

解答

LESSON 22 Community

Practice

A. ()内からもっとも適切な語を選びなさい。

Choose the most appropriate word in each bracket.

1. (**What**) is important for you is to pursue your dream.
2. (**It**) was when I was 18 years old that I decided to study abroad.
3. He (**did**) come to the party, but I couldn't meet him.
4. It is (**absolutely**) important for you to take a good rest.

B. ()内の語句を並べかえて文を完成しなさい。

Put the words in the correct order to complete the sentences.

1. In many cases, (**it was shrines that played**) an important role in Japanese local communities.
2. (**What our country needs for future generations is**) to create a community which provides support for young parents.
3. The birth of a professional soccer team (**did make our newly-formed community more attractive to**) young people.
4. Job shortage (**is the very reason why**) many young people leave our prefecture.

C. 日本語に合うように文を完成しなさい。

Complete the following sentences to match the Japanese.

1. 社会サービスを向上させることは日本の高齢者にとって絶対に重要である。
Improving social services is definitely important for Japan's elderly people.
2. 地域社会が最も必要としているのは、地元の住民の協力である。
What the community needs most is cooperation among local residents.
3. 市長が最初に取り組んだのは市役所の建て替えだった。
It was the reconstruction of the city hall that the mayor worked on first.

TRY 下線部を英語で表現し、パラグラフを完成しなさい。

Complete the following paragraph translating the Japanese text into English.

In our town, young people have been publishing a free paper. ①彼らが地域社会のためにやりたいことは is to get people connected to one another. ②協力し合うことが絶対必要だ to solve the problems in our neighborhood. ③大人だけでなく若者も can make a difference in our efforts to build a better community.

- ① **What they want to do for the community**
- ② **Working together is definitely necessary**
- ③ **Not only adults but also young people**

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Complete the following sentences to match the Japanese.

1. 手短に言うと，隣人に関心を示す人が減ってきたのです。

In short [To make a long story short], fewer people show interest in their neighbors.

2. 結論として，川の清掃に協力できる人があと 20 人必要です。

In conclusion, we need 20 more people who can help to clean the river.

3. 大事ななのは，我々の地域の慣習を次の世代に伝えていくことが必要だということです。

The point is that we need to pass down our local customs to the next generation.