

Transition and Cases of Community Based River Restoration and River Education in Japan

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Over almost twenty years of community based river restoration and water education utilizing the river efforts conducted in Japan, lots of institutional knowledge and practical experience have been accumulated.

In this presentation, the transition of river restoration focusing on the partnership and river education in Japan will be introduced. Next, some cases will be shown as examples of local citizen's participation in river activities. Lastly, the outline of the new river education guidelines to be implemented in elementary schools from 2020 by Japanese Government will be introduced.