

Lise's Speech Manuscript

Hello everyone! Thank you so much for giving me a chance to talk.

At first, let me introduce myself.

I'm Lise Kim. I graduated elementary school in this March.

I'm interested in everything that happening around the world and I'm looking for something I can do.

I joined EIC in 2018 and 2019.

I first learned about SDG's by attending Kumon's Immersion Camp.

I didn't know anything about SDG's until then.

Since then, I have begun to research a lot about SDG's.

This time, I would like to give a speech on 14th goals of SDG's.

The ocean on the earth are very large compared to the land, and about 70% of the earth's surface is said to be the sea.

The seawater evaporates into water vapor.

Water vapor is cooled by atmospheric convention.

It will rain and fall in the land. Rain falling on the land becomes river water and eventually returns to the sea.

So the seawater is moving around the whole earth.

The sea and the land are very strong connection.

Thinking about the sea environment is also thinking about the land environment and global environment.

I think that it is important to know and be interested in the world's environmental problems first.

The world's population is said to be 7.7 billion people.

If all of these people are interested in environmental problems, 7.7 billion solutions may be created.

Last year I saw a plastic straw stuck in the sea turtle 's nose.

Look at this pictures. It was so shocking.

What a poor sea turtle.

Even without plastic straws, healthy people can drink.

Take this opportunity to think about plastic straws.

But It's not just a plastic straws problems.

We separate garbage, but in fact Japan is second largest country in the world with disposable plastic.

And most of the garbage is not currently recycled.

The garbage recycling rate in Japan is 28%, and the remaining 70% has just been discarded.

Garbage plastic becomes finer, but not lost.

I mean, if you do not use plastic straws, you will reduce the amount of plastic waste generated.

Plastic straws are familiar and easy to abolish, so I think they are worth solving.

In the end, let's be interested in an environmental problems occurring in the world.

Thank you for your kind attention.