Happy New Year!! I hope everyone had a nice winter vacation and could rest a lot! I hope everyone is ready for our last school semester!

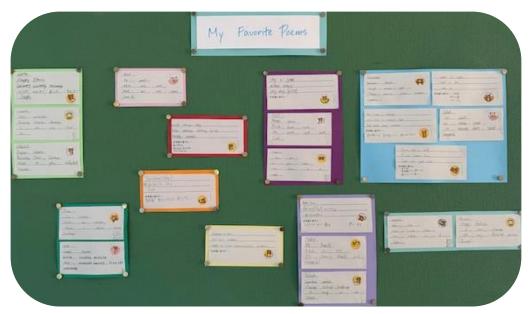
To celebrate the new year, I made *o-mikuji* in English for the students to enjoy. But, when I tried my own *o-mikuji*, I got Great Misfortune. Some students who got Great Fortunes and Fortunes told me they were jealous of me, and that they wanted to get Great Misfortune, too. I hope everyone had fun with the *o-mikuji*, and they follow the advice!





For the third-year students, I also started daily puzzles. Some of the puzzles are about math and some are about English. It's always fun for me to see the students try to figure it out, and how happy they are once they can solve the puzzle. Can you solve the puzzles, too?

For the second-year students, they wrote poems. I put some of my favorite poems on the English board. Some are very cute, and some are very funny. I really enjoyed reading everyone's poems, and I hope you can enjoy it, too!



I started playing badminton with some of the third-year students. I have never played badminton before, so it was very fun for me even though I am very bad at it. I joined the boy's competition for badminton, but I could only win once. I want to get better and challenge those students again in the future!



There's only a few months left until graduation and the end of the year. Good luck everyone, and don't give up until the end!

