

Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 689

Hello! Welcome to PR Junior.

Today's movie is about a very famous story: *Frozen*! Let's get started.

Not long ago, in the kingdom of Arendelle, summer had arrived. But it was winter inside the castle where princesses Elsa and Anna were playing. Elsa had magical powers and could create things out of snow and ice. She made a snowman named Olaf! Anna was delighted.

That's all for today. Let's continue in the movie. Bye-bye!

Dictation Contest (PR 1, 中級) No. 689

Hello! Welcome back to PR1!

Today you are going to listen to the story of *Rapunzel*: Part Four. Let's begin!

Flynn and Rapunzel had a wonderful day. A little boy gave Rapunzel a small kingdom flag. The kingdom was celebrating the birthday of the lost princess. The lost princess had the same birthday as Rapunzel.

Rapunzel saw a picture of the king and the queen holding their baby princess. The Queen and the Princess had green eyes, just like Rapunzel. Suddenly, Rapunzel was swept up in a dance! It was the most fun she had ever had... so far.

That night, the people of the kingdom lit lanterns. At last, Rapunzel's wish came true. Overjoyed, she saw the sparkling lights fill the sky. She loved the world outside the tower. She loved Flynn. And he loved her, too.

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

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 689

Hello everyone. Welcome back to PR2.

Today I will read a story about comets. Let's start!

Comets, small objects that revolve around the sun like a planet, are only partly solid. A typical comet is made up of a solid core made of rock, ice, dust and frozen gases with a very thin atmosphere-like layer called a "coma." It also has [a] distinctive "tail," which becomes more apparent when the object approaches the sun. The tail is formed when heat from the sun begins to evaporate the core. Particles of dust from the core stream outwards from the comet, along with water vapor from the melting ice. The formation of the tail is aided by the solar wind, the hot gases that are produced and expelled outwards by the sun's topmost layer. This wind, which constantly blows away from the sun, causes the comet's tail to point away from the sun as well. The tail of a comet can be quite long. It can extend millions of kilometers behind the comet's core. The closer to the sun the comet travels, the brighter the comet becomes. This is partially because of the light from the sun, but the increase in the size of the tail also plays a role.

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