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POP QUIZ!

Did you read last month's ETP? Take the quiz!
Fill in the blanks with the choices below.

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**so • neither • bored me to death
why don't we • specializes in • insists
called in sick • it turned out**

- A: Where's Phil?
B: He () .
A: Again? That's the third time this month.
- A: I'm so sleepy. I need some coffee.
B: () do I. There's a *vending machine** on the first floor.
- A: I didn't like that movie.
B: () did I! It was slow, and the ending was *predictable**.
- A: I think we're lost.
B: () stop and *ask someone for directions**?
A: I think we're going to have to.
- A: Did Tom show you photos from his trip?
B: Oh, my gosh, yes. About a hundred! He () with pictures of the *desert**. They all looked the same!
- A: He doesn't look well. Are you sure he'll be able to give the presentation today?
B: He () he feels fine.
A: I hope so.
- A: Why are you home so early? I thought you were going to see a movie.
B: () that all of the movies we wanted to see were sold out.
- A: I have to make an appointment with my son's ENT doctor.
B: What's an ENT doctor?
A: It's a doctor who () problems with the ears, nose and *throat**.

Answers on p. 11

- * vending machine = 自動販売機
- * predictable = 予言[予報]できる, 分かりきっている
- * ask someone for directions = 人に道を聞く
- * desert = 砂漠
- * throat = のど

MATCHING

The examples below contain
at first

[最初は / 初めのうちは]

Can you match the parts that go together?
上と下をつないで意味の通る文章を作りましょう。

- At first this gum tastes sweet, ... [1]=[b]
My new job was difficult at first, ... [2]=[]
At first he and I didn't *get along**, ... [3]=[]
I didn't understand the plan at first, ... [4]=[]
At first I thought the *ride** was boring, ... [5]=[]
On stage, I was nervous at first, ... [6]=[]
The kids were *well-behaved** at first, ... [7]=[]
It seemed impossible to us at first, ... [8]=[]
- [a] ... but then it suddenly got really exciting.
[b] ... but then it starts getting very sour.
[c] ... but it's getting easier and easier.
[d] ... but then I forgot about the audience.
[e] ... but now we're are like brothers!
[f] ... but we managed to finish the marathon.
[g] ... but after he explained it, I finally got it.
[h] ... but after their moms left, they started *causing trouble**.

Answers on p. 11

- ★ get along with A=Aと仲良くする
- ★ ride=(遊園地の)乗り物
- ★ well-behaved=行儀が良い
- ★ cause trouble=問題を起す

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1-POINT QUIZ

ボックス内の例を見て、ルールを考えて、クイズを解いて見ましょう。

Using **FUN**, **FUNNY** and **INTERESTING** can be confusing. Look at the examples below:

- ① The picnic was **fun**.
It's **fun** to play video games.
- ② Sounds like a lot of **fun**!
We had **fun** at the party.
- ③ He laughed at my **funny** story.
His jokes aren't **funny**.
- ④ I smell something **funny**.
I have a **funny** feeling about him.
- ⑤ I think history is **interesting**.
I read an **interesting** article today.

What's the Rule?

Circle the correct answer.

- ① [**Fun** • **Funny** • **Interesting**] is an adjective [=形容詞] that means "enjoyable."
- ② [**Fun** • **Funny** • **Interesting**] is a noun [=名詞] that means "enjoyment."
- ③ [**Fun** • **Funny** • **Interesting**] is an adjective [=形容詞] that can mean "humorous."
- ④ [**Fun** • **Funny** • **Interesting**] is an adjective [=形容詞] that can mean "strange."
- ⑤ [**Fun** • **Funny** • **Interesting**] is an adjective [=形容詞] that means "thought-provoking."

Choose the best answer in each sentence.

1. The kids thought the *skatepark** was really [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**].
2. I made [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**] faces to make the baby laugh.
3. My old pickup truck is making a [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**] noise.
4. That documentary about bees was really [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**].
5. I used to think that comedian was really [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**].
6. My dad is [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**]. He always makes me laugh.
7. We go disco bowling every Saturday. It's really [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**]!
8. The results of our study are quite [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**]. I'd like to do more research.
9. The *wedding reception** I went to was so [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**]! We all danced and sang karaoke.
10. That's [**fun** • **funny** • **interesting**] ... I know I put my book right here on my desk, but it's gone!

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* skatepark=スケートボード場
* wedding reception=結婚披露宴

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Fill in the blanks with the choices below.
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this is now • the music gene • victims is burning • scar • waiting list public speaking • an opening

- A: We should enter that speech contest*.
 B: No way! I hate ().
- A: What is that smell? Is there a fire?
 B: Oh! My toast ()!
- A: I hate this ()!
 B: How did you get it?
 A: I got it when I fell off my bike when I was 8.
- A: Which dormitory* are you going to be in?
 B: I'm on the () for Kohl Tower, but I'll probably be in East Hall.
- A: Hi. It's John Thomas. I need to make an appointment. My tooth is killing me*.
 B: Let me see.... You're in luck!* We have () at 1:00.
 A: That's perfect. Thank you!
- A: Giving Tuesday? I've never heard of it.
 B: It's the Tuesday after Thanksgiving. We donate our time or money to charity.
 A: I didn't know that. I'd like to donate to help disaster* ().
- A: When I was a kid, we played outside! We didn't spend all of our time inside looking at phones and computer screens.
 B: I know, Dad, but that was then, and ().
- A: My dad is a singer, my mom plays the piano, and my brother plays the drums.
 B: What about you? What do you play?
 A: Sadly, I have no musical talent at all. I didn't get ()!

Answers on p. 11

- enter a contest = コンテストの参加登録をする
- dormitory = (学生)の寮
- be killing someone = 痛くて死にそう
- be in luck = 運がいい
- disaster = 災害

Sentence Scramble

Can you unscramble E-class's sentences?
 単語を並べ替えて文章を作りましょう。

Let's practice using **should do / should have done**
 [~した方がいい / ~すればよかった]

EX: I I an go. ago. have
 left hour should should

I should go. I should have left an hour ago.

1. I by for the 7:30
 leave hour should airport

2. You talk with your
 full mouth shouldn't

3. a I to the they take
 taxi think should station

4. I so last have much
 drunk night shouldn't

5. He his bed set have
 alarm clock before should

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What Is That Guy Doing?

Early in December, Don went to the post office to buy some stamps. He went up to the counter and asked the clerk, "Do you have any Christmas stamps?"

"We sure do!" said the clerk. He put a **three-ring binder** of samples on the counter and showed them to Don. "We have Santa stamps. We have **reindeer** stamps. Here are Santa's **elves**. Here are ornaments and presents. We have Christmas trees and **wreaths**. We have snowflakes and snowmen. We have winter scenes. We have **the nativity scene** ..."

Don stopped him, "Do you have **mistletoe** stamps?"

The clerk said, "Hm . . . we must have some. Let me see . . . **you're in luck!** This set has **holly** leaves and mistletoe."

Don asked, "I just want the ones with mistletoe. Can you sell me just those?"

The clerk said, "Sorry, they're part of a set. There are 5 holly stamps and 5 mistletoe stamps per sheet."

Don said, "OK, well, I need about 100 stamps with mistletoe on them, so can I get 20 sheets?"

The clerk said, "I hope we have that many!" He counted and said, "You're lucky again! We have 22 sheets."

"I'll take them all, then," Don said. He paid for the stamps and then went over to an empty counter that was **out of everyone's way**. He opened up a box

of Christmas cards **sealed** in red envelopes that he had brought with him. Each envelope had a woman's name and address on it. Don placed a stamp on each envelope. When he was done with the stamps, he sprayed each envelope with some



kind of spray he had taken from his pocket.

From across the room, the clerk smelled cologne. "What is that guy doing?" he thought to himself. "He isn't **particularly** handsome. He's just a middle-aged guy with a beer belly. He isn't particularly stylish, either. How can a guy like that possibly have so many girlfriends?"

When there were no more customers waiting in line, the clerk went over to Don and asked, "I know **it's none of my business**, but I was wondering why you're sending out so many **scented** Christmas cards with mistletoe stamps. How did you get so many girlfriends?"

"I'm not sending these to girlfriends," Don said. "I'm sending them to random married women in town."

"But why would you do such a thing? That could cause trouble!" said the clerk.

"I know! I'm a **divorce lawyer**, and business has been slow lately!"

a three-ring binder = 3穴バインダー

reindeer = トナカイ

elf / elves = 小妖精

wreath = リース, 花輪, 花冠

the nativity scene = 降誕場面

mistletoe = ヤドリギ

You're in luck! = ついでにあるね!

holly = ヒイラギ

out of everyone's way = 邪魔にならない所に

sealed = 封のされた

not particularly ~ = 特に~ではない

it's none of my business, but ... = 余計なことだが、...

scented = 香りがする

divorce lawyer = 離婚問題専門の弁護士

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PREPOSITIONS

Put the prepositions in the blanks to finish Chiharu's story.
Use each ONLY ONCE and write X if none is needed.

空欄に前置詞を入れましょう。それぞれ一度しか使うことはできません。
前置詞の必要ない場所にはXを入れて下さい。(Answers on p.11)

in on on from with about X

Last month, I went out with my friend for the first time (a)_____ a long time. We went to a cafe in Mihama, Aichi Prefecture, to eat parfaits. We could see the sea (b)_____ the cafe, which was (c)_____ a hill. It was a warm day, so we sat outside on the terrace. They had many kinds of parfaits (d)_____ the menu. I had the grilled apple parfait, and my friend had the chestnut parfait, which is *limited to** 10 a day. The baked apple parfait was for adults — it was made (e)_____ alcohol. The chestnuts for the chestnut parfait were *harvested** *on the grounds** of the cafe. Both (f)_____ parfaits were very big, so we were quite full. Next, we toured the kappa statues of the kappa *legend** in Mihama. Mihama has a sad old *tale** (g)_____ a kappa family. There are statues of the kappa family on some beaches, so we took a walk to find them. Perhaps because it was our first time out in a long time, we enjoyed looking for simple kappa statues.

- be limited to A = Aに限定される
- harvest = 収穫する
- on the grounds of A = Aの敷地に
- legend = 伝説
- tale = 物語
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How would you Respond?

可能な返事が3つあります。
当てはまらないものにXをつけましょう。
There are 3 correct responses and 1 that doesn't fit.
Find the ONE answer that DOES NOT make sense.

A: How's the presentation coming along?
B: Still working on it.
A: It's really important, you know.
B: (1)

- a. I'll just do my best!
- b. I know. I won't let you down.
- c. Don't worry. We've got this!
- d. Trust us. We know what we're doing.

A: It's at Jett Hall. Have you been there?
B: Yes, many times.
A: What's the best way to get there?
B: (2)

- a. I'd take the subway.
- b. You can walk there.
- c. The bus is pretty convenient.
- d. You'll have to get there on your own.

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A: Where's Patty?
B: She quit. Her last day was the 30th.
A: Oh. Who should I see about time off?
B: (3)

- a. Mike is in charge of that now.
- b. Talk to Pete. He's in HR now.
- c. I'm not sure. Ask Laura.
- d. Mr. Brown will announce it soon.



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Susan's Diary

◇ Sunday, November 27th (8:05 a.m.)

I went to my school's **year-end party** last night. We didn't have one at the end of 2020 or 2021, and I thought we might not have one this year, either. But at the beginning of November, our boss, Mr. Ito, announced by email that we were going to have one **after all**! He said he had reserved a private room at a **nice** restaurant so that we could stay away from other customers. Well, on the Thursday before the party, Mr. Ito **woke up with** a terrible headache and a fever. He took an at-home COVID test and tested positive, so he couldn't go to work on that day or Friday, and he couldn't go to the party last night. I feel sorry for him because he **missed out on** a fun night! We had a big room all to ourselves. The food was great, and it kept coming. I can't remember how many courses there were. We all ate too much and drank too much. And then some people started singing karaoke, so it got pretty loud. We stayed until 11:00, and I got home around midnight. Then this morning I woke up with a bad headache and a sore throat. **At first**, I thought I might have COVID! But then I remembered that I had been out drinking for the first time in a long time, and I probably just had a hangover. I just took my temperature and it's normal. I think I'll go back to sleep for a while.

Notes and examples:

year-end party / end-of-the-year party = 忘年会

- ① Are you planning a year-end party?
 ② A: Why are you all dressed up?
 B: I'm on my way to an end-of-the-year party.

after all = (予想に反して)結局

- ① I took a sweater, but I didn't need it after all.
 ② A: Did you download the app before your trip?
 B: Yes. And I printed all the documents. But I didn't need the printed copies after all.

nice = いい, 素敵な, 高級な

- ① Let's go to a nice restaurant to celebrate!
 ② A: Where did you stay?
 B: We stayed at a nice hotel with a beautiful view of the ocean.

wake up with A = 起きたらAの症状がある

- ① Sometimes I wake up with dry eyes.
 ② A: Why didn't Kayla go to school today?
 B: Because she woke up with a fever.

miss out on A = Aのチャンスを逃す

- ① If we don't go, we'll miss out on all the fun!
 ② A: Did I miss out on anything?
 B: Oh, my gosh, yes! The party was great and the band was awesome!

At first, ... = 最初(は)、...

- ① At first, I didn't like him, but now we're friends.
 ② A: Do you like your new apartment?
 B: Yes. At first, I couldn't sleep because it's on a busy street. But I've gotten used to the sound of traffic.

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The following is from a morning news show.

HOST: People are traveling abroad again, but I think a lot of us are *out of practice**. Today, travel expert Casey Mott is here with (a)_____ on how to make long flights a little easier. Welcome back to *Good Morning Today*, Casey! Share your *tips** with us!

CASEY: Thanks for (b)_____ me. The most important thing is to be comfortable when you travel, so *forget** high heels and skinny jeans! You'll be (c)_____ and standing a lot in the airport, so you want to wear comfy shoes. And you may need to (d)_____ them at security, so be sure to wear shoes that you can take off easily. You'll want to *avoid** shoes with laces and knee-high boots. And you'll be sitting on the plane for hours, so you want to wear your comfiest outfit on the plane. Think stretchy (e)_____ and tops. Also, since the plane temperature can be *unpredictable**, you'll want to wear layers. I suggest a tank top or T-shirt under a (f)_____ or *hoodie**. And if you plan to sleep on the flight, bring your sleep *essentials**. Everyone's needs are different, but I like to take earplugs or noise-cancelling headphones, and a neck pillow. You might want to bring an eye mask, too, to block out the (g)_____ from your neighbor's video screen.

HOST: Thanks, Casey. Those are great tips! We'll have more advice from Casey when we come back from this short break.

- **be out of practice** = 練習不足で
- **tips** = ヒント, 助言
- **forget A** = Aを忘れる, Aをやめる
- **avoid A** = Aを避ける
- **unpredictable** = 予測できない
- **hoodie** = hooded sweatshirt = パーカー
- **essentials** = 必需品

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What Comes Next?

Use the expressions below to fill in the blanks.
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Mina (M) and her husband, Bill (B), are getting ready for bed and making plans for the next day.

M: Can you (a)_____ the kids tomorrow afternoon?

B: Sure. I'm off tomorrow. Why?

M: I need to (b)_____ the mall.

B: I thought you were done with the Christmas shopping.

M: I am, (c)_____.

B: Then what are you going shopping for?

K: I need to get a few *stocking stuffers** for the kids. I've got candy, but I want to get some little toys or maybe some craft supplies. And I think we're going to need some more wrapping paper.

T: OK. Maybe I'll take them to a movie!

K: They'd love that. There's an animated Christmas movie (d)_____ at the mall.

T: Great! We can all go together.

K: Perfect! I'll meet you all when the movie (e)_____, and we can go out for dinner.

run to • showing • lets out
keep an eye on • pretty much

* stocking stuffer = クリスマス靴下
に入れるささやかなプレゼント



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Your Turn

空欄に入る言葉を考えてみましょう。
数字、動詞、熟語などを入れてください。
答は11ページを参考にしてください。

Use your imagination to fill in the blanks in the story below with a number, a verb, a phrase, etc. Sometimes there is more than one right answer. Then compare your answers to Kate's on p.11.

Many people exchange gifts at Christmas. We give gifts to (a)_____ and family, and sometimes we have a gift exchange at work or (b)_____. But it's hard to decide what to buy for someone we don't know very well. That's where the white elephant gift exchange *comes in**. It's part gift exchange and part game. What is a white elephant? No one (c)_____ the exact *origin of the phrase**, but it has come to mean something no one really wants or something that isn't really *valuable**. So for a white elephant gift exchange, each person *taking part in** the exchange buys something *amusing** or *silly**, and usually there is a price (d)_____. Then they all bring their wrapped gifts to the party. There are no names on the gifts. The gifts are put on

a table and *participants** take turns selecting a gift. Participants can *do rock-paper-scissors* or some other method to (e)_____ the order. The first person chooses and opens a wrapped gift, and their turn ends. On all turns after that, each person can either choose and unwrap a new present or steal another person's present. When a person's gift is (f)_____, that person can then either choose another wrapped gift to open or steal a gift from another player. However, each gift can only be stolen twice per game. The game is (g)_____ when everyone has a present. At the end, the first player can steal any gift, even a gift that has already been stolen twice. It's fun and everybody wins! Why don't you try it with your friends this year?

- ・ that's where A comes in = そこでAが役に立つ
- ・ origin of the phrase = 語源
- ・ valuable = 価値が高い
- ・ take part in A = Aに参加する
- ・ amusing = 面白い, 楽しませるような
- ・ silly = くだらない
- ・ participant = 参加する人
- ・ do[play] rock-paper-scissors = じゃんけんをする



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HOW MUCH DO YOU UNDERSTAND!

Read the paragraph and answer the TRUE/FALSE (本当ならT嘘ならF) questions. Answers on p.11.

We all want to be in good shape to look better, but did you know that being in good shape can make the cold season a lot easier? That's according to a study which examined 12 weeks worth of data on 1,002 adults, aged 18 to 85. The study found that fit people who exercised five or more days per week were about half as likely to suffer from colds as participants who reported little or no physical activity. What is more, the severity of symptoms fell by 41% among those who felt fittest and 31% among those who exercised most often. Exercise is known to temporarily increase immune system cells, but this boost drops within a few hours. The researchers believe that each round of exercise enhances the body's guard against harmful viruses and bacteria, thereby reducing the number and severity of infections, such as the common cold. But researchers say there's a catch—*overexerting oneself** can decrease immune function.

- T • F** 1. When those who exercised regularly did get sick, they got sicker than the inactive subjects.
- T • F** 2. When a person exercises, he boosts his immune system, and the effect lasts for a few hours.
- T • F** 3. According to the study, exercising one hour a day, five days a week is better for your immune system than exercising five hours every Sunday.

• overexert oneself
= 無理する, 頑張りすぎる

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OUT OF ORDER

Can you put Noriko's story back in order?

ストーリーを順序通りに並べることができますか?



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A My friends and I started *preparing the food** the day before. On the night of the party, all of the food was great.

* prepare food = 食事を作る

B So we each placed the *eco-friendly** gift we had brought on a table. Then the game started.

*eco-friendly = 環境に優しい

C Last Monday, I went to a Christmas dinner party. It was a *potluck**, so everyone had to bring something we could share.

*a potluck (dinner party) = 持ち寄り夕食パーティー

D After dinner, we had a *white elephant** gift exchange. It's kind of like a game. It's hard to explain, but the goal is to get the best present.

*white elephant = 持て余しもの

E In the end, I got an ornament. It was a cute pickle. Then I learned that the pickle ornament is also a Christmas tradition in Europe. The person who finds the pickle *is supposed to have** good luck!

*be supposed to do = ~すると思われる

F I learned a lot about foreign culture *through** the Christmas event.

*through A = Aによって

The correct order is _____ . (Answer on p.11)

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SIMPLIFY IT!

This story is easy to understand if you replace the words in bold with the words/phrases below.

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Is it possible to get COVID after you've gotten your vaccinations? It is, but these breakthrough infections are far less likely to cause severe symptoms than infections in the unvaccinated or not yet boosted. And although breakthrough infections are frustrating, they may actually be ①**beneficial**. According to a recent report, people infected after getting only the ②**initial** two-dose vaccination had an immune response that was just as strong and effective as if they had received a third shot. Elderly folks may benefit the most because their response to COVID vaccines ③**wanes** rather quickly. This rapid decline in immune response does not occur after a natural infection. Another advantage is that a natural infection is likely caused by the newest ④**dominant** variant, while a booster shot may not have been updated to protect against new variants. Catching COVID is not risk free, so doctors ⑤**caution** against trying to catch COVID in order to get immunity.

first • helpful • declines • main • warn

Answers on p. 11

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ANSWERS

P2 POP QUIZ

1-called in sick 2-So 3-Neither
4-Why don't we 5-bored me to death
6-insists 7-It turned out 8-specializes in

P2 MATCHING

1-b 2-c 3-e 4-g 5-a 6-d 7-h 8-f

P3 1-POINT QUIZ

①-Fun ②-Fun ③-Funny
④-Funny ⑤-Interesting

1-fun 2-funny 3-funny 4-interesting 5-funny
6-funny 7-fun 8-interesting 9-fun 10-funny

P4 TWITTER QUIZ

1-public speaking 2-is burning 3-scar
4-waiting list 5-an opening 6-victims
7-this is now 8-the music gene

P4 SENTENCE SCRAMBLE

1-I should leave for the airport by 7:30.
2-You shouldn't talk with your mouth full.
3-I think they should take a taxi to the station.
4-I shouldn't have drunk so much last night.
5-He should have set his alarm clock before bed.

P6 PREPOSITIONS

a-in b-from c-on d-on e-with f-X g-about

P6 HOW WOULD YOU RESPOND?

1-a 2-d 3-d

P8 LISTEN CAREFULLY

a-advice b-having c-walking
d-remove e-pants f-cardigan g-light

P8 WHAT COMES NEXT?

a-keep an eye on b-run to
c-pretty much d-showing e-lets out

P9 YOUR TURN

a-friends b-school c-knows
d-limit e-decide f-stolen g-over

P10 HOW MUCH DO YOU UNDERSTAND?

1-F 2-T 3-T

P10 OUT OF ORDER: C-A-D-B-E-F

P11 SIMPLIFY:

1-helpful 2-first 3-declines 4-main 5-warn

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That's Not ENGLISH!

Molly (M) is having a party, and one of the guests, Hina (H), *pays her a compliment**.

H: Molly, you've outdone yourself! The food is amazing! You're such a good cooker.

M: Thanks. I'm glad you like the food! Actually, I picked really easy recipes this time.

H: You're just being *modest**. This Spanish rice is fantastic!

M: I'm glad you like it. It's so easy to make. I can give you the recipe. You just put all of the ingredients into the jar and push the button!

H: Sounds easy enough *even for me**. I'll try making it at home. And this veggie pasta is awesome! What's it called?

M: It doesn't really have a name. I *made it up**. I used whatever vegetables I had. I think the secret is the fresh fettuccine. It's better than dry pasta.

H: Did you make it?

M: No. I bought it. It's in the refrigerated section at the grocery store. And you won't believe this — the sauce is from a jar.

H: You're lying! It tastes like it's homemade!

* pay someone a compliment / compliment someone = 人を褒める

* modest = 謙虚な * even for me = 私にしても

* make A up / make up A = Aを考え出す

Read the conversation and find the 3 words or phrases that native English speakers don't use.

この会話は不自然なところがあります。3 個すべて見つけることができますか？

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Did you find all 3 of the mistakes?
Let's check and practice the phrases:

① ~~cooker~~ → cook

a I wish I had paid attention when my grandma was cooking. She was such a good cook!

b A: Are you ordering pizza again?

B: Yeah. I'm a terrible cook. Besides, I don't have time. I get home pretty late.

② ~~jar~~ → rice cooker

a I forgot to turn on the rice cooker.

b A: What are we giving Todd for Christmas?

B: A rice cooker. He went on and on about our rice cooker last time he was here, so I got him one just like ours.

③ ~~You're lying!~~ → You're kidding[joking]!
→ No way!

a A: Guess what. I have to work this Saturday.

B: You're kidding! We were going to go skiing!

b A: I got this awesome coat for \$30!

B: No way! I wonder if they're still on sale.

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