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Book Handover Ceremony at the Larnaca Municipal Library

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The Embassy of Japan in Cyprus announces a ceremony to mark the recent donation of 90 books to the Larnaca Municipal Library.

The ceremony will take place on Monday, 19th May 2025, at 11:00 a.m. and is open to the public.

Short remarks will be given by the Ambassador of Japan to Cyprus, H.E. Mr. Yoshio Yamawaki, the Mayor of Larnaca, Mr. Andreas Vyras, and the Deputy Municipal Librarian, Ms. Melina Stylianou.

The donation is part of the Read Japan Project, initiated by The Nippon Foundation—a non-profit philanthropic organization established in Japan in 1962. The Read Japan Project provides curated collections of English-language books covering a wide range of themes, including Japanese history, society, literature, politics, and culture.

Through the Read Japan Project, libraries and academic institutions around the world can enrich their collections and introduce their readers to both traditional and modern Japanese culture and society.

For more information on the program, eligibility and how to apply, please visit the Read Japan Project website: <https://readjapan.org/>

To learn more about the Nippon Foundation and its activities, visit the official website at <https://www.nippon-foundation.or.jp>



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