

## A New World

My dream is to be a person who spreads English. I have some reasons I'd like to share.

First, I like English. When I was an elementary school student, I was not good at English, and I thought English was not necessary. When we had English activities, I thought they were meaningless. But English classes in junior high school changed my mind. I discovered the pleasure of studying English, and got the highest grade among the boys at the first midterm exam. It made me desire to make progress in my English.

Second, from my experience, I have believed we will have a lot of opportunities to use English in the future. I often go on short trips. In my travels, I often see foreigners asking for directions to Japanese people. But many Japanese could not answer them. I want to acquire the skill of listening and speaking English to help such foreigners in need. I want them to have a nice trip in Japan and have good memories. For that matter, I must learn to express myself in English properly for such circumstances.

And third, I want to spread English in our daily lives. Because I know that English is an amazing language. Half of my classmates say, "It's hard to learn English." However, if we can solve problems or get a good score on an English test, I'm sure we can learn to like the subject like what happened to me. So I want to tell my classmates "Never give up!" I want everyone to love English. Although I regret to say, in Japan, only a few students like English. Most of the students say, "I don't like English." and "It's not necessary to study English." But I believe, once we get to make use of it, we will find a new world. Foreign people are expressive and sociable. I respect their positive attitudes. And English helps us to be friends with them.

I will continue to study English. It may be hard, but I'm dreaming, someday, I'll be able to use English as well as I use Japanese and play an important part in the international society.

## 新しい世界

私の夢は英語を広める人になることです。私は英語が好きです。小学校の頃は英語が得意でなく、英語など必要ない、授業中の活動も意味がないと思っていました。しかし、中学校での英語の授業が私の考えを変えました。私は英語を学ぶことの楽しさを知り、最初の定期テストで成果を挙げることができました。そしてもっと英語を上達させたいという野心をもちました。

私の経験から、将来は英語を使う機会がずっと増えるだろうと確信しています。私はよく旅行に行きますが、外国人が日本人に道を聞いている場面をよく見かけます。しかし多くの日本人はそれに答えることができません。私は困っている外国人を助けるために、もっと英語を聞いたり話したりする力を高めたいです。そして日本を訪れる外国人に、日本での良い思い出を残してもらいたいです。

英語はすばらしい言語です。多くの学生が英語は苦手だと言いますが、ひとたび英語を身につければ私たちの前には、新しい世界が開けます。外国の人々は表情豊かで社交的です。私はかれらの前向きな態度を尊敬します。英語はそんなかれらと私たちを友だちにしてくれる架け橋です。私はこれからも英語を勉強し続けます。いつの日か日本語同様に英語を操り、国際社会で大切な役割を果たせる日がくることを夢見て。