

Embassy Exchange Program

Izumi Kodomoen

Visit by Embassy of Mozambique in Japan

1. Date and venue

Date: Friday, September 22, 2023,
11:00 am – 11:30 am
Venue: Izumi Kodomoen

2. Participants

Children in their final year of kindergarten

3. Counterpart

Mr. Francisco Boavida Zandamela,
Consular and Financial Attaché,
Embassy of the Republic of Mozambique in Japan



The presentation was given both in Portuguese and Japanese



String phones made by embassy staff



4. Schedule

1. Greetings

2. Presentation by the Consular

- Brief presentation on Mozambique
- Games popular with children in Mozambique
- Presentation on folk dolls and musical instruments

3. Questions and answers

4. Closing remarks

5. Additional information

- ◆ Mozambique's geographic location and size, as well as its climate, national flag, and languages were introduced.
- ◆ When informed that it took 21 hours from Mozambique to Japan by air, one child was startled and said, "Only 3 hours left in the day!"
- ◆ String phones were introduced as an item Mozambique children use to play. Some children talked with the Consular using the handmade string phones.