

What's Your Water Story?

Animate your ideas of your Creative Journey in a Global Community!



Talk about water and produce your animation.

If you are concerned about problems affecting our society or the environment, discuss solutions.

Then, communicate your ideas through animation.



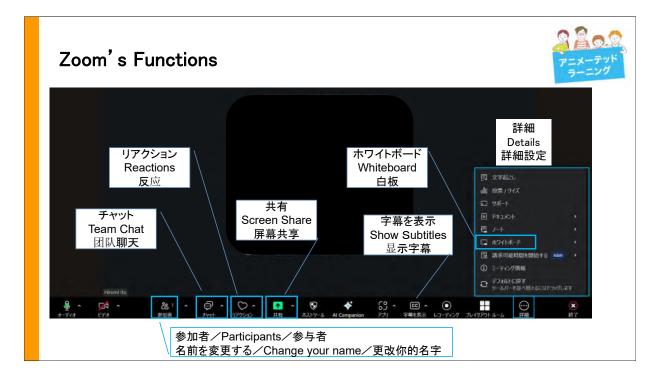


- Speak and visualize your ideas.
 - Work in groups.
 - Use translation apps and digital tools.
 - Use more and more illustrations, videos, onomatopoε manga symbols, and emoticons (顔文字 kaomoji).



• We use "Slack" for group-work and communication.





6 intensive work days + group-work + individual work 5PM~(4PM in Malaysia)/2.5 hours per intensive day



* Before class begins: Create a One-Pager and Self-introduction Video.

Nov 30, D1: One-Pager and Video presentation, group discussion, lecture.

Dec 21, D2: Group discussion (What you consider important), lecture.

Dec 28, D3: Midterm presentation (Important issues), group discussion, lecture.

Jan 4, D4: Group discussion (Message you want to convey in animation),

Midterm presentation (Preliminary plan of your animation).

Jan 11, D5: Group work (Making an animation).

Extra work: Making an animation, preparing for the presentation,

and how you will spread your message and animation.

Jan 18, D6: Presentation, group discussion (Improve and spread your animation).

* Between work days, you will work in groups or individually.

Additional Activities for Further Achievement Voluntary participation



Producing animation is not the goal.

We expand our activities and engage with young people who are unable to attend our workshop due to time differences or scheduling conflicts.

- Presentation is open to everyone (みんなの発表会): **Guests** can present messages and animations about water.
- An online show will be executed to the public in March 2026.
- Extra online interactions with people who did not participate in our workshop.

Let's work together to spread your messages and animations to as many people as possible!



Results of workshop 2024

http://alljp.org/report-ws4youth2024



Voice summary of the report 2024(by NotebookLM)

http://alljp.org/c/wp-content/uploads/2025/06/report-ws4youth2024_NotebookLM20250628.wav

90秒でわかる「高校生と日本語学習者のワークショップ2023」

https://youtu.be/70aEfri8KUk



What you complete and submit



- (1) Group work results
 - Group discussions memorandum
 - Idea Notebook worksheet
 - Scene plan, Character designs
 - Storyboard
 - Presentation materials: slides, supplementary materials, etc.

Think about how you will present and communicate your animated message, and then put your plan into action!

What you complete and submit



(2) Animation

- Short animation (3 minutes or less)
- Various expressions, including Japanese language, movement/facial expressions, onomatopoeia, and manga symbols
- Theme: "Water" of various perspectives
- Presentation slides showing the overall message (supplementary materials for the animation)
- ★Don't animate everything★

Only animate the key parts of your message!

(3) One-Pager and Self-introduction Video

You, group members and college-student leaders learn and teach each other!



Learning together

- You all work together with college-student leaders in groups.
- You share your knowledge with the group members.
- Instructors
 - Don't just teach, encourage awareness or give advice to you.
 - Provide feedback on your midterm and 1.18 presentations.
- Administrative office (Hitosan, Nami-san)
 - Make it easy for everyone to work together = Tell us what you're struggling with.

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※はじまる前 ワンページャー、自己紹介ビデオをつくる

- 自己紹介、グループワーク、レクチャー「水」 ● 11月30日 D1
- 12月21日 D2 グループワーク(伝えたいコト)、レクチャー「表現」
- 12月28日 クチャー「表現」 D3 Do you want to join us?
- 1月4日 D4
- 1月11日 D5 グループワーク(アニメの制作) 課外ワーク アニメの制作、発表の準備、メッセージの広め方
- 1月18日 D6 発表会、グループワーク(改善、メッセージの広め方)

※ワーク日とワーク日の間、グループワークする

If you would like to join this workshop,

- Let me know your mail address (outlook, hotmail, icloud, gmail, and so on).
- Let me know you nickname in Japanese
- Non-disclosure agreement(秘密保持を約束する書類): I'll send you the document after receiving the above information.

Download and install **Slack** communication apps

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When you send me emails, write "AL workshop" as the subject.