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## Southern Iwate/Northern Miyagi ILC Promotion Convention

On December 24, the Southern Iwate/Northern Miyagi ILC Promotion Convention was held at the Ichinoseki Cultural Center to promote the International Linear Collider (ILC). The convention was initiated by the Residents' Association Aspiring to Realize the ILC and about 400 people from both Iwate and Miyagi prefectures participated.

At the convention, a keynote speech was given by Prof. Atsuto Suzuki, President of Iwate Prefectural University, Chairman of the ILC Promotion Panel and representative of the Tohoku ILC Project Development Center, and Prof. Satoru Yamashita, a specially appointed professor of the International Center for Elementary Particle Physics, the University of Tokyo. In addition, a convention declaration was adopted that southern Iwate prefecture and northern of Miyagi prefecture will work together to strongly promote efforts toward the realization of the ILC.



## Ichinoseki Kid's Science



On December 11, 23 elementary school students from Ichinoseki took part in the science event, Ichinoseki Kids Science. Children saw a science display using liquid nitrogen and built a PET bottle air cannon, as well as learning about phenomena at ultra-low temperatures and vortex rings, thanks to the Morioka Children's Science Museum.

## Special ILC Classes at junior high schools

Junior high schools across Ichinoseki including, Iwai, Sakuramachi, Daito, Okutama, Murone, and Kawasaki, received an online lesson with Mr. Junpei Fujimoto of the Institute of Particle and Nuclear Studies of the High Energy Accelerator Research Organization (KEK) as a lecturer. The lesson entailed the cloud chamber experiment for observing the tracks of particles that are normally invisible, the basics of elementary particles, and the purpose of the ILC experiment.



## Special ILC Classes at high schools

Special ILC classes were held at Ichinoseki Daini High School on November 30, December 14, and December 21. Lectures and group discussions were in line with the theme of thinking together about the future development of the town, and what students could do for Ichinoseki 10 years from now.



Hanaizumi High School held a presentation on the ILC and multicultural societies on January 13th, followed by a group discussion on the issue of multicultural cohabitation and town development.

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