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Level 1 Japanese RAS 2023

91958 Demonstrate understanding of written Japanese related to everyday contexts

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Make sure you have the paper Resource Booklet 91958R.

QUESTION ONE: 私の一日 (My day)

Read Text A on page 2 of the resource booklet. Use it to answer Question One.

(a) Why are Hamuera and Yuri emailing each other?



Hamuera and Yuri are emailing each other because next week, Hamuera is visiting Japan, and he is staying at Yuri's house. They are telling each other how their days go, so that when Hamuera visits Japan and stays at Yuri's house he will have an idea of how the day goes.

(b) What are the differences between the daily routines of Hamuera and Yuri?



Hamuera seems to have a more relaxed day and routine compared to Yuri. Hamuera wakes up at 7:30am, whereas Yuri said she wakes up very early and leaves her house at 6am. Yuri leaves the house 1.5 hours before Hamuera wakes up. For breakfast, Hamuera eats toast, but Yuri eats a traditional Japanese breakfast of rice and miso soup. For transportation to school, Yuri rides her bicycle then catches the train. It takes her 10 minutes to get to her train station, and then another 40 minutes on the train to her highschool. Hamuera gets a ride to school from his mum, and it takes about 10minutes. hamuera's school ends at 3pm, and yuri's end at 4pm. everyday after school yuri has a school club she must go to, and on Tuesdays and Thursdays she goes to cram school as well, so she gets home late. after school Hamuera either goes to the mall or to his friends house and play games. on wednesdays he has soccor training. hamuera eats dinner with her family around 6pm, then goes to bed at 10:30pm. after yuri gets home, she will do her homework and have a bath. yuri has a bath at night and hamuera showers in the morning. vuri goes to bed at 12am. Which is long after hamuera goes to bed.

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QUESTION TWO: マラエに 行きました (I went to a marae)

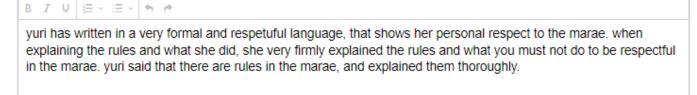
Read Text B on page 3 of the resource booklet. Use it to answer Question Two.

(a) What are some expected ways of behaving Yuri notices on the marae?



the marae is a traditonal maori place/building, so you must be respectful. yuri acknowledged that the powhiri is a important ceromoney, so to match the occasion and be respectful she dressed nicely. yuri noticed that in the Wharenui, you must take your hats and shoes off. she also noticed that you can drink water, but canno't eat food. before eating lunch, there is a karakia, which yuri thought must be like a "itadakimasu" in japan. she noticed that on the table there is food and drinks, so you must not sit on the table. finally, she left after cleaning the marae, which she thought was like the students cleaning japanses schools after schools.

(b) Yuri sees some of these behaviours as rules. What kinds of language does she use to show this?



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QUESTION THREE: ゆりさんの ための パーティー (Yuri's party)

Read Text C on pages 4 and 5 of the resource booklet. Use it to answer Question Three.

(a) What is the reason for this text chat?

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yuri, an exchanhge student from Japan is going back to japan next week on monday. yuri's friends are planning a goodbye party for yuri before she goes back to Japan.

(b) Complete the plan below.

Yuri's party

Time: 3pm

Place: at Hana's house, which is next to the hospital that is near their school.

What they will do Name Reason

Hana

Hana will host the party, and buy Yuri a famous New Zealand chocolate as a gift.

Because she wants Yuri to take home the famous chocolate from New Zealand as a souvenier and gift to Japan.

Leilani

Leilani said she will make a samoan dessert.

Yuri loves dessert, so she will be happy to eat what Leilani makes

Hamuera Will gift a pounamu necklace to Yuri as a present.

This is because a pounamu is a traditional Maori item that is treasured in Maori culture.

(c) Explain what problems some people will have getting to the party.

Leilani has to practice netball from 1pm to 2:45pm. After practice she will catch the 3pm bus with her friend shione. Since she is catching the 3pm bus when the party starts at 3pm, she says that she will arrive a little bit late. Hamuera has a physics exam on Monday. He says it is a very hard exam, and so he must study. He was also sick last week and missed a lot of school so there is a lot of homework he has to catch up on. Hamuera apologises and says he will arrive at the party at around 3:30pm.

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Q	Grade score	Marker commentary	
One	E7	The candidate shows detailed and accurate understanding of the resources and answered both questions in detail. The intent behind the text is communicated and parts of the text are connected, e.g. Yuri and Hamuera are texting each other so that when Hamuera visits Japan and stays at Yuri's house he will have an idea of how the day goes.	
Two	М6	The candidate has selected information to establish meaning from the text and connected specific elements. An accurate identification of the language structure would have helped in achieving a higher grade.	
Three	E7	The candidate has shown detailed understanding by connecting different parts of the text, e.g. Hamuera will be late to the party since he was sick last week and has a lot of catching up to do.	