

B-e-8 2011 Initiatives for Dialogue with Local Communities and Society

Lectures by HORIBA Employees for Students at Maizuru National College of Technology

At Maizuru National College of Technology, as part of the engineering and design exercises for the Institute of National Colleges of Technology's program for making use of corporate engineers and other resources, some of HORIBA's employees, including alumni from the college, collaborated as lecturers to provide practical training to students.

From October 20 to December 6, HORIBA employees gave eight lectures on the flow of operations from product development to shipment at HORIBA. We hope that these lectures help students develop a clear vision of what it means to be an engineer before they enter the world of work.



Support for Victims of Crimes through a "Dream Collection Box"

We converted one of the beverage vending machines installed at HORIBA by HORIBA Community Co., Ltd., the HORIBA Group's employee welfare company, into one with a "dream collection box."

From this vending machine, ten yen per cup will be remitted to the Nippon Foundation via the vending machine operator, thereby enabling HORIBA to help National Network Victim Support, a nonprofit organization, support for victims of crimes. A portion of the money spent by employees using the vending machine will be given away as a donation to those who fall victim to unreasonable crimes and suffer injuries.



Cooperation with Kyoto City on its Environmental Policy

From June to August, HORIBA representatives attended the environmental learning seminars intended for businesses in Kyoto that were hosted by the Global Warming Measures Office of the City of Kyoto's Environmental Policy Bureau. Participating companies acquired know-how on environmental protection activities related to business operations and participated in active group discussions about how to protect the environment.

In recognition of HORIBA's active cooperation with Kyoto City on its environmental policy, the municipal government issued a document certifying HORIBA to be a business site that is promoting the development of environmental officers. Going forward, we will continue to strive to reduce environmental impact in order to fulfill our corporate social responsibilities.



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