

## Students of Bear Creek High School challenged writing Kanji letters by calligraphy

### ● American students experienced Japanese culture

On 17th, they challenged calligraphy or Kendo at Tokai Univ.Daini Senior High School in Toroku. 24 students of Bear Creek High School located in Denver, Colorado arrived at Kumamoto on 16th. At the whole school meeting, Ms. Maria Sesak (16) made a speech in Japanese. She addressed that she was looking forward to coming into daily contact with the Japanese culture and tradition. In the calligraphy lesson, students wrote kanji letters such as "友" by following teacher's example. Mr. Bryan Schultheis (18) enjoyed writing kanji characters with brush and said " Japanese animation is very popular among students in the US. I have my own Kanji book. I picked up the characters' names and wrote them down." Students are going to have various exchange activities with students of Tokai Daini High School until 21st of June.



毛筆で漢字に挑戦したベアー・クリーク校の生徒 熊本市の東海大二高校

## 街かど クリップ

### 熊本市

●米国の高校生  
が体験学習 17

日、渡鹿の東海大  
学第二高校で書道

や剣道に挑戦した。16日

来熊したコロラド州デン

バーのベアー・クリーク

高校の生徒24人。全校集

会で代表のマリア・シー

サクさん(16)が「日本

の文化などに触れるのが

楽しみ」と日本語であい

さつ。書道では見よう見

まねで「友」などの漢字を

書いていた。ブライアン

・シュータイスさん(18)

は「アニメはすごく人気。

日本語の本も持っていま

す。登場人物の名前を書

きました」と楽しそうだ

った。21日まで東海大二

高の生徒らと交流する。