

Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 420

Hello, everyone! Welcome back to PR Junior.

Today, I will tell you about the flu shot. Let's begin.

It is flu season. A flu shot will help protect you. But there is a problem with a flu shot. A nurse will stick a needle in your arm and it will be sore. But which is worse – a sore arm, or a sore body?

Well, that's all for today and I'll see you in class. Bye-bye!

Dictation Contest (PR1, 中級) No. 420

Hello, everyone. Welcome back to PR1.

Today, we will be taking a closer look at millionaires and how they became rich. Let's begin.

The research also showed that most of the people who drive expensive cars and live in big houses are not actually rich. They can buy expensive things because they borrow a lot of money from banks. Although they have expensive things, they don't have much money; they only have things. Rich people not only teach their children how to make money, but they also teach their children to not spend much money. Many times children in a rich family don't know that their parents have a lot of money because there is nothing expensive in the house.

So, that is all for today. Thank you very much for watching and I will see you guys in the next video. Bye-bye!

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 420

Hi, everyone! Welcome back to PR2.

I've prepared a text about the North Star for you today. Let's begin!

Among the multitude of stars in the universe, there are a couple that are of great importance to people on Earth. The sun, of course, is one of them. The other is known as Polaris, the North Star. Polaris is special because it is the only star that always appears to be in the same place in the sky. Therefore, Polaris is a great compass. When people in the northern hemisphere of Earth look toward Polaris, they can be certain that they are facing north. The permanence of Polaris in the north sky has helped countless people find their destinations.

Before the invention of modern navigation tools, mariners relied on Polaris. From the top of their hulls, sailors would look for Polaris to figure out their place at Sea. They figured out the angle between the star and the horizon to determine their latitude. As long as the equations weren't erroneous, the results were very reliable. Polaris also let sailors determine North, South, East and West. By knowing directions and their location, mariners could easily navigate their ships.

Have you ever found your way by looking at the North Star? I think it's pretty amazing how people have learnt to do that. Anyways, that is all for today. See you!