

Learning about the History of Kwansei Gakuin and World War II through Creating an AR Walking Map

~How can we contribute to peace-building?~

【Information Gathering】



【What We Researched about Wars with Local Perspectives】

<Starting Point>

- "Grave of the Firefly"
=Took place in Nishinomiya-city.
- Many traces of wars
=Nishinomiya & Kwansei Gakuin

Surprised & Shocked!!

→ Wars in LOCAL AREAS



Kwansei Gakuin

- Christian school→a shrine & Hoanko
- Symbol : The clock tower→painted black
- Students : drafted
- The campus : training ground
- The school songs : English could not be sung
- Emblem : destroyed (English was written)
- Monuments of war
- Air raid shelter



Nishinomiya

- 637 died, 66524 injured
- Nishinomiya's munitions factory targeted by the US military
- The locals frightened by the air raids
- Elementary school students in Nishinomiya involved in the service activities

We knew **LITTLE** about the history of KG and Nishinomiya.

⇒ a **RESPONSIBILITY** to **PASS ON** to the next generations

【Our Solution : Creating AR Walking Map】

What's on map	Photos, movies, text explanations about sites and wars
Target	Kwansei Gakuin students Visitors to KG
Procedure	1. Download AR app on smartphones or iPads 2. Get map and walk 3. Hold up smartphones on sites

<Now>

Organizing the information & creating AR walking map

<Third Term>

Introduce the AR map to all the students and visitors.

→Call for the preciousness of peace!