

【Challenge every day !】

Hello. This is Omori, the Mayor of Okayama city.

This time I' m writing a story about “challenge” , that is suitable for the period of time just before the beginning of a new year.

The other day I' ve got an email from my one of friends from high school. He has lived his second life since he retried the elementary school principal last March. However, he has decided to be engaged in education of children living overseas and applied for faculty recruitment of Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology.

He is going to perform a supplementary Japanese lesson for children of Japanese residents in the United States of Ohio for next two years.

It is a really great challenge and I would like to sincerely send a yell to him.

We are age of 61, yet every day I face a new challenge.

I should try new things, contribute to society and enjoy myself all the time.

What can I do as the Mayor to make Okayama better? I will keep challenging while enjoying the process such as “think “and “carry out” to solve this big challenge.