

SCHOOL GUIDE

KOJO

High School



向上高等学校

— 校訓 —

School Precepts

明 淨 直

The following Japanese Kanji words are from the "Shoku Nihongi", an old Japanese history book.

明
mei

▶ **Bright Soul**

淨
jyo

▶ **Clear Spirit**

直
tyoku

▶ **Sincere Mind**

These are the mottos of our school. The ancient Japanese believed that possessing these three characteristics would lead to a "true sincere heart." This "true sincere heart" is the basis of our education.

— 校是 —

School Concepts

自学 jigaku

▶ Creating positive thinking and learning

自修 jishu

▶ Developing individual thoughts and behavior

実践 jissen

▶ Taking action in a positive way



— 教育目標・方針 —

Our Mission

To create internationally-minded people with creativity and practical abilities, we aim to improve our students' academic achievement by creating harmony between body, soul, and the human spirit. We encourage volunteer activities, international education, the study of information technology, and following our unique educational programs.

Consequently, students can better decide what they will do after graduation, with most of them entering the university that they hoped for.



制服紹介

School Uniform



International Education

国際教育

One of the core components of our education is to help students develop an international mind. We have overseas school trips to the Republic of Korea, Vietnam, and Cambodia, as well as a homestay program in the U.S.

▶ We implement an exchange program with our sister school in the U.S.

Since 1991, KOJO High School has been partnered with the Center for Global Studies in Brien McMahon High School in Connecticut.

Through these connections, we aim to develop a wider understanding of other cultures, an international mindset, and an appreciation of each other's customs.



Excursion

修学旅行

We call our school trip *Kokoronotabi* (a trip that remains in your heart). In 1967, we started our first overseas trip to Okinawa, which was then still occupied by the U.S. government. Now, students visit either the Republic of Korea, Vietnam, or Cambodia. In each country, students visit the historical sites and learn about their culture, history and the importance of peace. We also visit the local school and interact with the students there.



Vietnam



Republic of Korea



Cambodia



Volunteer Activities

奉仕活動

We are actively engaged in various volunteer activities within the community to help people, and cultivate heartwarming minds. We have various activities such as donations (money gathering and blood donation), charity events, and visits to school welfare facilities.

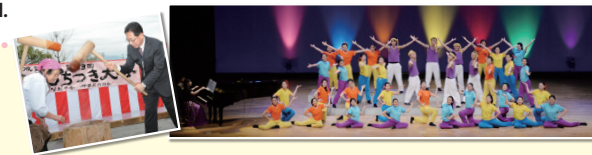
▶ Donation Activity

Donation is one of the most important programs in our school in which our students participate on a monthly basis. This program helps warm and strengthen the hearts of our students. They think about what high school students can do for themselves and their community. Donated funds are sent to many facilities and organizations.



▶ Mochi-Tsuki / Charity Concert

At the end of each year, we express our gratitude to our communities and our families with two special events. Through these events, which are a summary of our volunteer activities for that year, we thank everyone involved.



Club Activities

— クラブ活動 —

運動部
Sports



Baseball



Soccer



Kendo



Volleyball



Cheerleading

◆ Softball

◆ Handball

◆ Tennis

◆ Badminton

◆ Ekiden (long-distance relay race)

◆ Rugby

◆ Swimming

◆ Basketball

◆ Track and field

◆ Soft tennis

◆ Table tennis

◆ Wrestling

文化部
Culture

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Band



Go & Shogi



Calligraphy



Broadcasting



Art

◆ Music

◆ Biology

◆ Student librarian

◆ Photography

◆ School newspaper

◆ English Speaking Society

◆ Computer

◆ Literary

Yearly Events

一年間行事

April

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First Semester

- ◆ First semester opening ceremony
- ◆ School entrance ceremony
- ◆ Mid semester exams
- ◆ Sports festival
- ◆ First semester exams
- ◆ Visits by Korean students
- ◆ Closing ceremony



June

6



August

8



September

9

Second Semester

- ◆ Second semester opening ceremony
- ◆ School festival
- ◆ Mid semester exams I
- ◆ Excursion
- ◆ Short-term visits by students from the U.S.
- ◆ Mid semester exams II
- ◆ Graduation exams
- ◆ Mochi-tsuki
- ◆ Charity concert
- ◆ Second semester exams
- ◆ A short period of study abroad (in the U.S.)

October

10

December

12



January

1

February

2



March

3

Facilities

施設・設備



Arena



Training room



Library room



Study room



Restaurant / Cafeteria

Location Map

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