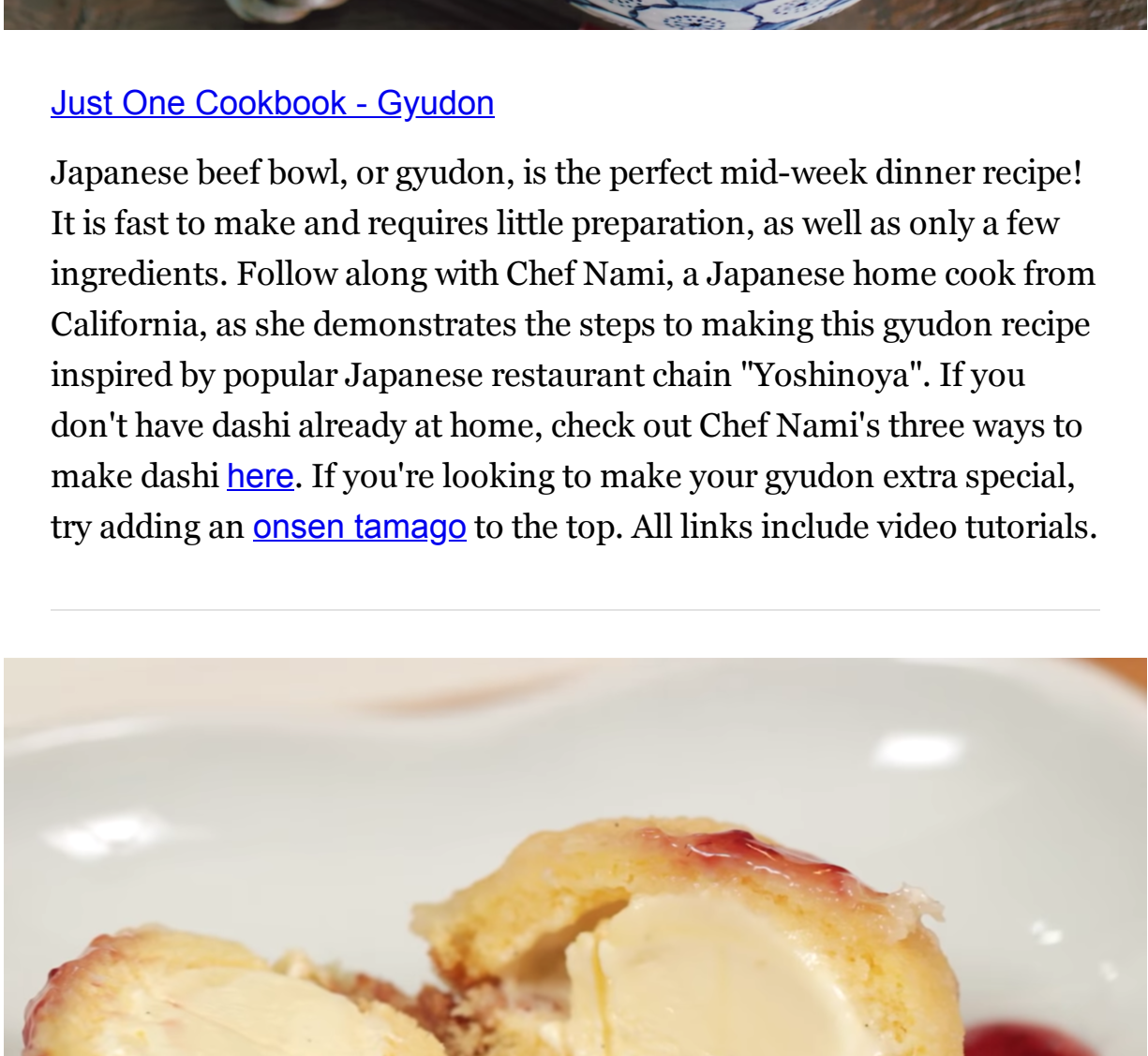


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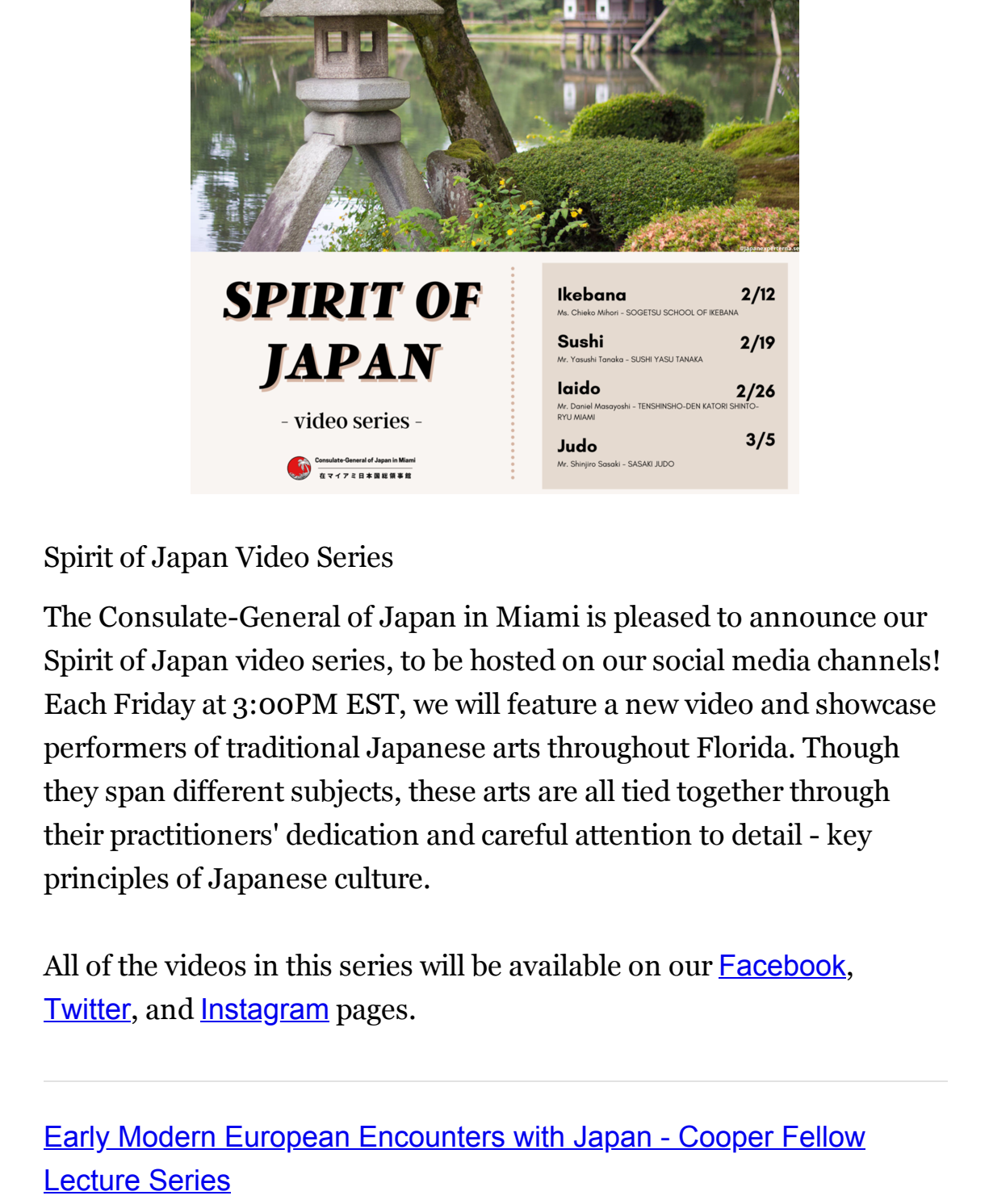
We at the Consulate General of Japan in Miami hope that everyone is staying safe and healthy. Please enjoy our adapted monthly newsletter, featuring activities and resources that you can access right from home!

Recipes



[Just One Cookbook - Gyudon](#)

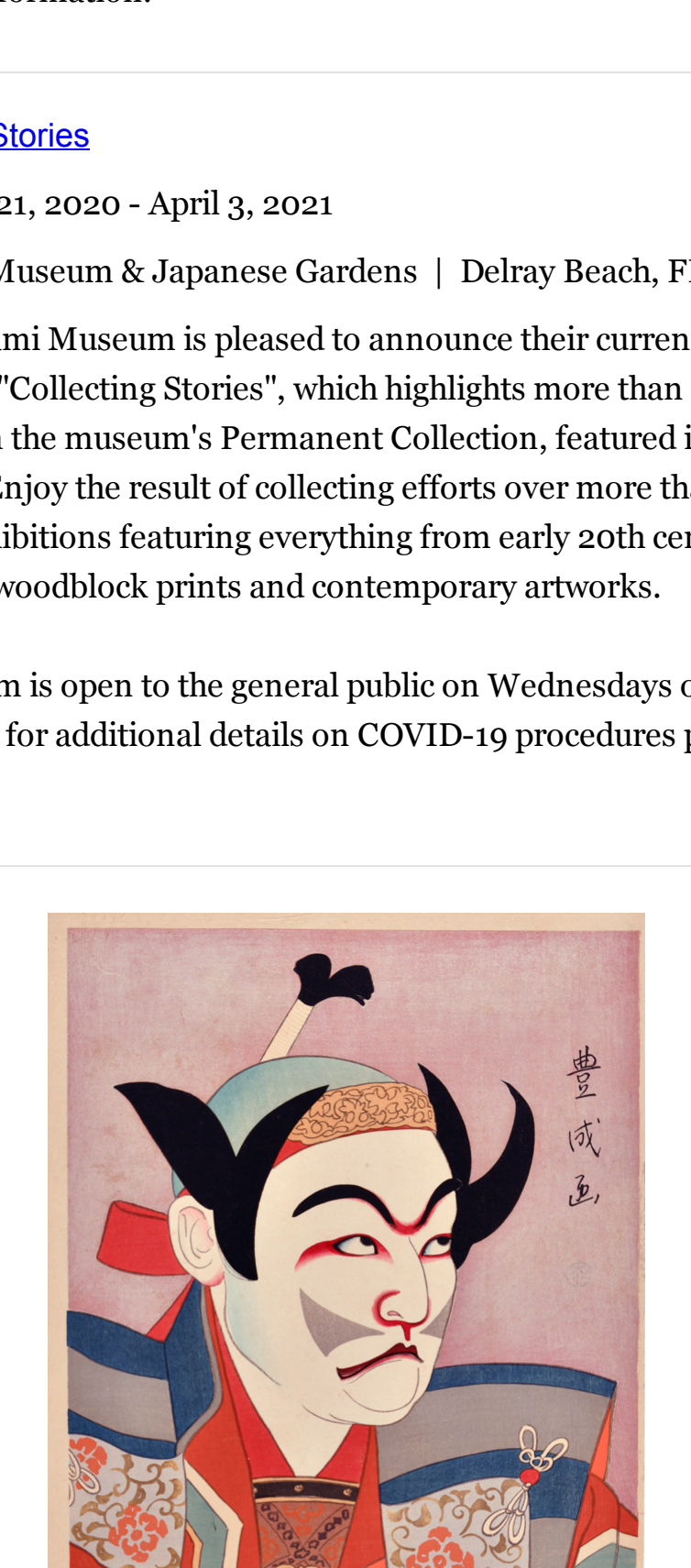
Japanese beef bowl, or gyudon, is the perfect mid-week dinner recipe! It is fast to make and requires little preparation, as well as only a few ingredients. Follow along with Chef Nami, a Japanese home cook from California, as she demonstrates the steps to making this gyudon recipe inspired by popular Japanese restaurant chain "Yoshinoya". If you don't have dashi already at home, check out Chef Nami's three ways to make dashi [here](#). If you're looking to make your gyudon extra special, try adding an [onsen tamago](#) to the top. All links include video tutorials.



[Cooking With Dog - Ice Cream Tempura](#)

Impress your family and friends with this Japanese take on fried ice cream! In this video recipe, Francis the toy poodle and Chef will show you how to use your favorite ice cream to create this dessert. Using slices of Japanese castella cake and an airy tempura batter, you can create this whimsical dish that is deliciously sweet, with a fun blend of textures.

Activities



[Spirit of Japan Video Series](#)

The Consulate-General of Japan in Miami is pleased to announce our Spirit of Japan video series, to be hosted on our social media channels! Each Friday at 3:00PM EST, we will feature a new video and showcase performers of traditional Japanese arts throughout Florida. Though they span different subjects, these arts are all tied together through their practitioners' dedication and careful attention to detail - key principles of Japanese culture.

All of the videos in this series will be available on our [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#) pages.

[Early Modern European Encounters with Japan - Cooper Fellow Lecture Series](#)

February 10, 2021 | 3:30 pm

Founding Director of the University of Miami Center for the Humanities, Mihoko Suzuki, will discuss two early modern European observers of Japanese society a century apart: the Portuguese Jesuit Luis Frois (1532–97) and the German physician and scientist Engelbert Kaempfer (1651– 1716). By juxtaposing these texts and considering the different historical contexts in which they were written, both for the authors and the Japanese society they took as their subject, Suzuki arrives at a comparative analysis of these early modern European encounters with Japan. Click [here](#) to attend the Zoom lecture.

[Regular Monthly Kyudo Classes](#)

South Florida Kyudo Kai | Coral Springs, FL

The South Florida Kyudo Kai is happy to announce that their Kyudojo has held two successful intro to Kyudo sessions, and is now able to begin regularly scheduled Kyudo classes in Coral Springs.

Monthly classes will be held on the first and last Sunday of every month from 10:00 to 12:30.

Anyone interested in learning this traditional Japanese archery should visit their [website](#), [Facebook group](#), or contact the dojo directly [here](#) for more information.

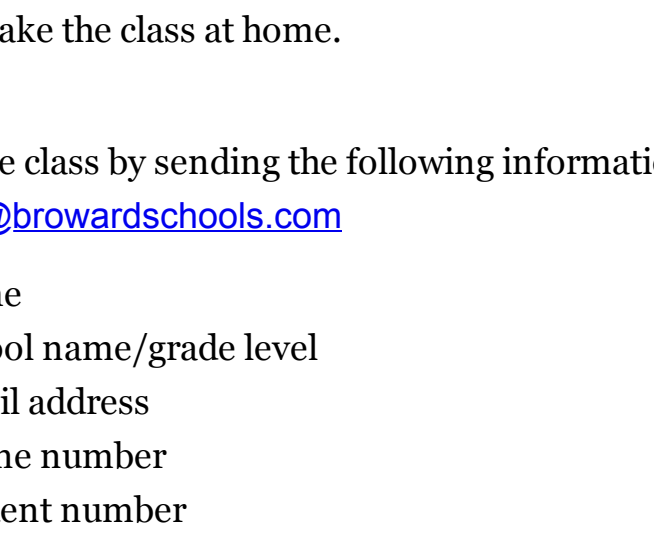
[Collecting Stories](#)

November 21, 2020 - April 3, 2021

Morikami Museum & Japanese Gardens | Delray Beach, FL

The Morikami Museum is pleased to announce their current exhibition, "Collecting Stories", which highlights more than 100 works drawn from the museum's Permanent Collection, featured in five vignettes. Enjoy the result of collecting efforts over more than 40 years in mini-exhibitions featuring everything from early 20th century kimono to woodblock prints and contemporary artworks.

The museum is open to the general public on Wednesdays only. Please see the link for additional details on COVID-19 procedures prior to your visit.



[Kabuki Modern](#)

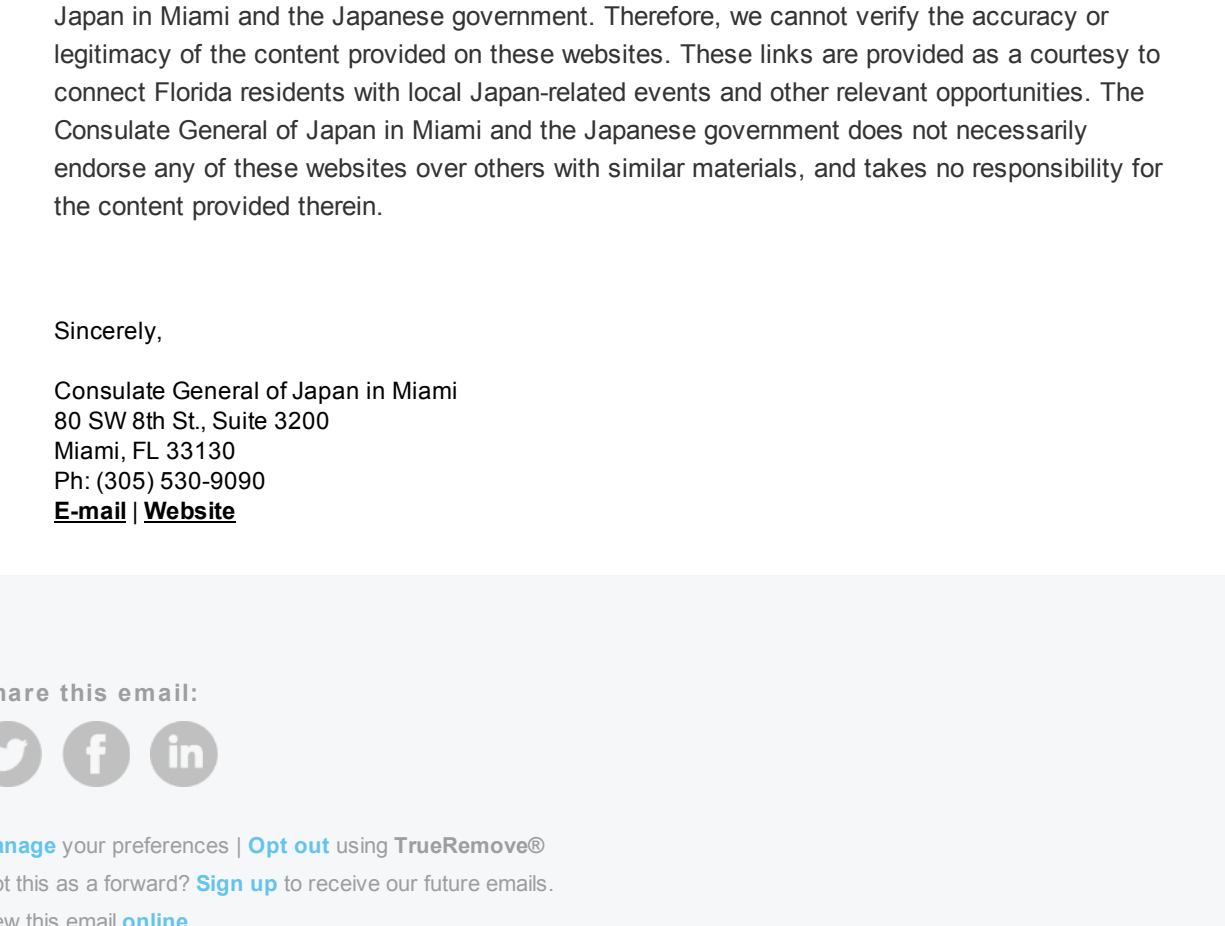
November 10, 2020 - June 27, 2021

The John & Mable Ringling Museum of Art | Sarasota, FL

Actors of kabuki, Japan's distinctive form of popular theatre, were superstars between the 17th and early 20th centuries, and continue to command cultural and celebrity status today. Their fame was fueled by mass-produced woodblock-printed actor portraits, or yakusha-e, that were sold as affordable mementos of the theater experience, and by bespoke paintings for wealthy patrons.

Kabuki Modern presents superb recent acquisitions of kabuki imagery created between 1868 and the 1950s. These works of art capture the dynamic poses, elaborate stage make-up, and sumptuous costumes that have enthralled audiences for over 400 years.

Explore



[Japan Video Topics](#)

[Protect our Seas! - Regenerating Coral Reefs \(4:48\)](#)

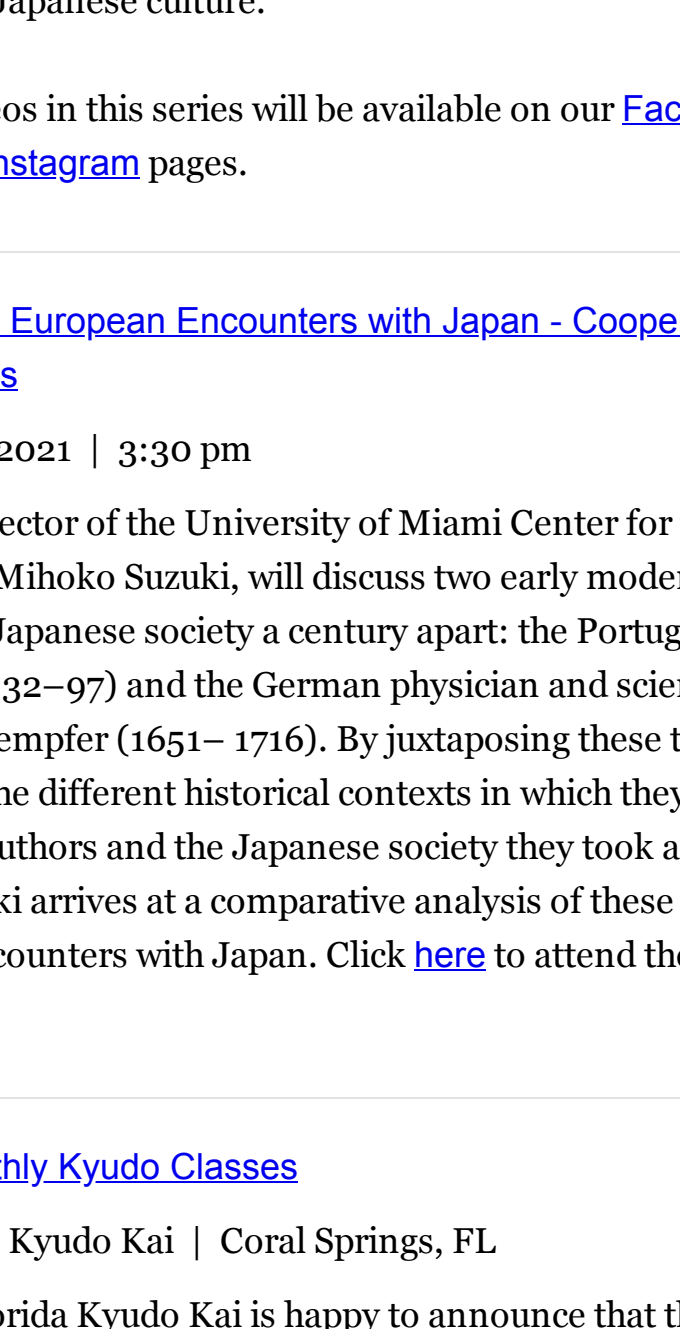
All over the world coral is in crisis, with 75% now endangered. In this video, meet a young Japanese man with plans to save the coral reefs off Kyushu, in southern Japan. Daigo Kishi decided to devote his life to cultivating coral following his studies in university. Kishi is being helped in this project by many locals such as a diver, a university professor, and the owner of a lobster restaurant. Learn all about this group's challenges and successes in regenerating coral reefs in their local community.

Japan Video Topics, hosted by Web-Japan and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, offers a comprehensive view of Japanese culture, nature, science and technology, and tourism.

[Niponica](#)

In Japan, people have a deep connection with the country's plentiful water resources, creating a natural culture where water is not only used wisely, but also in some very unique ways. In *Niponica Issue 15*, we will dive deeper into the history and culture surrounding Japan's waterways.

Niponica is a web magazine hosted by Web-Japan and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs that introduces modern Japan to people all over the world.



[Japan Virtual Tour](#)

Each week, the consulate chooses a different prefecture to spotlight on our social media! Every day, we focus on a unique aspect of the prefecture, including famous tourist destinations, food, and more. It's like taking a trip without ever leaving home!

Check out the above sample from our campaign featuring [Wakayama Prefecture](#), Florida's sister state! The most recent posts can be found uploaded daily on our [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#) pages.

Education

[2021 MEXT Japanese Studies Scholarship Applications Open](#)

Applications for the 2021 MEXT Japanese Studies Scholarship are now open! All application materials must be received by Friday, February 26, 2021 for consideration. Please see the link above for full eligibility requirements and application details.

[Florida International University Spring 2021 Japanese Language Courses](#)

[FIU Online](#)

- Japanese I**
- Japanese II**
- Japanese Culture and Society**
- Fully online & hybrid options

[University of West Florida Spring 2021 Japanese Language & Culture Courses](#)

Personal Enrichment Courses (no credit) - register [here](#)

- Japanese Writing**
- February 3 - April 21
- Wednesdays | 7 - 8 pm (held virtually)

[Broward Virtual School Offers Online Japanese Course Level I and II for Broward County Public Schools' 7-12th graders](#)

- These are high school credit courses.
- You can take the class at home.
- It is free.

Register for the class by sending the following information to satoko.fisher@browardschools.com

- your name
- your school name/grade level
- your email address
- your phone number
- your student number

You can also register through BVS! Have your school guidance counselor call: (754) 321-6050. Email questions to Satoko Fisher.

[Minato](#)

If you've been wanting to learn Japanese, now's a great time to start! The Japan Foundation offers a number of free online resources to assist in your Japanese language learning, including self-study and tutor support courses.

[Japanese Drag & Drop Quiz](#)

Looking to improve your Japanese reading? Here are some matching quizzes to test your knowledge of [hiragana](#) and [katakana](#), presented by California State University, Sacramento. Race against the clock and master the basics!

[Harvard University Online Learning](#)

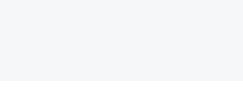
[Japanese Books: From Manuscript to Print](#)

- Available until March 25, 2021
- 9-week, self-paced, free course

[italki](#)

If you're looking for 1-on-1 lessons, the website italki allows you to choose between hundreds of Japanese instructors, both professional teachers and community tutors. With a variety of schedules and rates to choose from, you're sure to find an instructor to suit your needs.

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