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Congratulations on Your Graduation!

The 2024 graduation commemorative gift is a Shigaraki ware ceramic product, created in collaboration with Hishiyu Toen, a company known for transforming clients' visions into tangible forms. This unique piece incorporates Ritsumeikan soil in its raw materials and features designs reflecting the university's identity.

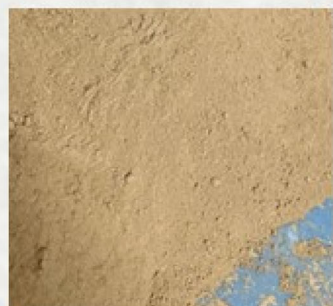
The front of this document shares our team's thoughts on the project and a message from Hishiyu Toen's head, Mr. Ogawa, along with the creation process. The back highlights the gift's key features—please take a look!



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Message from Mr. Ogawa, Head of Hissan Toen

When I met the Ritsumeikan staff in January, their passion for the commemorative gift was inspiring. It reminded me of my younger self—though they were far more dedicated. Moved by their enthusiasm, we crafted these special mugs using soil from the campus, creating a truly memorable keepsake.



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The Meaning Behind the Commemorative Gift

There will be times of uncertainty and setbacks. In those moments, remember your journey—your growth, friendships, and lessons learned here. Let that reflection give you the courage to move forward.

May this commemorative gift be a quiet source of strength as you embrace the future.



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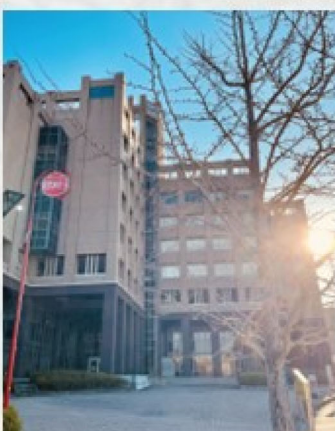


- 01 Request to Hissan Toen (Chimney)
- 02 Commemorative Gift Concept (Meeting Room)
- 03 Collection of Ritsumeikan Soil (Work in Progress)
- 04 Soil Crushing (Crusher)
- 05 Raw Material (Finely Crushed Ritsumeikan Soil)
- 06 Molding (Shaped Clay)
- 07 Firing (Pottery Kiln)
- 08 Prototype Review (First Prototype)
- 09 Paint Mixing and Coating (Paint)
- 10 Completion (2024 Graduation Commemorative Gift)

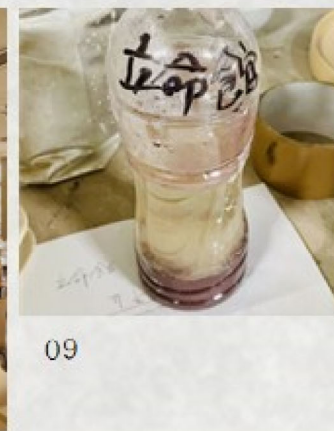
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