

2017 Global Report

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International Department

## We visited the Nagasaki Electric Tramway!

On Wednesday, November 1st, four second year students (Class 2-6 Miss Fuchi and Class 2-7 Miss Tamura, Miss Mine, Miss Moriuchi) who are in the international department and peace group members visited the Nagasaki Electric Tramway Co., Ltd. The group made a video clip to help explain how to use public transportation for people who come to Nagasaki from foreign countries. Students decided before-hand who played what role and then did the filming project. Through the kindness of Nagasaki Electric Tramway Co., Ltd. the group could tape what they wanted to convey. Now, students have to edit the clip, make the subtitles in English and record the voices. There are many tasks which they still have to do, but so far they are pleased with the start.





## Experimenting with the effects of repelling mosquitoes at Nagasaki University!

On Friday the 10th, Saturday the 11th and Monday the 13th of November, two separate global health groups of students in the second grade international department visited the Nagasaki University Institute of Tropical Diseases to study about the effective method of repelling mosquitoes. There, they listened to a lecture by Associate Professor Hitoshi Kawada. On Friday, November 10th, three students (Class 2-6 Miss Tanaka and Class 2-7 Miss Ichinose and Miss Yamaguchi) tried to test their handmade soap on its effectiveness to repel mosquitoes, in which, unfortunately, they didn't succeed. So, on Monday, November 13th, four students of the same group (Class 2-6 Miss Tanaka, and Class 2-7 Miss Tanaka, Miss Nakagawa and Miss Yamaguchi) returned to try again. They caught some mosquitoes, washed their hands with soap and recorded how the mosquitoes bit with the test kit invented by World Health Organization (WHO). Also, Saturday November 11th, different group of 4 students (Class 2-6 Mr. Kokubo, Mr. Shibahara, Mr. Nambu and Mr. Miura) did an experiment to see if the oil extracted from orange peels would chase mosquitoes away. This group recorded how mosquitoes reacted as the time passed after the oil was applied to the skin as well as how long the oil worked to keep mosquitoes away. They were taught for a very long time by Ass. Prof. Kawada, graduate students and staff because one experiment took as many as three hours. The next step for them is to analyze the data obtained through the experiments.



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