The 6th Hiroshima Junior International Forum (Online)

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1. Program Objective:

Invite foreign high school students and Japanese high school students to think about international peace, share ideas, deepen mutual understanding, and spread a message of peace around the world in order to bring about a world without nuclear weapons.

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5. Theme: What can we do to bring about international peace?

(Initiatives toward the abolition of nuclear weapons, reconstruction and peacebuilding)

6. Schedule (tentative):

Date	Program Details
August 17 (Tue)	Orientation, "Teambuilding" Workshop Atomic Bomb Survivor's Testimony
August 18 (Wed)	Online Guided Tour of Hiroshima Peace Memorial Park Lecture and Group Discussion on "Abolition of Nuclear Weapons"
August 19 (Thu)	Lecture and Group Discussion on "Reconstruction & Peace Building" Draft the "Hiroshima Declaration"
August 20 (Fri)	Present the "Hiroshima Declaration"

7. Participation fee: Free

8. Number of participants:

• Foreign high school students 20 people

We will give priority to high school students from regions with which Hiroshima Prefecture has friendship agreements, namely:

Sichuan (P.R.China); Hawaii (U.S.A.); Guanajuato (Mexico),

(Reference) Other participants

• Japanese high school students 40 people

9. Application period:

Applications must be received by Monday, May 31, 2021.

10. Requirements for application:

- (1) Youth under 18 years old (preferably high school students)
- (2) Have not previously participated in this forum
- (3) Highly interested in realizing international peace (the abolition of nuclear weapons)
- (4) Have internet access for communication at your residence
- (5) Can actively participate in discussions in English
- (6) Can join in group activities according to the program
- (7) Must attend the entire program
- (8) Highly motivated to make use of the experiences of this program to participate in international exchanges and local activities, as well as to spread a message of peace through social media. In addition, be able to report to Hiroshima Prefecture regarding these activities, 6 months after the end of the Forum.

11. How to apply:

- (1) The application form must be submitted to the address below (refer to 13) by post or by email to the International Affairs Office, Hiroshima Prefectural Government.
- (2) You can download the application form from the Hiroshima Prefectural Government's website. https://hiroshimaforpeace.com/en/hjif2021/
 - * The office will carefully manage any personal information submitted, and will use such information only within the objectives of this program.

12. Selection process:

(1) Selection of participants:

After an examination of the application documents, participants will be chosen.

The results of the selection will be sent to all applicants.

(2) Revocation of participant status:

Even after being selected, if a chosen participant at any time performs an action unbecoming of a participant or if a serious health issue arises, their status as a participant may be revoked.

13. Contact:

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You can see last year's program report on the official website of the Hiroshima Prefectural Government. https://hiroshimaforpeace.com/en/wpif/hiif-declaration2020/