

Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 810

Hello, everyone! Welcome back to PR Junior.

This is the eleventh part of a story called *The Magic Key*. Let's begin!

"You see!" said Anne. "We aren't thieves. The bird took your things."

"Sorry!" said the soldier.

Everyone was pleased.

"Here's my missing ear-ring," said a lady.

"Here's my watch," said a man.

That was all for today. I hope you liked it and I'll see you next time! Bye-bye!

Dictation Contest (PR 1, 中級) No. 810

Hello, everyone! Welcome to PR1.

Today I will tell you the story about electric scooters. Let's take a listen.

In the past, scooters used to be toys only for children. These days, however, electric scooters are becoming more and more popular with adults. Many people feel e-scooters are quick, convenient, and better for the environment than many other vehicles, such as cars and motorbikes. E-scooters are especially popular with adults living in cities. Because they are smaller than most other vehicles, it is easier to travel around busy city streets. They are cheaper than taxis, more convenient than buses, and they can often travel faster than cars during rush hour.

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

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 810

Hi, everyone, and welcome back to PR2.

Today we will talk about a body part that women regard as highly as accessories, nails.

Today we'll look into the roles and the parts inside nails.

Fingernails are present in all primates, including humans, monkeys, and apes, to support our fingertips. Fingernails play several important roles in the body that may provide a sign as to why we have them. The hard, outer covering on the tips of the fingernails makes the fingertips one of the strongest parts of the hand. This makes performing everyday tasks, including gripping, less risky. The fingernails have many small blood vessels to supply them, and can maintain their blood flow even when you're gripping something very tightly. Having a fingernail covering can prevent viruses and bacteria from entering the body. If a person's nail bed is disrupted, they may be more at risk for nail infections. The fingernails enhance your ability to scratch and separate, such as pages in a book or hairs on your head. A person can also use their fingernails to pick up items. While you may not think of the nails as being as sensitive as your fingertips, there's an intricate network of nerves underneath the nail. While a person does not have to have fingernails to survive, they can certainly help with many tasks.

That's all for today, see you!