

**Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 656**

Hi, everyone! Welcome back to PR Junior.

Today we are going to see [what] Emily's [household] looks like. Let's begin.

My friend Emily has one son and one daughter. The son's name is Jack. The daughter's name is Sally. They live in a house in the city. Their house has a big living room and they watch TV. Emily cooks food in the kitchen. They eat in the dining room.

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

**Dictation Contest (PR 1, 中級) No. 656**

Hello everyone, welcome to PR1.

Today we will look at a short conversation. Let's start.

Faland: Thank you for agreeing to meet me, Kay. I know that you must have such a busy schedule.

Kay: I'm always happy to meet students. Now, you mentioned in your email that your class wants to take a look at what we do here.

Faland: That's right. We're all studying engineering, but we'd love to get an opportunity to see the manufacturing process up close.

Kay: I see. Well, I could have a guide take you through parts of the facility and perhaps have a couple of our technicians there speak with you.

Faland: That would be fantastic. I'm sure the class would be very excited about that

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

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 656

Hey, guys! How are you doing?

Hope you're all still staying healthy and safe.

Now, I'm sure you all know about the Ghibli theme park. It's been talked about for quite a long time now, and has been the subject of much speculation and pandemic-related delays, but with it finally opening next month, let's read a bit about it!

Fans of Studio Ghibli's animated movies have been looking forward to November 1<sup>st</sup>, when a Ghibli-themed park will open in Aichi Prefecture. Now they know a little more about the park, after it revealed details of its attractions on September 15<sup>th</sup>. The park will feature an indoor exhibition hall called Ghibli's Grand Warehouse. It will showcase exhibits based on Ghibli movies. These will include a recreation of the world of the 1988 film *My Neighbor Totoro*. It includes a children's playroom with a sleeping Totoro and the Cat Bus. Visitors can also sit next to the character No-Face in a train that runs on the sea. The scene comes from the Oscar-winning 2001 film *Spirited Away*.

"There is enough in Ghibli's Grand Warehouse for people to enjoy for two or three hours. I want everyone to see it soon," Aichi Governor Hideaki Omura said at a news conference.

Oh, well there you go! Not that much information about the park in general – only this "Grand Warehouse" – but still sounds pretty exciting!

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