Vocabulary

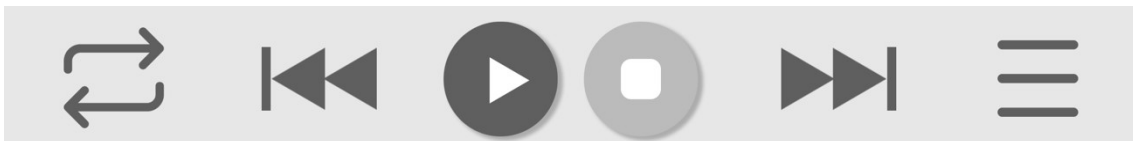comfortable

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Start-Up

Liam： Look at this graph. It shows which apps are popular.

Yuto： Hmm … just as I thought. Games are the most popular among high school students.

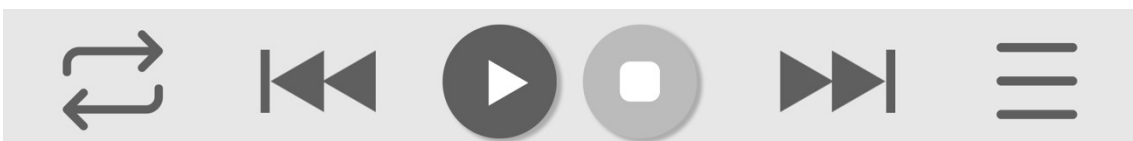Liam： I can understand that. Actually, I almost got addicted to games before I came to Japan.

Yuto： The more you play, the more addicted you become. I recently tried a new game, and it's almost impossible to stop playing it.

Liam： How about setting a time limit for yourself ? That's what I did.
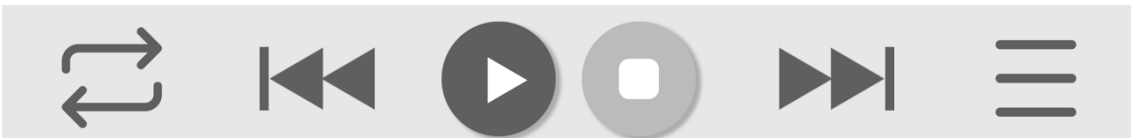
Listening TASK

True or False?

Sounds

語尾の s の発音

動詞の三人称・単数の現在形や複数形の(e)s の発音は，無声音のあとでは/s/の音（books），有声音のあとでは/z/の音（dogs），/s/ /z/ /ʃ/ /tʃ/ /ʒ/ /dʒ/の音のあとでは/ɪz/の音（horses）になります。

app**s**, book**s**, student**s**

game**s**, rule**s**, picture**s**, phone**s**

hous**es**, plac**es**, watch**es**

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Interactions 例文

① The inflation rate was **the highest** in a decade.

② Today is *by far* **the hottest day** of the year.

③ Air pollution is *one of* **the most important issues** in the modern era.

④ **No other** *city* in Japan is **as crowded as** Tokyo.

⑤ We have to do something about food waste **as soon as possible**.

⑥ **The more responsible** we become, **the less wasteful** society will be.

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Interactions 例文　フラッシュカード

① The inflation rate was the highest in a decade.

① インフレ率は過去 10 年間で最高でした。

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E-GUIDE

何かを提案する場合は，次のような表現を使おう。

・How about …? / What about …? / What do you say to …? / Why don't

  you …?

・I suggest ….

・I want to make a suggestion.

・It's important[necessary] that ….

・Why not …?

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- sustainable
- polluted water
- serious problem
- plastic waste
- working conditions
- tax increase
- inequality
- aging population
- private information
- greenhouse gas
- climate change
- declining birthrate
- population growth rate
- carbon dioxide emissions

· food self-sufficiency rate

· renewable energy

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sustainable

持続可能な