

Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 147

Hello, everyone!

Are you already writing?

Kate came to stay. Mum and Kate made a cake. Kate put little eggs on it. Wilma looked at the eggs. She had an idea. She wanted to hide some chocolate eggs. She put them in trees. She put them in flowers. She brought Kate to the park. Kate looked for the eggs. "Where are they?" she said. The squirrels had them! "Squirrels like eggs," said Kate. "And so do I."

Okay, guys, see you!

Dictation Contest (PR1, 中級) No. 147

Hey, guys! How's it going?

So last time, Han, Leia, and the Ewoks managed to beat the stormtroopers on Endor and take down the shield generator. So, Lando and the Rebels could make their attack on the Death Star. But what about Luke? Let's see:

Luke surrenders to Darth Vader. He thinks there is still good in his father. But Vader delivers Luke to the Emperor on the Death Star. The Emperor wants Luke to unleash his rage and join the dark side of the Force. He makes the young Jedi fight Darth Vader.

Oh, no. What do you think will happen? Let's find out next time!

See you, guys!

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 147

Hey, guys! How are you doing?

Hope you're all still staying healthy and safe.

Have you heard of an animal called a Tasmanian devil? Aside from being a popular cartoon character that could often be seen hanging around with Bugs Bunny and company, it is a very real creature. They're about this big and notoriously ferocious – although I think they're really quite cute – and they can only be found on the island of Tasmania off the coast of Australia. However, according to this story, that doesn't seem to be the case anymore...

Tasmanian devils, the carnivorous marsupials, have returned to mainland Australia for the first time in some 3,000 years. The 11 most recently released devils began exploring their new home once they were freed from cages at the nearly 1,000-acre Barrington Tops wildlife refuge in New South Wales state, about 190 kilometers north of Sydney. Tasmanian devils went extinct in mainland Australia before the arrival of Europeans. Scientists believe the introduction of carnivorous dingoes, a surge in the indigenous human population, and a devastating dry season caused by a prolonged El Nino caused the devil to migrate to present-day Tasmania, said University of Tasmania ecologist Menna Jones.

Oh! Well, that's interesting! I wonder if these guys will have any effect on the local ecosystems.

Alright, guys, well, until next time – and as always – study hard, stay safe, and I'll see you soon.