# Onsite Cultural Exchange

#### 1. Date and venue

Date: Wednesday, May 15, 2024 9:20 am - 11:00 am Venue: Shirokane-no-oka Elementary and Junior High Schools

#### 2. Participants

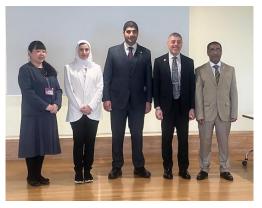
Shirokane-no-oka Ele. Principal Shinozaki, Vice Principal Yamazaki, and others

## 3. Counterpart

Her Excellency Sarah Bint Yousif Al Amiri, Minister of State for Public Education and Advanced Technology, and five officials from the United Arab Emirates



Touring the library



Commemorative photo

Observing classes

## 4. Schedule

## 1. Greetings

- 2. Observation of classes and school facilities
- **3.** Discussion with the principal
- The school's relations with the local community and more
- 4. Commemorative photo

## 5. Additional information

- The Minister eagerly observed the school's tablet-based teaching method and unique library.
- The principal explained the merits of having an elementary school and a junior high school together, the importance of integrated elementary and junior high school instruction, and school management in cooperation with the local community.
- The Minister greeted the students in English during the school tour, and enjoyed interacting with the students by asking and answering questions in a friendly manner.

# Shirokane-no-oka Elementary and Junior High Schools Visit by Education Minister of the United Arab Emirates