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#### **Renewal!** The "Lives of Japanese Elementary School Students " Website

http://www.tjf.or.jp/shogakusei/index\_e.htm

The Lives of Japanese Elementary School Students is a website opened in the spring of 2005, using photos and text to introduce a typical day in Grade 6 Class 1 of an elementary school in Tokyo and a day in the life of Kentaro, a third-grader living in Ishikawa prefecture. The "A Day with Kentaro" site has been redesigned, and it is now available in Japanese and Chinese in addition to English.

#### At this site you can get useful materials!



# Detailed description of the lives of Japanese children

We have posted simple "Notes" explaining the content of each photo page. We hope both students and teachers will find them useful in the classroom.



http://www.tjf.or.jp/shogakusei/6-1/donna/ jugyou/j10\_e.htm

### 2 Activities ideas ready to use in the classroom

New Features

We've set up an Activities corner, where we post ideas on how this website can be used in Japanese classes from elementary school teachers in the U.S., Canada, the U.K., New Zealand, and Australia. Activity ideas used in TJF's training sessions for elementary school teachers of Japanese in China are also included in this page.

http://www.tjf.or.jp/shogakusei/activity/activity\_j.htm

# **3** More photos from the TJF Photo Data Bank

There are about twenty photos of Kentaro on this website, but there are nearly 100 in the TJF Photo Data Bank. Therefore, we have linked Kentaro's photo page on this website to related photos in the Photo Data Bank. For example, from a photo of Kentaro vaulting in P.E. class, you can go to these photos:

http://www.tjf.or.jp/shogakusei/ activity/activity\_j.htm

