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Solve The Underground Mysteries of Japan's capital with Tokyo Metro



Tokyo, 29th October 2015 – Tokyo Metro Co., Ltd (“Tokyo Metro”) and SCRAP Co., Ltd (“SCRAP”) launch foreigner-friendly versions of the puzzle-solving game, “Tokyo Metro – The Underground Mysteries”. Starting today, non-Japanese foreigners residing in or visiting Tokyo are able to challenge this puzzle game adapted from the popular Real Escape Game in English and Traditional Chinese.

Collaborating for the second time, Tokyo Metro and SCRAP are building on the success they had with the first edition of the game that ran in November 2014. The hope is that foreign visitors and residents of Japan will discover the charm of Tokyo through their fun experience riding the subway and exploring various places in Tokyo to solve the puzzle game.

Escape Games were made popular by SCRAP in Japan and in recent years, the craze has reached overseas shores, including Singapore and America. Players are locked up in a room, where they must uncover clues and solve puzzles to escape in time. “Tokyo Metro – The Underground Mysteries” follows a similar style, but players are not restricted in terms of time and get to travel to various locations to solve puzzles. “Tokyo Metro – The Underground Mysteries” is the third game that SCRAP has launched English and Traditional Chinese versions for play within Japan.

From 9th November to 27th December non-Japanese speaking players can purchase the game kit at Tokyo Metro Ueno station’s pass office. Each game kit costs 2160 yen, and is inclusive of a Tokyo Metro 1 day pass. For more information, please visit:

<http://realescapesgame.jp/events/tokyometro.html> (access available from 18:00 29th October)
(English/Traditional Chinese versions available).

Embark on a journey through the latest mysteries in Tokyo

『Tokyo Metro – The Underground Mysteries』

Enjoy a different way of exploring Tokyo as you ride on the subway to various locations to find clues and solve puzzles.

Are you ready to unravel the mysteries of Tokyo's underground?

No time limit. Average time taken: 3 - 4 hours.

No limit for age and number of players.

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About SCRAP Co., Ltd

SCRAP Co., Ltd is a publishing company based in Kyoto, Japan. It focuses on producing free magazines to encourage people to head out to town, and creating a number of events for people to hang - out. It created the "Real Escape Game" in 2008, and has since worked with various anime and commercial companies using the "Real Escape Game" concept, holding large-scale games throughout Japan, as well as running Escape Rooms.