Ambassador Fukushima's Visit to Nanyo City

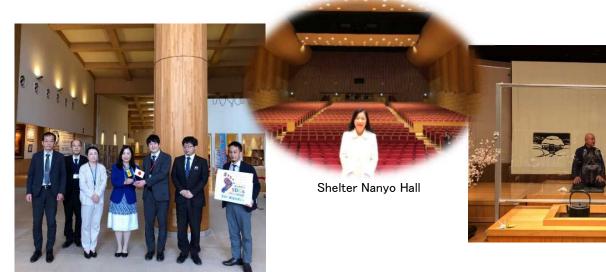
On March 17, Ambassador Fukushima visited Nanyo City in Yamagata Prefecture. The city has been promoting exchanges with Barbados as its host town. She paid the courtesy call to Mayor Shiraiwa and met with the JET participant, Mr. Sage Belgrave, from Barbados as well as the city officials. They discussed the exchanges in the past and for the future including the Japan-CARICOM Friendship Year 2024. Ambassador Fukushima also gave a lecture to the city officials and visited the "Shelter Nanyo Hall" (Nanyo City Cultural Hall), "Yuzuru no sato" (home of the "Yuzuru" crane) and the Nanyo Citizens' Gymnasium.



L-R: Mayor Shiraiwa, Ambassador Fukushima and Mr. Belgrave



Ambassador's Lecture



Yuzuru no sato





Nanyo Citizens' Gymnasium