



DAY-4 25th December

“Thinking about Sustainable Society (2)”

“Collaboration is the Key to Success!!!~”

On Christmas morning, we received the gift of knowledge from Seino-sensei about marine plastic waste. We found it fascinating how micro plastics affect not only marine life but also life on land. Instead of unwrapping gifts, we learned the traditional Japanese wrapping style, Furoshiki. It was interesting how flexible a single piece of cloth can be used in many ways, including wrapping bento boxes, bottles as well as making a bag and raincoat.

After a delicious lunch - well fed, bellies full- we played a game that was prepared by Keio SFC students called Logy & Nomy. Through this game, we learned that collaboration is better than competition. Thank you Keio SFC. Lastly, we would like to thank Betty-san for guiding us these past four days. We love you Betty-san, terima kasih. <3



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“Getting on track”

Our day started off with the lecture of Dr. Seino. She talked about the harmful effect of plastics pollution to marine life and it really helped us to prepare our final presentation. We also experienced Furoshiki activity, the wrapping culture in Japan. It was fascinating to see the variety of wrapping skills that are unique and beautiful. This is an example of the old folk wisdom which can be one of the alternatives to solve the recent plastics pollution problem. During the afternoon, we played

“Logy & Nomy” which helped us to understand the importance of international collaboration and cooperation, also a deeper understanding towards the connections between ecology and economy. We then had a session to create our own Asia Vision 2040, and had a great time expressing our thoughts together~



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“Wrapping up with collaboration”

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The first thing we did today was diving into a lecture by Dr.Seino on ocean plastic pollution. We learnt that sea current actually carries buoyant waste across borders and that the responsibility of cleaning up said waste was in the hands of everyone. Then we moved to the Japanese room to engage in the culture of Japanese wrapping, Furoshiki. We were very amazed at the versatility of what a simple cloth can become. After lunch we had the opportunity to play Logy&Nomy, a game relating the environment with the economy. We had lots of fun playing and learning the importance of collaboration between countries. We then had a quick session of Kinnya-Monya practice before dinner. Finally we finished off our day with a discussion on the vision that we chose. Unfortunately, we struggled to come up with ideas in our topic, but we are motivated to keep trying and to work it out.



A Day of Red Cards

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We started the day off with a lecture about marine plastic waste, learning about how microplastic affects marine life. Afterwards, we had a tanoshii lesson about Furoshiki, a traditional Japanese wrapping that could be converted into an eco-bag, potentially replacing multiple plastic products. I thought that it was very innovative and fascinating!

In the afternoon, we played a game created by Keio University called Logy & Nomy. It not only gave us a real-life simulation of managing economy whilst sustaining a clean environment, it also taught us about how collaboration between countries could allow us to achieve our goal more efficiently and with a better outcome. Finally, we ended the day off with a lecture by Mr. Omori, who taught us about creating a vision.

