What is a Genki Note?
A Genki Note is a breath of hope, a smile, a laugh. In Japanese, ‘Genki’ means a source of energy and happiness, and you can share your Genki Note message with Japan, where people are in need of support. Genki Notes are creative, colorful, inspiring and fun.

How can you help?
Engage students in your classroom by having each student write a Genki Note to Japan. It’s easy—just follow the three steps below.

Will the notes get to Japan?
Absolutely. Genki Notes is a joint project between the U.S.-Japan Council, Emerson College and the Japan Foundation CGP. These organizations will assist in delivering the Genki Notes to Japan. Children of all ages, and adults look forward to receiving your message!

How To

1.  Provide each student with a standard 8.5 X 11 piece of paper.

2.  Encourage students to be artistic. Pictures and drawings mean the same thing in every language. Written letters (in English or Japanese) are great too. Please no glitter!

3.  Fill out the form below and mail it, together with the Genki Notes, to the following address:
   Genki Notes  
P.O.Box 1153  
Easton, MA 02334

Name of school _____________________________

Address of school ____________________________(With zip code)

Contact person at school (teacher or principal) _____________________________

Is your school willing to receive calls from the media about the Genki Notes project? (Check one)
   _____ Yes, and the best number to call is _____________________________
   _____ No, not at this time.

Genki Notes will be displayed digitally online at: www.genkinotes.org.