All Japan High School Forum 2025

Program Overview & Poster Session

1. Program Overview

- Date & Time: Sunday, December 21, 2025, 10:00–16:00 (Registration begins at 9:15)
- Venue: National Olympics Memorial Youth Center (Shibuya, Tokyo)
- Organizers: Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT), WWL Consortium Secretariat (Aoba-BBT, Inc.)

X Participation is limited to students and supervising teachers. Due to venue restrictions, parents, friends, and the general public may not attend.

(Program Schedule) Opening Ceremony (Culture Building, Main Hall) (Transition) Poster Session Preliminary Round Student Exchange Program (Center (International Exchange Building) Building) (Break / Transition) Student Exchange Program (Center Poster Session Preliminary Round 3 Building) (International Exchange Building) (Lunch Break / Transition) 4 Poster Session Final Round (Culture Building, Main Hall) (Break) Award Ceremony & Closing Ceremony (Culture Building, Main Hall)

※In the morning, participating students will rotate so that every school has the opportunity to take part in both the "Student Exchange Program" and the "Poster Session Preliminary Round."
※Lunch and transition breaks will be scheduled as appropriate.

Venue Information:

National Olympics Memorial Youth Center – Facility Guide

2. Poster Session

(1) Objectives

The Poster Session provides students with the opportunity to present the outcomes of their daily learning and research projects, broaden their perspectives through discussion, and deepen their understanding of global social issues while inspiring and learning from one another.

(2) Presentation Method

- Each school must prepare one poster summarizing its research project and bring it to the venue for display.
- Presentations will be delivered in front of each poster to the judges.

(3) Format & Schedule

Preliminary Round (Morning – All Participating Schools)

• Number of presentations: 1 per school

• Time allocation (9 minutes total per school):

Presentation: 4 minutes

Q&A: 3 minutesEvaluation: 1 minuteTransition/Buffer: 1 minute

Final Round (Afternoon – Selected Schools Only)

Venue: Main Hall Stage

• Number of presentations: 1 per school

• Time allocation (7 minutes total per school):

o Presentation: 4 minutes

Q&A and Evaluation: 2 minutesTransition/Buffer: 1 minute

 Only the top-ranked schools from the preliminary round will advance to the stage for the Final Round. Other schools will attend as audience members.

(4) Awards

- Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Award: 1 school, for the most outstanding research presentation
- Chair of the Judging Committee Award: 1 school, for an excellent research presentation
- Encouragement Awards: 6 schools, selected from among the finalists

(5) Evaluation Criteria (5 items, 5 points each – 25 points total)

Presentations will be evaluated based on the following five items (maximum of 25 points):

- Research Content: Clarity and depth of inquiry, Creativity and originality
- Presentation: Structure and clarity of the poster, Proficiency in English expression,
 Communication skills and ability to respond to questions