

# To achieve our hopes and dreams

## Teachings of Motoori Norinaga

「すべて新なる説を出すは いと大事也」  
(It's important to always come up with new ideas on your own)

It's important to find new ideas and values through creating one's own questions, using what one has learned, and taking actions based on one's own judgements.

The ability to create new values • The ability to discover and solve new problems



「はじめよりその志を高く大きに立てて  
その奥を究めつくさずはやまじ。」

(It's important to set high goals from the start, and have a firm resolution to not give up until they are achieved.)

When trying to achieve one's ideals, it's important to have a strong will, develop your own individuality and ability, stick firmly to learning, think for yourself, and take actions based on your own judgements.

→ The ability to make decisions independently

「物の心を知るは 世のありさまを知り  
人の情に通じるより出ずる也」

(Comprehending the true essence of anything starts from knowing the happenings of the world and understanding the hearts of others.)

As a foundation for one's thoughts, it is important to be considerate and understanding of others, convey your own thoughts in an easy to understand manner, and broaden and deepen your own thinking.

→ The ability to cooperate with various types of people

## 5 Challenges



### 【Establish Daily Habits】

We will dedicate 3 times of day to sleep, study, and read, as well as time for extra activities (watching TV or playing games on our smart phones)

### 【Study Independently】

We will study according to the schedule we set for ourselves



### 【Improve Explanation Skills】

We will convey and revise our ideas based on what we learned from nature, books,

### 【Deepen Our Understanding】

We learn from people, books nature, at others, to broaden our thoughts.



### 【Use What we Have Learned】

We will use what we have learned in our daily lives and other learning to make our lives more enjoyable.

Academic Ability

Supporting  
Community

Nurturing  
Home

Grow At  
School

Let's try it! Read and write the QR code of the challenge your thoughts on with a tablet etc.

Establish a Lifestyle



- 3 Hours
- Smart Phones Rule

Improve Your  
Explanatory Skills



- Ministry of education  
「Children's Learning  
Support Site」
- My One Day Life

Learn Independently



- One week of Creating by Yourself
- Home Study Guide

5つの  
チャレンジ  
応援サイト

Deepen Your Thought's



- Our Matsusaka City
- 「Home Reading」 Challenge's 5
- Matsusaka City Library  
「Children's Page」
- Community Learning Efforts

Use What You  
Have Learned



- Matsusaka Navigation
- 「Power to Open Up the Future」  
Efforts of Model School District
- School Volunteer Efforts Support

To All Children

## Heading Towards a Brighter Future



Our city of Matsusaka is proud to have many historical treasures such as our traditions, culture, and the wisdom of our ancestors. These treasures were born from the blessings of abundant nature, and the hopes, dreams, and relentless hard work of our ancestors. We must learn from these treasures to lead us to a bright future.

We will

Try to achieve our hopes and dreams.  
Not give up even when we are facing difficulty or failure.  
Take actions based on our own judgements  
And create together a bright future where everyone can be happy.

## To guardians and community members

Now, children are living in a drastic era of change. Our wish for the children is for them to manifest their own potential, and while cherishing their bonds with others, challenge themselves without a fear of failure and with their dreams and ambitions, have the will to open-up a bright future.

Schools, families, and communities will recognize these responsibilities. For the sake of striving for a high level of education, we have revised "Motoori Norinaga's 5 Challenges of Teaching" to use as a learning guideline to raise the children of Matsusaka city as "ones with the will to open-up a bright future."

Guardians and community members, we ask for your involvement and cooperation to support the children with these 5 challenges.

学校関係者のみなさんへ 「未来を切り拓く学力向上タスクフォース」5つのチャレンジに関わる取組事例

