

1. The Japanese word for “future” is shoorai.

2. What are Satomi’s future plans? Answer the following questions.

How many children does she want? 2 (1 boy(s) and 1 girl(s))

Does she want to work? [Yes] No]

What does she want to be in the future? a designer

3. The word for “famous” in Japanese is yuumei. “Famous person” in Japanese is yuumei-na hito.

4. Match the following Japanese words with their English equivalents.

sumitai	_____	you’re living right now
sumimasu	_____	you’ll live in the future
sunde-imasu	_____	you want to live

5. Where do the studio students want to live in the future and why? Write in English.

Keith:	(<u>Australia</u>)	<u>The weather is good everyday.</u>
Susan:	(<u>Atlanta</u>)	<u>It’s a big city.</u>
Jennifer:	(<u>Colorado</u>)	<u>She likes snow.</u>
Arnold:	(<u>Hawaii</u>)	<u>He likes the ocean.</u>

6. Write the *roomaji* readings for the following *kanji*.

読みます (yo) 話します (hana) 言います (i) がい国語 (koku)(go)

7. Read the following passage and fill in the blanks in English.

日本は小さい国ですけど、ながいれきしがあります。れきしは **2000** 年ぐらいです。日本のちかくにかん国と中国とロシアがあります。かんじは **500** 年ごろ中国から来ました。

Japan is a small country, but it has a long history. Its history is about 2,000 years long. Near Japan are Korea, China, and Russia. *Kanji* came from China around the year 500.

8. For Japanese weddings, money is given to the bride and groom. You put the money in a specially decorated envelope. Part of the expense of a wedding is that the couple has to give each guest a gift / present. Money is also the gift at a funeral and it is also put in a specially decorated envelope.