

Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 501

Hi, everyone! Welcome back to PR Junior.

This is part twenty-seven of the story about the fieldtrip. Let's begin!

"What an adventure!" said Mrs. West.

"Look at those drums of toxic waste," said Will. "I can't think why people would dump them where they could do so much harm."

"I'm glad the otters will be safe on the island now," said Anna.

That is all for today. Bye-bye!

Dictation Contest (PR 1, 中級) No. 501

Hi! This is PR1.

Early kites were made for many purposes. In China, they were used to carry ropes across rivers. Then the ropes were tied down and brides were hung from them. Legend tells of one general who flew musical kites over the enemy. The enemy ran away because they believed the sounds were the warning of angels. Legend tells of kites which carried men, too. These were used to carry men behind the enemy or to spy on the enemy. Later people flew kites for fun in China. In the first and second centuries, kites of different shapes were made. Kites were made to look like men, birds, and animals. Some were very beautiful. With such a great history, we will continue to enjoy flying kites.

Bye!

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 501

Hello, everyone! Welcome back to PR2.

Today, we will continue with the second half of the dialogue between Jim and Alice. Let's begin!

Oh, I didn't tell you? I decided not to take the job.

I didn't know that. Why not?

I want to travel, see the world, and spend some time thinking about my place in it. I plan to enter the job market again next year.

I envy you. Actually, I would have liked to continue practicing judo full time. My coach says I have talent. But I have to work to pay back the money I borrowed to go to college. I guess it will just be part-time judo for me after busy days on Wall Street. By the way, where are you going to go?

From June until September, I want to hike around Rocky Mountains, I've never been West before.

And then?

And then, the big adventure – travelling around Asia, starting with Japan. You remember Shota from our high school days, don't you?

Of course. But I haven't heard from him since high school graduation.

We've been keeping in touch. He's still in a college in Tokyo, and he invited me to visit.

Sounds great! Give him my regards.

I will.

Did you enjoy the dialogue? Let us know in the next PR class. See you then! Bye-bye!