

野方っこ【英語版】 Nogatakko

Nogata Elementary school
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Praise & Develop in February

Principal Fumikazu Sige-hisa

「Once a day, do a good deed and grow a little」 Ibaragi prefecture Yumiko Morita
There is a house with an old plum tree in front of our school. It is blossomy beautifully and there is a sweet smell of spring all around us. I don't believe I'm the only one who feels very happy that spring will come soon.

January has already flown by. It's already February - the "ran away month".
Do not waste your time if regrets, even if you cannot make a fine finish. I want you try to have a good time.

When I was in 3rd grade, I tried riding my dad's bicycle which was very big. I first tried standy on the pedals while riding, then I tried another method which was to put my leg on the bicycle's frame. I practiced hard every day, but I could not get the hang of it. During a practice I often scratched up my arm and leg by falling down, but I never gave up because I wanted to ride bicycles. One day I finally learned how to ride it. I will never forget that feeling I got on that day I finally rode the bicycle. I think all parents must share the feeling as me.

Every child is different. Some can learn quickly, but others slowly. Children have different methods to learn and study. Even if their academic ability is poor, they should never give up. As long as they make steady efforts, they will obtain good results. It's important to never give up, go at your own pace, look at it positively, and make steady efforts.

Remember a feeling of your own like mine when I learnt to ride the bicycle and provide an environment where children can grow up with the help of good advice and practice, so they can grow up confident through out this month.

I hope February will be such month.



Stop Bullying Campaign "Suginoko" Counseling Week

Counseling Week call "Suginoko" was held from Jan. 21, Mon. ~ Jan. 25, Fri. During that week, we carried out counseling sessions in order to stop bullying and to let the students think deeply about it.

If you have any problems regarding bullying and seek consulting, please call our school.

TEL 478-2005

Kite, Kite, Flying High! Kite Event



【Kite event in 1st, 2nd grade】

Kite event was held in school visitation on Fri, January 18. It was nice windy day. All kites flew high, and all children had a very good time with their parents.

Taxes Class ~ 6th Grade Kids ~



Taxes class with Mr. Yamano, the tax collector of Soh was held on Fri, Jan.18.

In the class, children learned about tax, and its role and importance.

Soccer Class ~ 4th Grade Kids ~

(Native Education support project)

Soccer class with Mr. Muranaga, the town officer of Osaki was held on Wed, Jan. 30.

Children were running around the yard and

trying very hard.



Senior citizens club came to our school and contributed many towels and rugs last week. They were very useful. We really appreciate their help.

February Goals

【Lifestyle Goal】 Don't catch a cold

【Health Goal】 Keep good health

【Reading Goal】 Read many kinds of books and introduce it to a friend



Awards and Congratulations !

Ekiden For Kid's Sport Club in Osaki

【1st prize】 Soh,Osaki F.C.

【B class 1st and 2nd prize】 Soh,Osaki F.C.

【C class 2nd prize】 Nogata volleyball club

February & March School Events

Fri,2/1 ALT exchanges

Tue,2/5 Club activities, CRT test(japanese)

Fri,2/8 New kids entrance experience & explanation

Tue,2/12 Graduation & promotion judgement meeting

Thu,2/14 Aozorago(moving library)

Thu,2/21 School Festival

Sat,2/23 Kid's Event

Tue,2/26 Club activities (3rd graders visitation)

Wed,2/27 Collecting charge for a school lunch ~ 2/29

Tue,2/28 Aozorago(moving library)

Wed,3/5 School visitation day,PTA, Lecture on health

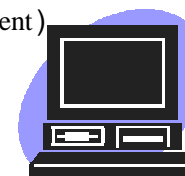
Fri,3/7 School excursion (Farewell event)

Mon,3/24 Graduation ceremony

Tue,3/25 Final ceremony

Wed,3/26 PTA farewell party

Fri,3/28 Farewell ceremony



Home Page V 4 (English version) Update!

Home page V4 update now.

Please check out our town's home page to find our school's newspaper call "Nogatattko" (English version)

If you have comments or questions.

Please e-mail : nogata-e@town.kagoshima-osaki.lg.jp

Be careful of suspicious phone calls !

Be careful about suspicious phone calls, especially when only your child is at home. Also, tell your child not to hand out the phone number of tag house or friends without parental permission.

