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## Level 2 Japanese 2023

### 91136 Demonstrate understanding of a variety of written and/or visual Japanese text(s) on familiar matters

Credits: Five

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
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Check that the National Student Number (NSN) on your admission slip is the same as the number at the top of this page.

Pull out Resource Booklet 91136R from the centre of this booklet.

**You should attempt ALL the questions in this booklet.**

Answer in your choice of English, te reo Māori, and/or Japanese. If you need more room for any answer, use the extra space provided at the back of this booklet.

Check that this booklet has pages 2–6 in the correct order and that none of these pages is blank.

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Merit

TOTAL 16

**QUESTION ONE: 京都りょこう (Kyoto trip)**

Read Text A on pages 2 and 3 of the resource booklet.

- (a) What are the main features of each attraction?

Arashiyama Bamboo Forest: <sup>lots of</sup> interesting stores, not many stairs so an easy walk, summer is the best time but it may be busy, lots of <sup>photo</sup> opportunities inside the bamboo forest, if you walk slowly it take about an hour to walk it (around 1 hour walk depending on speed), ~~at~~ at the end of the walk you see an old famous old temple. after the walk there is a foot bath close by so you can have a nice rest.

Fushimi Inari Shrine:

entrance of red gates, lots of stairs but the are wide so easier to walk, Top of mountain the view is of Kyoto the walk ~~at~~ takes between 2-3 hours if your taking your time, while walking you have a chance to possibly see a fox and the train station is big at Kyoto so there are some shops

- (b) Which attraction do you think Grandma would choose to visit, and why? Support your opinion with details from the text.

Arashiyama Bamboo forest it has everything she likes and it's more suitable for an 80 year old she's fit so she likes walks and the one with less stairs and a shorter walk seemed best she wants to buy some gifts/souvenirs so one with lots of interesting stores is good. she also wants to see some beautiful things and the bamboo forest plus the old temple seems cool & as a added thing a nice foot bath close by to give her poor feet a nice time to rest & relax.

## QUESTION TWO: しょうらいのしごと (Future jobs)

Read Text B on pages 4 and 5 of the resource booklet.

- (a) What is Miho's focus for next year?

study english so when she goes to  
New Zealand it helps and she will understand  
more of all the thing she has been wanting to see/ do  
she also wants to take an out-door course.

- (b) What has Anaru decided to study next year, and why?

Japanese, english, media  
he's good at english so he wants to continue  
with it. and media is a like of his because  
he likes art and enjoys making thing.  
Anaru wants to be a Journalist  
Also Jap because he wants to be able to be a  
Journalist in Japan too.

- (c) Describe Miho's opinion of Anaru's decision, using supporting evidence from the text.

because Anaru is also studying Japanese she ~~thinks~~<sup>thinks</sup>  
he will be able to make reports on Japanese people  
and there culture. he's also good at speaking  
so she thinks he would make an excellent  
Journalist

~~opportunities~~  
Miho also says in a foreign country lots of different  
job chances will arise and you will get them

## QUESTION THREE: スノーボーダー「クール・ワクシマ」(Snowboarder Cool Wakushima)

Read Text C on page 6 of the resource booklet.

- (a) How did Cool Wakushima become involved in snowboarding? Use evidence from the text to support your answer.

Because cool's mum is also a famous snowboarder from New Zealand cool and her brother from a young ages as kids got on a snowboard and really enjoyed it so she became very interested & into snowboarding.

- (b) What happened to Cool at the Olympics, and how did she feel about it?

During training for the olympics she injured her self and rested for 2-3 days and thought she had gotten better so she entered into the next event, but she wasn't actually better from her injury. because of her injury she couldn't continue in the olympics. she was ~~shocked~~ shocked and thought it was bad. but she said she will get better so she can go back on the mountain so she's okay. The mountain might just be cool's medicine

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## Merit

**Subject:** Japanese

**Standard:** 91136

**Total score:** 16

Q	Grade score	Marker commentary
One	M6	This response shows clear understanding of the text and unambiguously details the features of each attraction, and which would be the best options. There is some evidence of understanding of NZC Level 7 grammar, and good demonstration of lexical knowledge.
Two	M5	The candidate has demonstrated a clear understanding of some of the text and is able to give some supporting details. "Good at speeches so she thinks he will make a good journalist". The details are consistent with the text and unambiguously show understanding of the meaning.
Three	M5	The candidate has articulated that Cool lives in Queenstown and provided evidence of clear understanding of her love of snowboarding being influence by using her brother's board and her mother being a famous snowboarder herself.