

## Matsubara elementary school, Matsubara City

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Yoko Shiraishi Ph.D.
Chair
Japan Institution for Safe Communities
International Safe School Certifying Center

Dear Dr. Yoko Shiraishi

Subject: Launch of the International Safe School (ISS) programs

On Behalf of Students, teachers, school staff and PTA, I am pleased to announce that Matsubara elementary school is launching the programs of the International Safe School (ISS) to make our school safer in collaboration with the challenges to International Safe Community (ISC) in our community.

We believe that our challenges to fulfill the eight indicators will lead our school settings safer for all including students, teachers, staff, PTA members and community members.

To fulfill these indicators and to become a member of the ISS network, we would like to ask Japan

Institution for Safe Communities for guidance and supports to lead us become a member of the ISS network in near future.

Yours Sincerely,

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Toshiaki Tsuchiya Principal, Matsubara elementary school

CC:
Mr. Max L. Vosskuhler
Chairman,
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