

- Multifactor Authentication -

A story in a world where smart devices keep track of health.

Kenichi Sawabe patted / his daughter on the head.// He placed his finger/ to the **scanner**.// The ice cream machine had been **updated**.// It now needed health **data**/ before it would serve anything.// He lifted Yayoi to his shoulders,/ leaned forward and backward,/ **hopped** and spun/ while he waited/ for his **one-time verification code**.//

She **bounced** and laughed.// She was the birthday girl,/ four years old!// It was her first time/ to see her father all year.//

Kenichi's phone **buzzed**.// The code had come,/ but it was too short.// He had a new code sent,/ but the form **timed out**/ before it **arrived**.// Little Yayoi told the friendly looking AI **mascot**/ about her favorite flavors.// He tried once more/ to order her treat.// His card was rejected:/ **unusual activity**.// He hadn't eaten ice cream in years.//

A kindly old lady/ bought Yayoi an ice-cream,/ and was **fined*** for piracy.//

サワベ・ケンイチは軽く撫でた / 娘の頭を // 彼は指を置いた / 指紋スキャナーに // アイスクリームの自動販売機はアップデートされていた //
 今やそれは健康データを必要とする / 商品を提供する前に // 彼はヤヨイを肩に乗せて / (彼女は) 前後に揺れたり / 跳ねたり、回ったりしながら / 彼は待った / 一回限りの認証コードを //
 彼女は跳ね回りながら笑った // 彼女は (今日が) 誕生日の女の子で / まだ4歳だった! // これが初めてだった / 今年、父親に会うのは //
 ケンイチのスマホが振動した // コードが届いたが / (桁数が) 足りなかった // 新しいコードを送ってもらったが / 入力の有効期限が切れてしまった / コードが到着する前に // 幼いやヨイは画面に映る友好的なAIマスコットに話していた / 好きな味について // ケンイチは再度 / 注文しようとした // カードが拒否された / 異常な取引だと // 彼ももう何年もアイスを食べていなかったのだ //
 親切なおばあさんが / ヤヨイにアイスクリームを買ってくれたが / その行為で「海賊行為」として、(おばあさんは) 罰金を科されてしまった //

Vocabulary and Phrases

scanner	スキャナー / 読み取り機
update	更新する / 修正する
data	データ / 資料
>単数形は datum	
hop	飛ぶ
one-time verification code	ワンタイム認証コード
bounce	弾む
buzz	ぶんぶんと言を立てる

time out	タイムアウト、時間切れ
arrive	到着する
mascot	マスコット / キャラ
reject	拒否する
unusual activity	異常な取引
fine	罰金
piracy	海賊行為 = 違法な共有行為
multifactor	複数要素
authentication	認証

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【Listen & Fill Blank】

Kenichi Sawabe patted his _____ on the head. He placed his _____ to the scanner. The ice cream machine had been _____. It now needed health data _____ it would serve anything. He lifted Yayoi to his shoulders, leaned forward and _____, hopped and spun while he waited for his _____ - _____ verification code. She bounced and laughed. She was the birthday girl, _____! It was her first time to see her father all year.

Kenichi's phone _____. The code had come, but it was too short. He had a new code sent, but the form timed out before it _____. Little Yayoi told the _____ AI mascot about her favorite flavors. He tried once more to order her treat. His card was rejected: unusual _____. He hadn't eaten ice cream in years.

A kindly old lady bought Yayoi an _____, and was fined for piracy.

【Q&A / A&Q】

Question 1: What does Mr Sawabe try to buy?

Question 2: Why is Mr Sawabe's card rejected?

Question 3: Do you like ice cream? If so, what is your favorite flavor?
If not, what kind of treat do you like?

Ask 1: 答えが「four years old」である質問を英語で書いてください

Ask 2: Verification code についての質問を英語で書いてください

Ask 3: 本文について知りたいことを英語で1つ書いてください

Sample Answer 1: Ice cream.

Sample Answer 2: Mr Sawabe's card is rejected because he does not usually buy ice cream, and the activity is 'suspicious'.

Sample Answer 3: Yes, I like vanilla ice cream.
No, I don't like ice cream, but I do like poutine.

Sample Question 1: How old is Yayoi?

Sample Question 2: How many times does Mr Sawabe receive a verification code?

Why do people have to use verification codes?

Sample Question 3: Why is piracy called piracy?

How does surveillance work?

Why was Mr Sawabe separated from his daughter?