英語で伝えよう！ふるさと福山！

The Must-See Landmarks of Fukuyama!

下の名所から１つ選んで，右のヒントを参考に，英語で紹介してみよう！

中学1年生

- ◇ This is ～：これは～です
- ◇ It is in ～：～にあります
- ◇ It looks like ～：～に似ています
- ◇ can ～：～ができますよ

中学2年生

- ◇ There is/are ～：～があります
- ◇ It's famous for ～：～で有名です
- ◇ -er than …：…より - です。
- ◇ can enjoy -ing：- するのを楽しめます

中学3年生

- ◇ was built in ～：～年に建てられた
- ◇ have been there □ times
  そこへ□回行ったことがある
- ◇ It's ～ to ---：--- するのは～です
- ◇ Why don't you ～？：～してはどう？

Let's Write About Your Town!

自分の町の紹介したい場所について，英語で書いてみよう。

紹介したい場所	紹介したい場所の情報
例）○○山，△△図書館など	例）どこにある？何が有名？何ができる？など

The Fukuyama Summer Festival

Our hometown of Fukuyama is in the eastern part of Hiroshima prefecture. It's about 25 minutes from Hiroshima City by Shinkansen and one hour from Hiroshima Airport by bus. The population is about 470,000. It is the second largest city in Hiroshima, and the fourth largest in the Chugoku-Shikoku area.

Our hometown is famous for roses and we have a rose festival every year in May. We can enjoy both roses and many other kinds of fun activities.

We also have a traditional festival called the Fukuyama Summer Festival every year, from August thirteenth to fifteenth. On the thirteenth, people enjoy a traditional dance together called Niagari-odori on the main street in front of the station. People dance to the sound of a shamisen playing a tune called "niagari" along with other Japanese traditional instruments such as shakuhachi, kane and taiko. When people dance, they wear a yukata and various headpieces like hachimaki, tenugui or origasa. To make sounds while dancing, people carry a small noise maker called a Yotsu-take in their hands.

Let's Try

今までのページも参考に，英文中の単語の意味を考えよう！

① population（２文字：　　）

② the main street in front of the station（５文字：　　）

③ Japanese traditional instruments（３文字：　　）

分かるかな？

Can You Answer?

1. What else can people enjoy at the Fukuyama Summer Festival?
2. What kind of traditional events/things of Fukuyama can you introduce?

自分の町の伝統・文化も英語で紹介してみよう！