

Lesson 40

1 TOPIC QUESTION

今日のトピック

If you had more free time, what would you do with it?

もしもっと自由な時間があったら、どうしますか？



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。



If I Had More Free Time

Sometimes I think that there aren't enough hours in the day for all the things I want to do. One of my passions is writing, so if I had the time, I think I'd write a novel. Of course writing takes a lot of time. Also you need inspiration to write a good novel. So maybe I'd take a long holiday to a tropical island with very few people. I could sit on the beach and make notes, then in the evening I could relax on the balcony with a cocktail and write my novel.

Another dream of mine is to start my own business, maybe a hotel or bar, or even a nice cafe. Planning your own business needs a lot of time too. I think I'd like to open a hotel in a beautiful patch of country side or somewhere near the sea. The hotel would be an old historical building with big rooms, a restaurant and bar. The service would be excellent and the atmosphere would be cozy, warm and inviting.

My final wish, if I had more free time, would be to go sailing on a big yacht. I'd love to explore the Mediterranean sea, maybe with a few friends for six months. Sailing from port to port and island to island enjoying the sun and the sea air. Now if only I had more free time...

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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。

passions 情熱

tropical 熱帯の、トロピカル

inspiration ひらめき

historical 歴史的な

atmosphere 雰囲気

cozy 居心地が良い

yacht ヨット

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. Where would he write his novel?
2. What kind of hotel would he open?
3. What is his final wish?
4. What would you do if you had more free time?