

Hello everyone!

I hope you are all doing well and congratulations to all parents and grandparents whose children/grandchildren graduated in March! I had a great time attending the graduation ceremony at 南中学校, 越河小学校, and 斎川小学校. They were all unique and wonderful.

I also had a good time exploring Yamagata with some friends, including Ginzan Onsen! Now I have explored both places that inspired *Spirited Away* since I visited Taiwan in December too. Ginzan was very cold but very beautiful and the onsen was very nice. If you have not visited Ginzan yet, I definitely recommend you visit there. Thank you for your time. Talk to you again soon!

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ビリー Billy

ヒント Spirited Away: 千と千尋の神隠し





Greetings!

Winter is at an end and spring is right around the corner. The winter in Japan always amazes me and even though the snow and cold makes life difficult for me, I am constantly in awe of how beautiful the scenery and nature is in winter. Last month, I visited Hokkaido for the Yuki Matsuri. I had a great time exploring Sapporo and trying out the onsens in Noboribetsu. The food was very delicious and I especially loved the butter and corn ramen that is famous in Sapporo. I will definitely be back again next year! Spring symbolises growth and new beginnings. I would like to congratulate all my students who graduated this month and wish you all the best in the future.

See you next time,

リチャード Richard リチャードは冬の景色に魅了されているようですね~(^)/



Hello everyone!

How have you been doing? I've been busy every weekend with snowboarding at nearby mountains. I'm trying to stretch the season out as long as possible but with every warm spring day, the end of snowboarding is in sight.

I made a lot of happy memories this winter season! I met new people, strengthened friendships, and practiced my skills! I got to know the staff at Eboshi Ski-jo, and they were always saying `Hello!` to me in English!

I also participated at an event at the local Tea Ceremony House in February! My friend lent me the most beautiful kimono I'd ever seen and we did our best to serve fancy matcha tea! We rolled out the red carpet and had a wonderful group of guests drink tea with us. I can't wait to do it again next year!

See you!

ケラ Kara



▲スノーボードを楽しんでま~す▶ "Hello!" (ゴーグルつけてるけど…笑)



2月のお茶会で▶ きちんと一礼します。



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▲今まで見たなかで
一番美しいキモノを着て。
♥シンデレラな気分♥



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