



今月のテーマ

教えることへの情熱

話し手

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アメリカ出身。ウィスコンシン州のエンジニアリング系の私立大学で教壇に立つ傍ら、プロのミュージシャンとしてロサンゼルスなどで演奏活動も行う。ジャンルはプログレッシブ・ロック。大の親日家でもあり、毎年のように日本各地を訪れ、自転車ツーリングを楽しむ。日本のカレーライスが大好き。



STEP 1 話の全体像を推測 10分

概要を把握するつもりで、音声を通して聞いて、話されている内容を、大まかでいいので下のメモ欄に書きましょう。メモは日本語でも英語でも構いません。

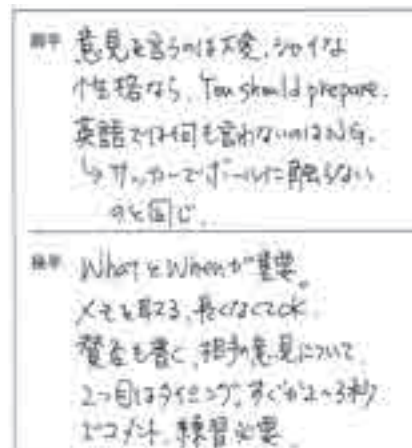


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後半

[メモ記入例]



書き方は自由!
まとまった文章でも、
箇条書きや英語のままでも、
図などを使っても OK。

STEP 2 ディクテーションで弱点把握 20分

音声を聞いて、以下の読めなくなっている箇所に入る語句を書き取りましょう。

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※ ディクテーションの手順は、p. 009。



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I am a professor of, at a private university. At our school, a professor will teach three different classes every semester. Our school is smaller than most state-run universities. Because of this, I'm able to learn every student's name and to know each student on an individual level. I'm able to have a discussion with my students and learn from their opinions and ideas. This is something that I don't think students could do with a large class. I also enjoy, as a professor, having a good relationship with my students.

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Because of our private school, we have a rather expensive to attend and can be difficult to get accepted. Students must complete both a national college entrance exam and a separate exam given by our school and pass them before being accepted. As a result, our students are very motivated and eager to learn. They are a lot of pressure and challenge. They have to be able to answer them all to the best of their ability.

At the end of the day, I'm a professor. I like teaching my students. I enjoy seeing how they learn and grow and become skilled at what they're doing. I enjoy answering their questions and enjoy learning new things.