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JAPAN AMBASSADOR VISITS THE UNHCR IN ACTION IN IRBID

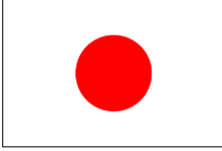
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Mr. OKUYAMA Jiro, Ambassador of Japan to the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, visited a Syrian refugee family and a community centre in Irbid Governorate to observe the activities of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) aimed at Syrian refugees.

The 2.5 million USD project was funded to UNHCR project between January and December 2023 by the Government of Japan to provide basic needs of vulnerable Syrian refugees, who suffer from rising food and fuel prices, and to develop the leadership of the refugee community through the empowerment of women.

Mr. OKUYAMA was briefed by Mr. Dominik Bartsch, Representative of UNHCR Jordan Office about the recent developments in the Syrian refugee assistance. The Ambassador also visited the Princess Basma Centre which provides support for women's empowerment and gender equality.





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