

Listening exercise – A1

Listen to the following “A day at School in Japan” and choose the correct option:

1. How does Joshua go to school in Japan?

He rides the subway at 8:00 AM.
He takes a school bus every morning.
He walks with a group of friends.

2. Which item did Joshua NOT take to school?

gym clothes
a backpack
a school hat

3. What does Josh do first when he gets to school?

He practices his reading and writing.
He stands and bows to the teacher.
He puts on his gym clothes for class.

4. Where does Joshua eat lunch at school?

in his classroom
in the lunchroom
in the gymnasium

5. Joshua probably gets home from school between _____.

1:00 and 2:00 p.m.
2:00 and 3:00 p.m.
3:00 and 4:00 p.m.



2 – Listen again and complete the following dialogue:

Randall: Hello. Today I'm _____ Joshua on his experiences going to a Japanese school. Now Joshua, _____ time do you _____ to school?

Joshua: Eight o'clock.

Randall: Eight o'clock. And do you go by _____, or on a school bus?

Joshua: No, I have a group that goes with me.

Randall: So you go with a group?

Joshua: Uh-huh.

Randall: Now what _____ of things do you take to school?

Joshua: I take my taisho fuku, that is _____ clothes, and I take my backpack and my books

Oh, okay.

and stuff like that.

Randall: Okay and what is the first _____ you do when you get to school?,

[The conversation continues . . .]