

【Reading Text】

In recent years, many countries have integrated digital technologies into primary school classrooms. Tablets, digital whiteboards, and learning apps are now used to personalize instruction and engage students in interactive tasks.

Japan's Ministry of Education launched the "GIGA(Global and Innovation Gateway for All) School Program" in 2020, providing every student with a tablet device and expanding school internet infrastructure. Advocates argue that ICT can enhance learning motivation, enable differentiated instruction, and improve digital literacy from an early age.

However, concerns remain about the digital divide between urban and rural schools, excessive screen time, and the lack of adequate teacher training. Critics warn that without pedagogical innovation, technology may simply replicate traditional teaching methods rather than transform them.

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【Question】**問1**

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1. What is the main goal of the GIGA School Program in Japan?
2. What are two key benefits of integrating ICT into primary education?
3. What concerns are raised about the use of technology in classrooms?

問2

上記の「問題文(Reading Text)」を読んで、あなたの考えを英語（200-250 words）又は日本語（400字程度）で述べてください。