

### Dictation Contest (PRJr, 初級) No. 615

Hi, everyone! Welcome back to PR Junior!

How are you doing? Today, we will be working on sentences that you might see in Eiken 5!

Please write down the sentences I say. Let's begin:

Number one: How about this red one?

Number two: Can I have a hamburger and orange juice, please?

Number three: I'm not playing video games.

Number four: We often play tennis in the park.

Number five: It is sunny and warm today.

Number six: What time does your school begin?

That's all for today. See you!

### Dictation Contest (PR 1, 中級) No. 615

Hello, everyone! This is PR1. Let's start!

Every culture around the world has different customs and ways of communicating. When you learn a language, you learn more than words; you also learn a lot of rules. You learn what kind of greetings to use in different situations. For example, in English we use formal and informal greetings. In China, a traditional greeting is "Have you eaten today?" In addition, there are rules for making small talk when you meet a person. Once you have learned the rules of [a] language, you can communicate more easily and avoid misunderstandings. People in different cultures also have different ways of using their bodies to communicate. We use our heads and our hands to make gestures, for example. But there's one kind of communication that's the same everywhere: a smile can always connect people.

That's all for today! Bye-bye!

Dictation Contest (PR2 上級) No. 615

Hello, everyone! Welcome back to PR2!

Today, you are going to listen to the second part of the text about the bee and its pollen-gathering adventure. Let's begin!

But when it was flying back home, it realized that all the pollen had an adverse effect. It had no control over its flight. The intermittent wind fluctuated in power. It was blown to and fro. One minute it was flying straight, and the next minute the wind had reversed its course.

It tried to dump some of the pollen, but it acted as an adhesive. It couldn't get it off. It became tired and fell to the ground.

"What am I going to do now?" it thought.

Just then, its mentor landed next to it and began cleaning the excess pollen off the little bee. "You shouldn't have taken so much," its mentor said.

Finally, with the pollen off of it, the bee easily regained its strength, and like a phoenix, the young bee flew back into the air. When it returned to the hive, it turned to its mentor and said, "I learned an important lesson today. I will never be greedy again."

That was all for today! As people say, it is important to never bite off more than you can chew! Anyways, I'll see you next time! Bye-bye!