Embassy Exchange Program

Tokyo Metropolitan Sumida Special Needs School Visit by Embassy of South Africa in Japan

1. Date and venue

Date: Wednesday, May 29, 2024 1:20 pm – 2:10 pm

Venue: Sumida Special Needs School

2. Participants

100 first to third year high school students

3. Counterpart

Mr. Paul Siljeur, Counsellor Political Mr. Tebogo Teke, First Secretary Political Political section, Embassy of the Republic of South Africa in Japan

4. Schedule

- 1. Introduction of lecturers
- 2. Lecture by embassy officials
- 3. National anthem of South Africa sung by embassy officials
- 4. Questions and answers
- 5. Dance performance
- 6. Commemorative photos



English and Japanese emceeing by the students



Dance performance



National anthem of South Africa sung by embassy official

5. Additional information

- ◆ Students heartily welcomed the embassy officials with drum and dance performances. Two students acted as bilingual English and Japanese emcees..
- ◆ During the lecture by the embassy official, students responded actively towards the calls by the lecturer.
- ◆ During the Q&A session, students proactively raised their hands to ask questions such as, "What are the jobs of an ambassy official?" and "What do you feel is the most demanding about your job?"