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ON THE COVER

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GIULIANO
CAIO - EU
STUDENT



UNIQUE JAPANESE CULTURE

Naoko from Brisbane

My name is Naoko Takahasi. I am from Japan. I have studied general English at English Unlimited Brisbane campus for 2 weeks. Today I would like to talk about my previous job when I was in Japan. I worked as a salesperson and teacher at a workshop in a store for 6 years. Our store sells plastic replica food. The plastic replica food is called "Shokuhin Sample" in Japanese. It is Japanese culture. Basically, it is displayed in front of the restaurant for ordering food and to increase the customer's appetite. Also, the store has a workshop where customers can make replica food with wax and hot water by themselves (for example, tempura, lettuce, ice cream sundae, and so on). So, my job was selling plastic replica food goods and teaching how to make plastic replica food to the customer at the workshop.

First, I would like to explain about "Shokuhin Sample" history. It was invented between the end of the Taisho period and the beginning of the Showa period. Before that, we did not have a habit to eat Western food so much, also from that time, some restaurants in department stores were getting popular. However, most of Japanese people did not know about Western food well, so the restaurants started to display "Shokuhin Sample" in the showcase in front of restaurants and show food models to customers to order easily. Basically, "Shokuhin Sample" is made exactly the same size as real food which is served in the restaurant. So, the customer can understand what kind of food, and amount. Also, the color is just a little bit brighter than real one, it helps to increase customer appetite. At the beginning, it was made from wax, but wax is weak against heat, and sometimes it was melted by direct sunlight in the showcase. So, since the late 1970s to 1980s, the material has been changed from wax to resin (plastic).

"Shokuhin Sample" has such a long history, but still now you can see it a lot of places in Japan. Recently, it is not only for displaying in the restaurant but also for selling as some goods (key chains, straps, hair accessories, magnets etc). Also, it is completely handmade. As every restaurant has a different menu, every "Shokuhin Sample" is different. There are no two same things in the world. Recently, this unique and delicate technique is famous as a kind of Japanese art as well.

Secondly, I would like to talk about my previous work place. The store is in Asakusa, a very famous sightseeing place in Tokyo. We have many foreign customers every day. They are really interested in this unique Japanese culture, so I really enjoyed the job, also I felt pleasure in being able to help them and look their happy faces. I worked there as English staff, so when we had foreign customers, I talked to them in English. When they wanted to join our workshop, I taught them how to make "Shokuhin Sample" and helped them in English. Every customer enjoyed our workshop, and they were surprised by this magical technique. It is very precious experience in my life. Also, I am so proud that I was doing a job that could introduce Japanese culture to people from many countries. On the other hand, I always felt the necessity of English because in my shop, there are few staff who speak English. I do not think it is enough, also the Tokyo Olympics is going to be held in 2 years, and foreign tourists will increase. So now I study English hard, and after graduating from this school, I am going back to Japan to restart my work. I am really looking forward to introducing many good things of Japan to many people with my skills.

WINNER: BEST ARTICLE

COOKING

Bárbara Prata from Melbourne

I'd like to talk about my favourite hobby which is cooking. I like cooking because it helps me relax and I enjoy cooking food from many different countries.

First, it is very relaxing because I can forget about my problems. If I do that when I am stressed, I can feel better. For example, after a hard day at work, it relaxes me.

Second, it helps me concentrate. If I cook difficult recipes, I need be concentrated. For instance, when I make recipes with different ingredients and long preparation time.

I have been cooking for two years and I want to get better and better in the future.



HOBBIES

Carlos Julian from Sydney

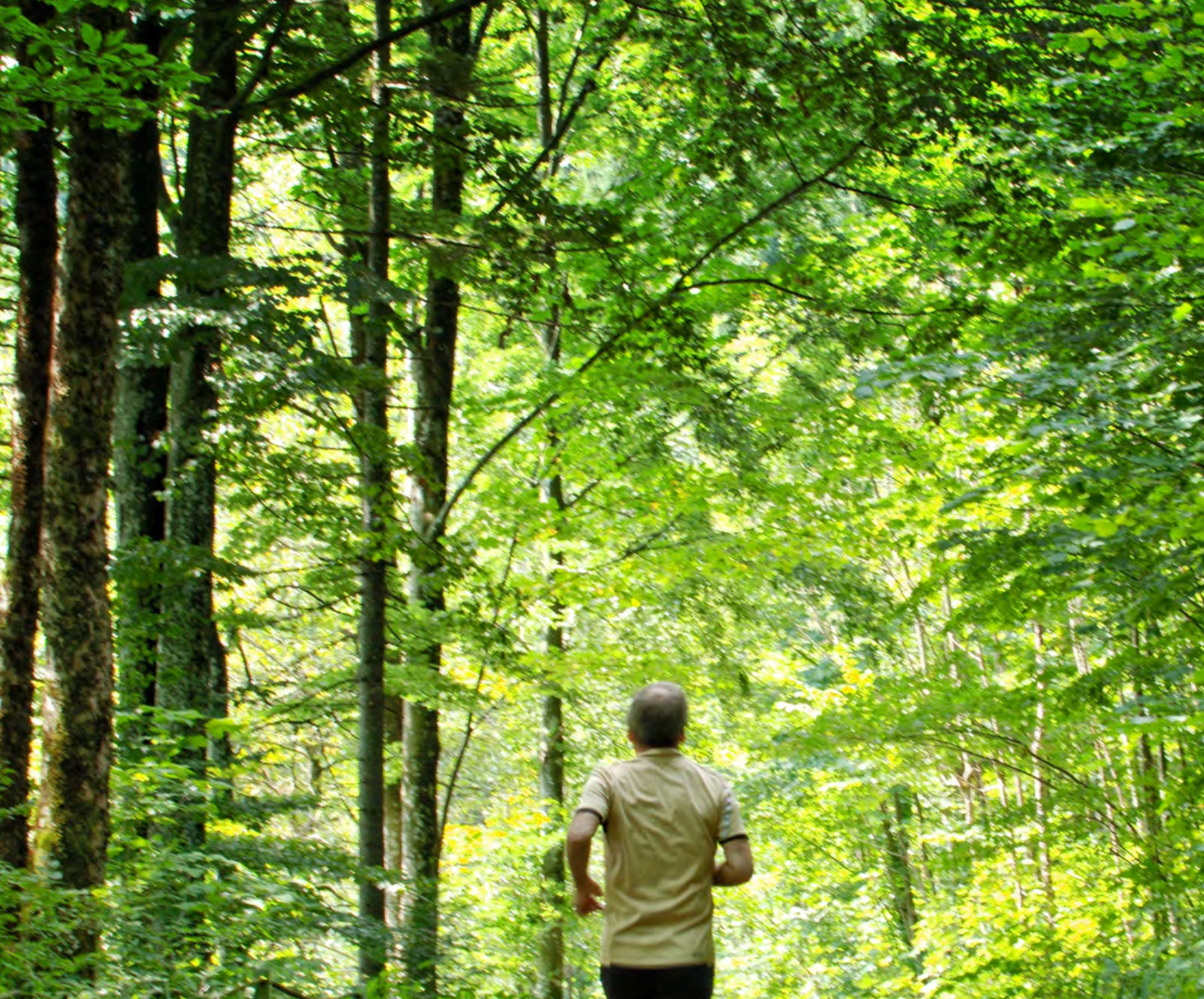
Many people work or study most of their time, so their lives become repetitive. Why not have a hobby? Let me show you advantages and disadvantages about that.

One advantage is that people who have a hobby spend a lot of time doing something that they love and enjoy. Usually, these activities are done with family, friends and other people who they meet when they do their hobby.

Another point is that, having a hobby helps to feel better. Infact, it can help you to forget problems.

One disadvantage is that most hobbies require money if you want to practice it. Moreover, the time that you pay to practise it passes so fast, and sometimes this time can be used to work or study.

In conclusion, having a hobby allows you to be free and it also allows to do something unusual. In my opinion, it is important. It doesn't matter if you have more important things.



RUNNING

Johan Esteban Diaz from Sydney

Should everyone have a hobby? Some people say you should have a hobby and not only one, it could be two or maybe three.

One advantage is that with a hobby you can keep your mind healthy. How? As a result of a hobby, your mind will be over active, doing something. So that means that your mind never gets bored and never turns off.

Another advantage is that as your mind, your body would be fit especially if your hobby involves a lot of physical movements.

On the other hand we have some disadvantages that will probably make you think about taking up a hobby. First the money could be a problem, because in most cases you would have to pay for a membership or even sports clothes but this is not a disadvantage for all hobbies! There are some that don't need a membership. For example if your hobby is running, you can do it in public places. Another disadvantage is that you have to spend time on it, if you're part of a soccer team you have to train and probably spend more time doing it than on anything else.

In fact I think you should have a hobby. The advantages are better than the disadvantages. You can win more than you can lose. You will probably also make more friends! So why not? It could be fun!



HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

by Minju from Sydney

Do you have any hobbies or interests? Do you think everyone should have a hobby or interest? For example, if your hobby is travelling, you can refresh your mind, you can make new friends in other countries. You can see different types of scenery, you can release your stress and try lots of different kinds of food

However, for every plus there is a minus. One disadvantage is that you need to set your schedule yourself, sometimes it will be difficult.

Also, in your travelling, you can make new friends but sometimes it will be difficult to get to know other people's characters.

In addition, when you have delicious food, you can get fat too!!! In fact after travelling, you always have a credit card debt if you are not super rich.

In conclusion, hobbies or interests are not always good for people, sometimes they can be dangerous. In my opinion we need to control our hobbies. The more you control it, you more you can enjoy it~!



FOOTBALL LOVE

Sebastian from Sydney

I am Sebastian. I come from Spain but actually I was born in Uruguay, South America. One of my hobbies is football. I think you call it soccer here? I love watching football. Especially when the team of my country plays. I'm very proud of this team. In the past we won two FIFA world cups but after 1950 we never played well. Now we are not the best team in the world and we didn't win the FIFA world cup but we are playing very well. Uruguayan people start to believe that everything is possible!

I like playing football too, I started playing it at the age of ten and a few years later I really started enjoying playing. When I was 19 I broke my knees playing football! I had to have an operation twice and I decided to stop playing unfortunately. Two years later I started again, but with friends, not in a team. We were playing for 5 minutes and I broke my knees, again! I had to have another operation. So now I have decided I must only enjoy football by watching it....



TRAVELLING

Sandra Soto from Melbourne

I'd like to talk about my favourite hobby which is travelling. I like to travel and know about new and different places.

I love to visit a lot of places. It's interesting to have the possibility of learning about so many things. For example, when you visit some places, you can learn about their culture, their food and the customs of the people. Depending on the place, you can see wonderful things, amazing animals or just the beautiful sights.

Depending on the plan, I like to learn about the culture of the place. I like going to the beach so much, feeling the wind, the sand and good sights. Another good plan is going to the forest. I enjoy the nature.

There is an amazing city in Colombia called Boyacá. In that place you can enjoy their food and their helpful and kind people. Boyacá has beautiful landscapes, sights a lot of nature and natural place. For example, you can find a place with natural hot water in a pool called Termales. In Colombia you can find different and beautiful places with different weather.

Finally, the best plan for me is travelling not only in my country but also anywhere around the world. I have been travelling for many years and I want to travel more and more in the future.

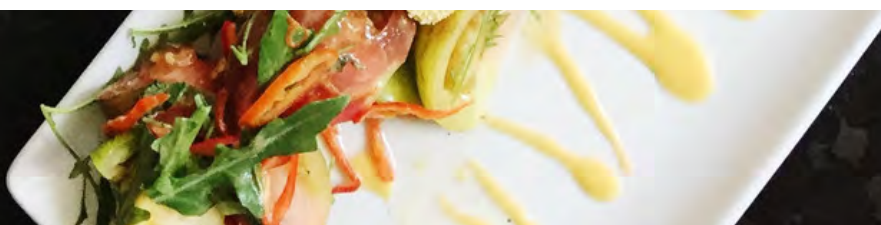


FOOD

Zoe from Melbourne

I'd like to talk about my favourite hobby which is going to a famous restaurant or finding delicious restaurants. I like doing that because it gives me happiness while I am having a fantastic dish and it is funny to grade a restaurant, dish or menu. First, it gives me happiness. When I find a restaurant to go to, I make a plan and finally when go, I feel delighted. Most people feel happy when they have delicious food. It's obvious!

Second, it's funny to grade a restaurant or menu. If I go to a restaurant somewhere, I grade their atmosphere, their service and so on. Then my friend and I discuss how the restaurant was. After that, I recommend or don't recommend the restaurant to my friends and sister. I know, everyone has different tastes, but it's just funny and a hobby of mine.



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SYDNEY



GRAMMAR CLINIC



LIFE SKILLS



CREATIVE ENGLISH



SPEAKING CLINIC



BOOST CLASS



WEEKEND TRIPS



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MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
01 PUBLIC HOLIDAY We're closed	02 Business English (3-4pm) yoga	03 English through song (3-4pm)	04 Speaking strategies (3-4pm) Ping-pong	05 Boost class (9am-1.30pm) 3 classes to choose from	06 Bridge climb	07 Hunter valley day trip
08 Tenses (3-4pm)	09 English for the office (3-4pm) yoga	10 Trivia (3-4pm)	11 Conversation extenders (3-4pm) Ping-pong	12 Boost class (9am-1.30pm) 3 classes to choose from	13 Jervis Bay day trip	14
15 Forming questions (3-4pm)	16 Interview skills (3-4pm) yoga	17 Drama club (3-4pm)	18 Phrasal verbs (3-4pm) Excursion!	19 Boost class (9am-1.30pm) 3 classes to choose from	20 Sculpture by the Sea opening weekend	21 Sydney Harbour Jet Boat
22 Subject-verb agreement (3-4pm)	23 Telephone skills (3-4pm) yoga	24 Holiday planning (3-4pm)	25 Aussie slang (3-4pm) EU HALLOWEEN PARTY	26 Boost class (9am-1.30pm) 3 classes to choose from	27 Oktoberfest at the Botanic Gardens	28 Whale watching with Geoff
29 Articles (3-4pm)	30 Public speaking (3-4pm) yoga	31 Book club (3-4pm)				
	EU HALLOWEEN PARTY 25 OCTOBER!					

BARISTA COURSE
19 and 26 October
9am - 3.30pm



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MELBOURNE



GRAMMAR CLINIC



LIFE SKILLS



CREATIVE ENGLISH



SPEAKING CLINIC



BOOST CLASS



WEEKEND TRIPS



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MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
01 Locations (3-4pm)	02 Telephone talk (3-4pm)	03 Poetry (3-4pm)	04 Animal idioms (3-4pm) Event number five	05 Aliens & UFOS (9am-1.30pm)	06 Check out the Melbourne Festival 4-21 Oct	07 Phillip Island
08 Talking tenses (3-4pm)	09 Presentations (3-4pm)	10 Trivia games (3-4pm)	11 Pronunciation (3-4pm)	12 Exploring media (9am-1.30pm)	13 Great Ocean Road	14 Bike riding in the You Yangs
15 Reporting stories (3-4pm)	16 Accepting and declining (3-4pm)	17 Tai-Chi (3-4pm) Event number four	18 Aussie slang (3-4pm)	19 Mystery class (9am-1.30pm)	20 Hawker 88 Night Market	21 The Grampians
22 Modal shopping (3-4pm)	23 Asking for clarification (3-4pm)	24 Drama games (3-4pm)	25 Debate (3-4pm)	26 Dreaming (9am-1.30pm)	27 Melbourne Eye	28 Pronunciation music and speaking (3-4pm)
29 Passive questions (3-4pm)	30 Listening to voicemail (3-4pm)	31 Reality TV (3-4pm)				

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BRISBANE



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WEEKEND TRIPS



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MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
01 PUBLIC HOLIDAY We're closed!	02 Writing a resume (3-4pm)	03 Media day (3-4pm)	04 Giving a short speech (3-4pm)	05 Working successfully in a group (9am-1.30pm) Barista course	06 Wet'n'Wild \$49	07 Whale Watching \$69
08 Do you know your verb forms? (3-4pm)	09 Party conversation (3-4pm)	10 Drama club (3-4pm)	11 Pronunciation (3-4pm)	12 Winning an argument (9am-1.30pm) Barista course	13 Byron Bay weekend \$249	14 Accommodation, transport and meals
15 In, at or under? (3-4pm)	16 Writing an email (3-4pm)	17 Poetry - Learn to rhyme (3-4pm)	18 Singing and music (3-4pm)	19 Improving your test scores (9am-1.30pm)	20 Moreton Island day trip \$99	21
22 "Will I" or "Could I"? (3-4pm)	23 Complaining politely (3-4pm)	24 Cooking (3-4pm)	25 Speaking with confidence (3-4pm)	26 Learning with games (9am-1.30pm)	27 Stradbroke Island weekend \$209	28 Accommodation, transport and meals
29 A dog? The dog? Articles (3-4pm)	30 Preparing for a job interview (3-4pm)	31 Halloween (3-4pm)				

BARISTA COURSE
5 and 12 October
9am - 3.30pm





Sydney
PHOTOS OF THE MONTH



Brisbane
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Melbourne





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PARTY @ SIDEBAR

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FRIDAY
26 OCT
7:00PM



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STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

“ Amazing course and an incredible experience in my life. I am enjoying a lot. ”

“ There are many activities which help us study English well ”

“ I've been here for a month and I love classes. Having different teachers have gave me the opportunity to hear several accents, experience other ways to approach the learning process and value the variety human resources English Unlimited have to offer to its users. We are all apprentices of life. Thank a lot for the dedication the teachers have put on their students. ”

“ Studying in this school will be one of the most precious times in my life. ”

“ EU it's a friendly school, they care about students and they have good teachers in there ”

“ I really like to be here because thanks to a teacher, I had the encouragement to take a more advanced course and I have enjoyed it and I have learned a lot on it. Also, the campus's very comfy and has a lot of facilities. The people is really nice and helpful. ”