

3 次の明子 (Akiko), 正男 (Masao) と ALT のミラー先生 (Mr. Miller) の会話を読んで、問 1 ～問 8 に答えなさい。*印のついている語句には、本文のあとに〔注〕があります。

Mr. Miller : Did you have English class today, Akiko?

Akiko : Yes, I did.

Mr. Miller : What did you do?

Akiko : I made a speech. I was nervous because I had to speak English in of my classmates.

Mr. Miller : Oh, I'm sorry I *missed it.

Masao : Me too. I really wanted to hear it. What was your speech about?

Akiko : It was about my dream. I didn't think I was ready, but my English teacher, Mr. Ikeda, said my speech was very good.

Mr. Miller : Did you *prepare it by yourself?

Akiko : Yes, but writing a speech in English was difficult.

Masao : Good job, Akiko. Tell me more about it.

Akiko : So I talked about it in my speech.

Masao : Really? I didn't know that.

Akiko : I thought a lot about my future for the first time when I was preparing the speech. My science teacher, Ms. Sato, is a very good teacher. She is also my *homeroom teacher. She knows a lot of things about science, and she takes good care of her students. I love science, so I want to be a teacher like her.

Masao : Wow, that's great! Everyone likes Ms. Sato.

Mr. Miller : I respect her *professionalism. She always works hard to prepare good classes and *communicate well with students and other teachers. I hope [come / dream / true / will / your], Akiko.

Akiko : Thank you, Mr. Miller. Masao, have you done your speech yet?

Masao : No, but I'll do mine next week.

Akiko : What will you talk about, Masao?

Masao : Well, I'm going to talk about an experience I had at the hospital last week. I didn't think much about my future *until recently. But this experience helped me to think about something I want to do in the future.

Mr. Miller : What *happened?

Masao : My aunt has been in the hospital for about ten days, and I went to see her there last week. I had to wait for her in the waiting room because she was seeing her doctor. I sat next to a little girl and her mother. At first, the mother read a book to the little girl, and she listened. But *after a while, the girl began to .

Akiko : Was she sick?

Masao : I think she was just very tired. Her mother tried to take care of her, but she kept crying. I wanted to do something for her, but I didn't know what to do. I didn't want to *ignore her, so I drew a picture of some animals on a piece of paper and showed it to her.

Mr. Miller : Did she stop crying then?

Masao : No, she didn't. So I drew one more picture for her, and she finally stopped crying. She said, "Draw some more!" I drew many more pictures to show her. She was happy to see them. After a while, a nurse came to tell me that my aunt was ready to see me, and I started to leave the waiting room. Then the girl looked very sad. So I decided to give her all the pictures. She smiled happily and said, "Thanks! I'll keep all these pretty pictures." Her mother said, "Thank you very much. You are so kind, and your pictures are great."

Mr. Miller : Wow, that's a wonderful story!

Masao : Thank you. I was glad to make someone happy with my pictures.

Akiko : You're very good at art. Do you want to work as an artist?

Masao : I'm thinking about it. Actually, I want to draw pictures for children's books in the future.

Mr. Miller : That's a nice dream. I'm sure your speech will be a great one. By the way, how is your aunt? Is she OK?

Masao : She's fine now, thank you. The doctor says she can come back home next Monday.

Mr. Miller : I'm happy to hear that. Did you tell her that story?

Masao : Not yet. But when I see her next time, I'll tell her what happened at the hospital.

Akiko : I think she'll be glad to hear that you've found your dream.

Masao : I hope so.

〔注〕 miss～……～を聞き逃す

homeroom teacher……担任の先生

communicate……理解し合う

happen……起こる

ignore～……～を無視する

prepare～……～を準備する

professionalism……プロ(専門家)意識

until recently……最近まで

after a while……しばらくして

問1 空欄 にあてはまる適切な1語を、英語で書きなさい。

問2 空欄 にあてはまる最も適切な文を、次のア～エの中から1つ選び、その記号を書きなさい。

ア I want to study English in the future.

イ I like teachers I can talk to easily, like Mr. Ikeda.

ウ I want to be a science teacher.

エ I have a lot of time to think about my dream.

問3 [] 内のすべての語を正しい順序に並べかえて書きなさい。

問4 空欄 にあてはまる適切な1語を、本文中に使われている語の形を変えて書きなさい。

問5 会話の内容に関する次の質問に、英語で答えなさい。

What did Masao decide to do for the little girl when he started to leave the waiting room at the hospital?

問6 会話の中で、Masao は将来どのようなことをしたいと述べていますか。日本語で具体的に書きなさい。

問7 会話の内容と合うものを、次のア～エの中から1つ選び、その記号を書きなさい。

ア Mr. Miller helped Akiko when she prepared her speech.

イ Akiko heard Mr. Miller's speech today in her class.

ウ Masao is going to talk about working as a doctor at the hospital in his class.

エ Masao will tell his aunt about his dream when he sees her next time.

問8 次は、後日の Masao と Mr. Miller の会話です。自然な流れになるように、() に適切な英語を、5語以上の英文1文で書きなさい。

Mr. Miller : Hi, Masao. How was your speech?

Masao : I was a little nervous, but I did well, thanks. By the way, I saw the little girl and her mother yesterday.

Mr. Miller : Wow, that's interesting. ()?

Masao : At the convenience store near my house. The girl said, "I always carry the pictures you gave me at the hospital," and she showed them to me. I was very happy to hear that.

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