

CCEA

**Cross Cultural
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MARCH NEWSLETTER

Wood Burning Studio Crimo



Thank you to all of the members who signed up. Please plan to arrive at the Nagoya International Center by 9:45 AM so we can start promptly.

The class will take place from 9:45 AM to 11:45 AM, after which we'll work together to clean up the space and ensure we exit by 12 PM. If you're participating, kindly bring 2,000 yen in cash for the activity. We're having lunch together at Osteria L'amante after class. If you can join us, we'd love to see you there!

March Meeting Location:

**Nagoya International
Center- 9:45am**

3rd Floor-1st Lecture Room

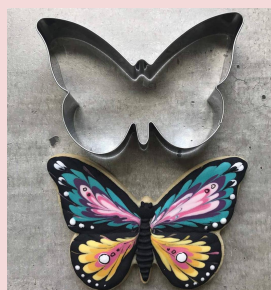
1 Chome-47-1 Nagono, Nakamura Ward,
Nagoya, Aichi 450-0001

3 minute walk from Kokusai Center Station,
Exit 2 (Sakuradori Line)



Coming next month...

Cookie Decorating Class!



The CCEA is holding a cookie decoration class for April! Let's jump into the fun world of edible cookie art! Learn some easy tips and tricks for turning simple cookies into beautiful treats.

MARCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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3 Book Club	4	5	6	7 General Meeting		9
10 Photography	11 Art Club	12 Kimekomi	13 Yamato-e	14 Board Meeting		16
17 Pilates	18 Day Trip	19	20	21 Yamato-e	22 Ikebana & Calligraphy	23
24	25 Restaurant Hunters	26	27 Crochet	28	29	30
31 Day Trip	International Women's Day (March 8) is a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural, and political achievements of women. The day also marks a call to action for accelerating women's equality.					

SAVE THE DATE!

General Meeting Dates

April 4th- Cookie Decorating
May 9th -Shinto & Japanese culture
June 6th -Bon Dance

September 5th - Welcome Back!
October 3rd TBA
November 7th -TBA
December 5th- Holiday Lunch



Courteney Woods- March 19th

Member Spotlight



Courteney Woods

Hello!

My name is Courteney Woods. I am from Fort Worth, Texas, USA and live in Nagakute with my husband and my 3 high school aged children. I am a former middle school teacher where I taught reading and writing. I love to read, cross stitch, cook, craft, and complete puzzles. I have been in Japan almost a year as an Expat and love being here. My favorite part of Japan is the people and the rich, deep culture. CCEA has been a wonderful way to connect with new friends and learn all about other world cultures.



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Are you interested in becoming a board member? Please contact us for more information!

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