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“Voices” has been launched on the Click Japan Website!

<http://www.tjf.or.jp/clicknippon/ja/>

At this page, you can hear the people featured in the “Meeting People” articles talking about themselves, their favorite phrases, dreams, and other topics.

Try using “Voices” in your classroom!
Hearing live the voices of the students featured in “Meeting People” is sure to arouse interest and increase motivation for learning Japanese.

You can also listen to different people talk about the same topic. For example, all the speakers introduce themselves on “Voices,” so you can hear different types of self-introductions. If you click on “Using disposable chopsticks” on Keita and Asuka’s pages, you can hear different views on the topic. This feature may be useful for class discussion.

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Asuka’s favorite phrase is available at http://www.tjf.or.jp/clicknippon/en/jcn/t20mp_e.html, and you can hear her actually talking about it on “Voices.” She also discusses why she likes that particular phrase.

- Q1: What is your favorite phrase?**
Keita: *zenryoku-shisso* (going for something full speed ahead)
Asuka: *shiko-totei* (be modest, but also ambitious)
- Q2: What are your hobbies?**
Keita: Sports. I like to both watch and play.
Asuka: Watching musicals. My favorite is “Les Misérables.” I saw it over twenty times!
- Q3: What is your favorite color? Why?**
Keita: It varies from time to time. I think my favorite color is whatever represents my mood at the time.
Asuka: Red. It is a color that lifts people’s spirits.
- Q4: What is your favorite place? Why?**
Keita: There are many places I like, but I fell in love with Kyoto’s peaceful atmosphere when I went there for a vacation.
Asuka: My home, because I can feel the warmth of my family and how blessed I am because of it.
- Q5: What is your major in college? What are you studying?**
Keita: I major in chemical engineering. I study the characteristics of chemicals when they are charged with electricity.
Asuka: I major in accounting management. It’s like business administration as it relates to bookkeeping and accounting information.



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Podcasts are also available! Podcasts are one way of distributing music and radio programs. You can download “Voices” podcasts from our Website. If you are using iTunes, you can subscribe to “Voices” by simply clicking on the icon.

You will see the speakers’ names and topics on the page. Click on the name of the speaker you wish to hear. For example, click on “Asuka.”

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わたしは、あすかです。 だいがく 3 年生です。
 埼玉 さいたま 県に住んでいます。家から だいがく 大学までは でんしゃ 電車 かよ で通っています。……

わたしは にんか 3 人家族 ぞく です。父親 ちち と母親 はは と
 わたし。きょう だい はい い なくて、
 小さい ちい ころは……

わたしの す 好きなことば しこうとう は志高頭低 てい です。
 どうしてこのことば す が好き い かといいますと、
 とても お かつ お い お い お ことば お だと
 思う お からです。……

