

**We created a school where children play a leading role.**

## Message from the Principal

Hello! I am Kaoru Takeuchi, the principal of YES International School. I am originally from the field of science, and the reason I decided to start a school is because of the "Fourth Industrial Revolution. By the time today's elementary school students become adults, society will have been transformed by AI, and half of human jobs will be replaced by AI and robots.

What kind of education and skills should we acquire in order to prevent AI from taking our jobs? Educational reform is now underway around the world. Since AI is good at memorization (called machine learning), children will not stand a chance if they continue to learn by rote. Therefore, humans need to do creative work using the wisdom gained through problem solving (project execution) rather than knowledge gained through rote memorization.

However, it must be some time before the (memorization-oriented) examinations disappear from the Japanese education system.

YES International School is a transitional school for education around the world, with a curriculum that focuses on the acquisition of language skills in English, Japanese, and math (programming) in the early grades, while increasing exploration and project-based learning in the upper grades.

The goal is to acquire real academic skills that will enable them to survive in the future society while living in the present. At YES International School, we are committed to providing students with a balance of intellectual strength, physical fitness, and character development.

## Philosophy and Educational Policy of YES International School

YES International aims to maximize children's potential through high quality, innovative, holistic education and to nurture the well-balanced mental and physical skills essential for survival in today's society.

Our school is the only "trilingual school" in Japan that fosters logical thinking, creativity, expression, and communication skills in three languages: English, Japanese, and programming. Our experienced teachers, who are professionals in their respective fields, will do their best to support the children and nurture them to be active members of the international community in the future.

## Fundamental Values

### ○To be broad and balanced.

We cultivate not only academic skills, but also a balanced and rich ability to cope with various difficulties, both physically and mentally.

### ○To live actively and vibrantly.

Learn to overcome bigger challenges by accumulating small failures.  
Learn to think, judge, and do everything on your own, including the risks involved.

### ○Compassionate and kind heart

Be compassionate to others and help your family and community. It is also important to help with household chores and to help others in need. Also, if you are helped, learn how to be the one to help. No matter how small it is, it is important.

## Application Guidelines

### ○Target age (Grade)

2021 New 1st - 7th Graders and Preschool (For 5 year old)  
Parents/guardians must understand and agree with our school's philosophy and teaching style.

### ○School fees and other expenses

Entrance fee 300,000 yen  
Facility equipment fee 300,000 yen

Annual tuition for grades 1-9: 1,200,000 yen  
Preschool : 5 days a week 600,000 yen / 3 days a week 400,000 yen

Materials fee 15,000 yen per month

The above amount is subject to consumption tax (or installment fee if paid in installments).  
Please note that we do not offer refunds for items that have already been paid.

For children with siblings, tuition is exempted by 30% only while the sibling is in school.

### ○Entrance Examination

Please pick up the application form and submit it to the office.  
Students will be required to attend classes at School for two days, and will be assessed on academic ability and behavior during the classes.

- Schedule : To be determined through consultation
  - Details :Paper test, behavior observation, interview, etc.  
(Paper test scores do not affect the decision to accept or reject.
- Examination fee: 22,000 yen (tax included)
- Announcement of Results: Pass/Fail decisions will be made at a meeting after the test.  
Applicants will be notified of their results by e-mail. Please do not contact us by phone.

### Company profile

Company Name	YES International Ltd.
Office location	〒220-0023 Hiranuma 1-33-19 Nishi ward Yokohama City Kanagawa prefecture ☎045-595-9563
Services provided	Production and sale of learning materials and publications Guidance and consultation regarding education and childcare Childcare services Planning and management of various classes
Date of establishment	February 2, 2016
Capital	33,200,000 yen
President and CEO	Kaoru Takeuchi
Executive team	Representative Director Kaori Takeuchi Director Kaori Takeuchi Corporate Auditor Miya Fujino
Major banks	Suruga Bank