

Cooperation between Geopark and the revival efforts of an endangered village

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Ohara Village, located in Kitadani Town of Katsuyama City, is an endangered village that is on the verge of disappearing. To ensure that Ohara Village has a place in the future, sustainable development activities are being conducted. In this report, examples of sustainable development will be introduced, as well as the potential for collaboration with Geopark.

Examples of sustainable development are as follows.

Admission into the National Nature Park.

Activities centered around the restoration of old homes.

Collection of funds for natural environment preservation efforts

Exchange through the protection and conservation efforts of rare species

Utilizing regional resources to the fullest potential through holding eco-tours and geo-tours.