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Title: Importance of Japanese Language in Global Scenario

Resource Person: Prof. Nirmal Ephraim, HR Consultant for Japanese Language, Lily of the Valley Skills Development Centre, Chennai.

Number of Students Attended and Benefitted: 40

Venue: Seminar Hall A

Date: 19-October-2023

The Department of English & Foreign Language held a session on “Importance of Japanese Language in Global Scenario” in online mode on 19th October, 2023 in Seminar Hall A. 40 students participated enthusiastically in that event.

Prof. Ephraim explained how Japan is a developed country with immense opportunity. He stressed on the fact that the N5 or N4 level of Japanese proficiency is required to work in Japan. He explained how the birth rate in Japan is deteriorating and how they invite people of other nationalities to work in Japan. He also explained about the uniqueness of culture and business etiquette of Japanese.

He informed that Japanese has three different scripts. This does not make Japanese a difficult language. “It is only different, not difficult”, he emphasized.

Prof. Nirmal also taught students some basic greetings in Japanese and how to tell their names in that language. Students were enthusiastic about learning the new language. The session lasted for about two hours.


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