

15. Tenryu High School

Research on Local Revitalization: Gohei Mochi and Tenryu Shiitake

At Tenryu High School, we conducted two research projects. The first was a study on methods of revitalizing the local area, focusing on the use of 'Gohei mochi,' a local dish of the Tenryu area, and 'shiitake mushrooms,' a representative forest product of the area. The other was a study on the way high school students can have a harmonious relationship with the local community.

We received lectures from Hamamatsu City and local officials, and conducted fieldwork at local facilities and companies. We also held research presentations and an opinion exchange in collaboration with local communities and universities.

In addition, we conducted a survey on the use of 'Gohei mochi' and 'shiitake mushrooms' and were able to contribute to the community's branding through creating videos.

Furthermore, by engaging deeply with local residents through this pursuit, it helped our students foster a strong sense of love for their hometown.

