

The JSD English letter

# We can Do it!

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We are publishing this newsletter so that we can tell you what the students are doing. We will do our best for the students, but if you have any questions or advice, don't hesitate to tell us!

We named this letter as **"We can do it!"** because we want the students to be confident speaking English. **Let's encourage ourselves! We can do it!!!**



## About Genki English



This year I have started a new curriculum called Genki English. It's a computer software based on songs and games that enables children to become more confident when speaking English.

Grade 1&2 will be doing all Genki lessons and Grades 3-6 will be doing some Genki and some written work.

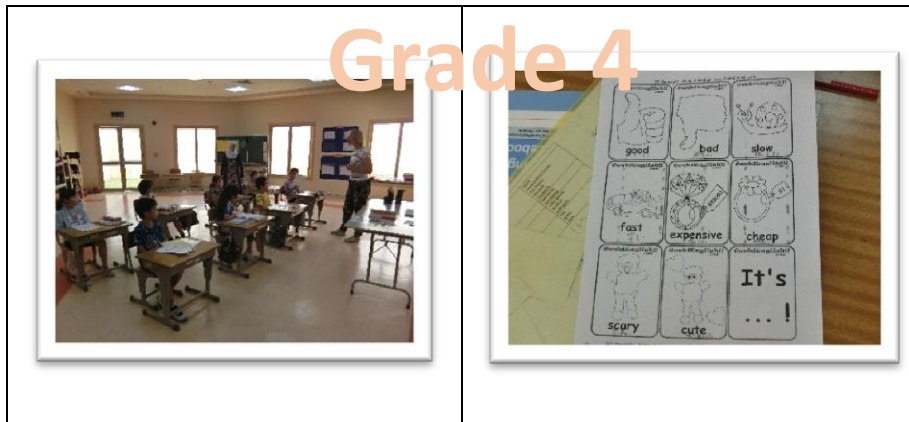
So far I am very pleased with how well everybody is doing in English, so I am excited for a successful year ahead! Already students are speaking English more in class, which is great.

To encourage your children please try to speak a little bit of English with them at home, and ask them to order their own food or buy their own things, when you are out at a mall or restaurant. These little extra practices will make a positive difference!

Thank you, Miss Maxine

# MAY What we are doing in May

Grade	Lesson plan	Things to do at home
<b>Grade 1&amp;2:</b>	Meeting new people: Name, Age, How are You? To Be verb I can ...	Let them speak English when you order some food at the restaurants.
<b>Grade 4:</b>	Superheros Do you like? I like ... Weather Revise Greetings	
<b>Grade 5&amp;6:</b>	Family Revising my/your/his/hers/ours/theirs Feeling unwell	
<b>Grade 7:</b>	Unit 2 (talk and ask about near and far objects, introduce someone) Unit 3 (talk about things you like)	Practice spelling every day
<b>Grade 8:</b>	Unit 2 (talk about your plans for vacation) Unit3(talk about your dreams and hopes and the places you want to go)	Keep the diary every day
<b>Grade 9:</b>	Presentation: Introduce Japanese culture Unit 2 (talk about something that has continued for a long time)	Practice words and sentences more than one page every day



Eiken Corner			Saeki's Discovery	
<b>The numbers who passed the exam.</b>			佐伯が考える	
	2015	2016	<most important words>	
Grade 2	0	4	たいていのことは Can you~	
Grade pre 2	7	3	Can I ~	
Grade3	7	5	でこと足りるのではないか!	
Grade4	8	3	これらの言葉を一番よく使うので	
Grade5	5	2	英語が苦手な人はまずこれを覚えよう!!!	
(only in the JSD)				
We have the Eiken Exam twice this year. Try to get a better Grade!				