FY2021 budget: 251 million yen FY2020 budget: 151 million yen

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Support Project for Building the WWL (Worldwide Learning) Consortium

Overview

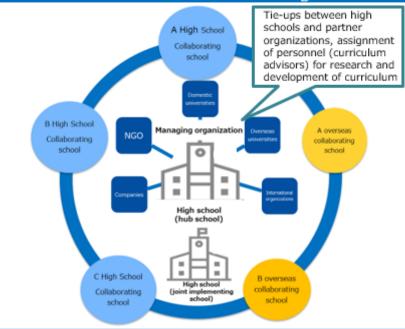
Utilizing the achievements up to now of the Super Global High School (SGH) project.

As one of the leading projects for fostering human resources who will lead the way for the realization of Society 5.0 and achievement of the SDGs, the Worldwide Learning Consortium (WWL Consortium) promotes high school/university articulation reforms through reforms in high school education and mechanisms allowing high school students to take courses at universities, enabling them to acquire cross-cutting knowledge in the humanities and sciences and engage in exploratory learning aimed at solving social issues, all in collaboration with domestic and overseas universities.

- The WWL Consortium project develops curriculum promoting exploratory learning for high school students aimed at solving various global social issues through fieldwork overseas in collaboration between high schools and universities, companies, international organizations and others.
- The Project also develops curriculum that makes full use of the global-scale, fertile online environment for learning, including online overseas fieldwork with high school and university students in countries that Japanese students have been unable to visit until now.
- ◆ The Project develops learning programs and courses in advanced and diverse subjects that enable students to receive university education (through curriculum development) in collaboration with universities and other institutions.
- Commissioned project: Trustees (managing organizations: prefectural and municipal boards of education, national universities, schools)
- Target schools: National, public, private high schools and combined junior and senior high schools (targets of research and development may also include elementary and junior high schools)
- Designated period: In principle, 3 years (extension possible depending on evaluation in 3rd year)
- Number of designated schools: 22 schools (6 new schools and 16 continuing schools)
- > Support funding: 9 million yen annually in expense funding per school (depending on scale, including contents of R&D and number of target students, etc.)

An advanced learning network comprising 50 schools nationwide will be created over the next five years, leading to the building of a WWL consortium in the future.

Visualization of Advanced Learning Network



Creation of networks among high schools so that Project will effectively function through holding of international conferences and other joint activities