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23RD ANNUAL WORLD CHILDREN'S PICTURE CONTEST
OF THE JAPAN IE-NO-HIKARI ASSOCIATION

The Japan IE-NO-HIKARI Association invites participants in the *23rd Annual World Children's Picture Contest*.

The Contest aims to:

1. promote awareness among the participants the importance of nature and agriculture;
2. encourage friendship and goodwill among children around the world; and
3. help them develop well-rounded characters.

The Contest is open to 6-18 years old children/youth as of December 31, 2015. For this year, the contestants may choose one from among the following themes:

1. Agriculture;
2. Farming Area;
3. Nature;
4. Environment;
5. People; and
6. Family.

The deadline for submission of entries is on or before *September 30, 2015*. Additional information may be accessed through website: <http://www.ienohikari.or.jp>.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

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