face impressed me.

2. - Friday, June 8, Sunny -
I went to the swimming pool.
The water was not as cold as I have expected. I swam butterfly for 250 meters. My eyes hurt but it was fun.

3. - Sunday, July 8, Rainy -
When I was at home, an incredible sound and light fell upon us. It looked like a thunder had struck the front of our house. My brother(3) was scared.

(Note on translation)

- (1) Todaiji Temple, Horyuji Temple : Name of Buddhist temples in Nara.
- (2) My brother : the younger brother of the author.

(Comments)

Childlike innocent essay and coloring is favorable. The author' s living circumstances are expressed very well in the painting.



People in Asia want to know all about you.



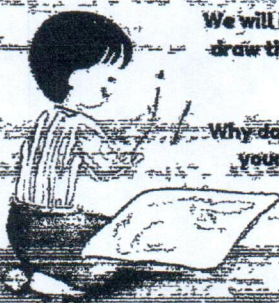
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Your Illustrated Diaries "ENIKKI" are invited.

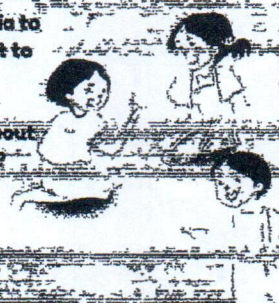
Introduce your daily life to other children in Asia.
Express yourself in an Illustrated Diary.

This event is designed to provide an opportunity for children worldwide to understand Asian people's daily lives through Illustrated Diaries.

We will invite children from 21 different countries and a region in Asia to draw their Illustrated Diaries under the theme of "My life that I want to share with everyone in Asia."



Why don't you participate in this event to let friends in Asia know about your life and culture through your three-page Illustrated Diaries?



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

ENTRY	Each entry should consist of three (3) pages. Each page should contain a picture and a short essay describing an event of your daily life using point, crayons or other materials on drawing paper.	ENTRY PERIOD	July 1- October 31, 2024
FORMAT	A4 size (297mm long x 210mm wide) page with the picture on the top two-thirds of the page, and the essay beneath (one-third of the page). The picture and the essay should be on the front side of the page. Please do not use the back side.	ANNOUNCEMENT OF WINNERS	The National Screening will take place on the 2nd Saturday of November, with the winners announced before YAU 2024.
ELIGIBILITY	Children aged 5-12 at the time of entry.	AWARDS	Grand Prix Award: 1 winner All part of the prize package, the Grand Prix winner will be invited to the Award Ceremony and a cultural exchange program in Japan by August 2025. Mitsubishi Public Affairs Committee Award: 1 winner Asian Pacific Federation of UNESCO Clubs and Associations Award: 1 winner National Federation of UNESCO Associations in Japan Award: 1 winner Excellence Award: 4 winners
THEME	"My life that I want to share with everyone in Asia." Describe any aspect of your daily life, such as family, friends, school life, custom, festival, town, and people.		



Please send your entries to:

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