

**Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 1003**

Hi, guys! Welcome back to PR Junior.

Take a listen to an e-mail from Billy to his aunt. Let's begin.

Hi Aunt Sandy,

I need your help. I'll give a speech in history class next Tuesday. I'll write it on Friday. You are a good writer, right? Will you come to our house for dinner on Sunday? Can you check my speech after dinner? If you can, please write back to this email.

That's all for today. Bye!

**Dictation Contest (PR 1, 中級) No. 1003**

Hello, everyone! Welcome to PR1.

Why do you go to a university?

In countries such as Japan and the United States, many high school students go on to a university, but many of them can't answer this question well. There are some students who answer, "Because my parents told me to do so." This is not a good answer because university education is not for their parents but for themselves. Before you leave high school, you acquire basic knowledge in all subjects. This might be enough to do simple work, or just do what your boss says, but if you want to create something interesting or to change society, you will need much more than the basic knowledge you acquired in high school.

That's all for today. See you next time, bye!

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 1003

Hello, hello! Welcome back to another fun and educational PR 2 movie!  
Since we are a week away from Valentine's Day, I will read an article on how your body reacts when you fall in love.

Before a big date, you might notice your heart rate tick up and your hands get sweatier. It's not just a nervous tick that causes your anxiety to rise; it's actually the stimulation of adrenaline and norepinephrine, according to one researcher. Moreover, being attracted to someone can cause your eyes to dilate at the sight of them. Dilate means your pupils widen.

You could also feel a little sick when falling in love. It's normal to lose your appetite or feel uneasy when you've just started seeing someone new. That's your body's way of telling you that you really like that person. "Lovesickness may actually be the stress hormone cortisol contracting the blood vessels in your stomach, making you feel sick," one expert says. This usually fades over time as you become more comfortable with your boyfriend or girlfriend – but could also partially explain why many brides and grooms feel like they can't eat at their wedding.

Finally, love may give you superpowers, as the oxytocin released in your system when you fall in love can actually increase your tolerance to physical pain

I hope this was an interesting session! How about you, do you fall in love? Let me know next time. See you!