

Lesson 20

1 TOPIC QUESTION

今日のトピック

What are the most common forms of transportation in your city?

あなたの街で最も一般的な移動手段は何ですか？

2 ARTICLE

記事

Directions: Read the following article aloud.

課題：以下の記事をはっきりとした声で音読しましょう。



Various Transportation Methods in Your City

There are many different types of transportation and the types used in an area are based on the location, the size of the area and the size of the population they are required to serve. For example, if the area is surrounded by water then boats would be a main factor. If the area is congested then underground trains would be required.

A lot of planning is required to put in place the best type of transportation based on needs of the area. In order to determine this, there are usually many studies done to make sure the best possible decision is made. These studies have to look not only at the present needs but also they must take into consideration the projected growth rate for the area.

Another consideration for determining the proper type of transportation would be the types of industry and businesses that are in place or are planned for the area. They also have to study how the area will connect with other areas that are remote from it and how far away they are. Will it be a shipping port for goods and people and does it require an airport and what size would it have to be? With this knowledge they can plan for cars, taxis, buses, trains, boats and planes to meet the required needs .

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3 VOCABULARY

語い

Directions: First repeat after your tutor and then read aloud by yourself.

課題: 先生の後が続いてくり返した後、今度はひとりで発音してみましょう。

population 人口、住民数

consideration 考慮

remote 遠く離れた

projected 予測される

industry 産業

congested 密集した

knowledge 知識

4 QUESTIONS

質問

Directions: Read the questions aloud and answer them.

課題: 質問を声に出して読んだ後、答えてみましょう。

1. What are the different types of transportation based on?
2. What does an area need to consider when they are planning their transportation system?
3. How does the type of industries affect what type of transportation will be used?
4. Do you think that the transportation in your city is suitable for your city's needs? How would you change it?