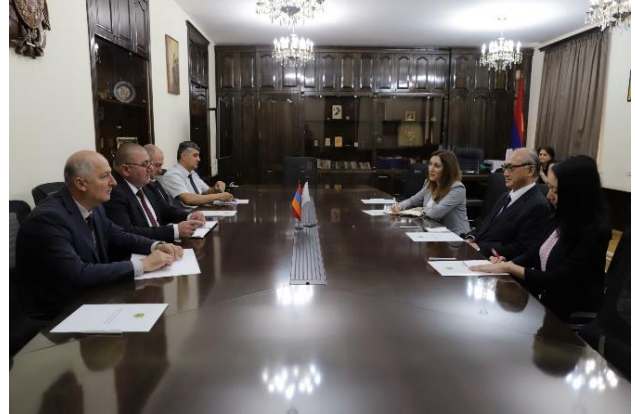


Ambassador Fukushima visited Gyumri

On July 12th, Ambassador Fukushima visited Gyumri and met with Mr. Muradyan, the Governor of Shirak Province, and Mr. Samsonyan, the Mayor of Gyumri, to discuss the possibility of further cooperation between Japan and Armenia, including regional cooperation. Ambassador Fukushima also participated in an online meeting with Mayor Samsonyan and Mr. Iitsuka, the Mayor of Izumo City in Japan to exchange views on promoting exchanges between the two cities. Furthermore, Ambassador Fukushima and officials from Izumo City visited TUMO Gyumri, which provides advanced IT education in the region, to observe how children learn there.



Welcoming by Mr. Muradyan, the Governor of Shirak Province



Meeting between Ambassador Fukushima and Governor Muradyan



Meeting between Mr. Iitsuka, Mayor of Izumo and Mr. Samsonyan, Mayor of Gyumri



Ambassador Fukushima during the meeting with the two mayors



Mayor Samsonyan at the meeting



Participants in the meeting between mayors



Ambassador Fukushima visiting TUMO Gyumri



Ambassador Fukushima interacting with children of TUMO Gyumri