

～Let's Talk About the World in Kagoshima～
The 24th Japanese Speech Contest for Foreign Nationals
Application Guidelines

Overseas residents in living in Kagoshima! Won't you try giving a speech in Japanese?

- **PURPOSE** To provide an opportunity for foreign nationals living in Kagoshima to express their opinions in Japanese, improve their Japanese language skills, and overcome differences in nationality and culture to create a multicultural society.
- **DATE** [Preliminaries] January 19th, 2019 (SAT), 10:00AM
[Finals] January 26th, 2019 (SAT), 1:30PM ---
- **LOCATION** [Preliminaries] Kagoshima Citizen's Exchange Center,1F Center Hall
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- **REQUIREMENTS** You must be a foreign national residing in Kagoshima Prefecture, and have not previously received the Grand Prize in this contest.
- **Max. Participants** About 40 people (in the order of arrival, only applications by individuals accepted.) Our office will make preliminary selections. We will contact applicants with details.
- **THEME** Any (But, please refrain from topics about religion and politics.)
- **SPEECH TIME LENGTH** Must be between 4 and 6 minutes.
- **AWARDS** Grand Prize Award: (¥50,000 and an extra prize), Honorable Mention Award, Judges' Special Award, etc.
- **DEADLINE** November 23rd, 2018 (FRI)
- **APPLICATIONS** Complete all applicable items on the application form and send it by FAX, e-mail, post, or deliver in person.
*A confirmation e-mail will be sent once we have received your application. If a confirmation e-mail is not received by November 24th (SAT), please contact the Kagoshima International Association office, as the application may not be complete.
- **OTHER** Use of props etc is not permitted.
Also, we ask you to refrain from photography, audio recording etc., as well as creating reports, handouts, and/or web content based on materials created by KIA.
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