1 TOPIC QUESTION

What was your parents' ambition for you?

あなたの両親のあなたに対しての願望は何でしたか?

2 ARTICLE

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。



Ambition

When I was a child I loved drawing and painting. In school or at home I always had paper and colored pens. I painted animals, people, castles and monsters. My parents would put my pictures up on the wall all around the house and I was always so proud of my paintings.

Later when I was older and I started high school my parents encouraged me to learn about accounting and business so I tried. I wasn't very good at math but I studied harder and in the end I got good results. I studied very hard but I still loved painting and even though I didn't have much free time, at weekends I would try and paint as much as I could.

When the time came for me to choose my university and my subject, my parents really wanted me to choose business management. But my love for painting made me choose a course in fine art. My parents were very disappointed. Now my paintings are displayed in many important art galleries and my parents are very happy and proud of me.

3 VOCABULARY

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

課題: 先生の後に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。

castle お城
monster 怪物、モンスター
proud 誇りに思う
encouraged 勧められる

accounting 会計学、経理 management 経営、管理 disappointed 失望した

4 QUESTIONS

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 was his favorite thing as a child?
- 2. What did his parents encourage him to study at high school?
- 3. Why did he choose to study art at university?
- 4. Did your parents have an ambition for you?