This event was a Japanese cultural event that incorporated a workshop on how to make washi and food stations where you could learn how to make various Japanese snacks. This year, this included onigiri, goma senbei, coffee jelly and curry. This was geared towards families, the general community and JETAA alumni. It was open to all ages and to further involve the community we hosted it at the JCCCW (Japanese Culture and Community Center of Washington) which was established in 2003 and is “dedicated to preserving, promoting and sharing Japanese and Japanese American history, heritage and culture.” (https://jcccw.org/about-us/)

Onigiri Instructions:

Making Washi paper:
Washi and Washoku 2016

by Adam Ledyard

WHEN: October 22, 2016 @ 11:30 am – 5:00 pm
WHERE: Japanese Cultural & Community Center of Washington
1414 S Weller St
Seattle, WA 98144
USA

COST: $5 - $6

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The Pacific Northwest JET Alumni Association with the generous support of the Japanese Cultural & Community Center of Washington and the Sasakawa USAJISF JETAA Grant Program are putting on an event to show you how you can bring Japanese culture into your life.

Washi and Washoku is back! Better and bigger than last year! Join us in getting your hands dirty and learn how to make Japanese paper, the traditional way. While doing this, you can also learn how to make (and eat!) some easy Japanese snacks.

$5 – You learn how to make a postcard-size Japanese piece of paper that you can decorate any way you like (all supplies will be provided).

$5 – Learn how to make 4 different kinds of Japanese snacks and you can help to make sure all the food doesn’t go to waste by sampling all the delicious food!

The event officially starts at 12 p.m. and runs until 5 p.m. The paper making will be happening from 1 to 4 p.m. Location for the event will be the Dojo in the JCCCW building. Family Friendly Event so bring the whole family!

We look forward to seeing you!