

**To the Representatives from Sister and Affiliated Regions from High School
Students in Hokkaido**

Through international exchanges which we worked for at each school, we communicated with people around the world and understood current situations and cultures in various countries, thus we are able to acquire global thinking and awareness.

The global perspectives we gained from these exchanges also provided us an opportunity to consider a wide range of international problems and as well as to be able to realize the importance of contributing to the world. We are committed to thinking what we can do toward further global contributions and thus deliver practical actions.

In this line of thinking, we would like to make the following proposals for the representatives of Hokkaido's Sister and Affiliated Regions.

- International Exchanges utilizing ICT (Information and Communication Technology)

In order to encourage as much participation from high school students as possible, we would like to ask each region to create opportunities for international exchanges at schools of each region which utilize application software for communication

- Holding International Conferences and/or Festivals for the Youth of the Sister and Affiliated Regions

In order to create a better future, we would like to ask each region to create opportunities where the Youth in the same generations can discuss common issues in the global community, such as peace and the environment, going beyond country borders, and to create a platform where we can present the outcomes to the world

- Internship in Sister and Affiliated Regions

In order to enable the Youth of each region to gain global perspective and play active roles moving toward the future, we would like to ask each region to provide internship programs useful for starting their first jobs within the Sister and Affiliate Regions

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