

Matthew's Introduction

Listening Task

Objective: *The purpose of this task is to help you improve your abilities to listen and to understand spoken English in a given situation.*

Audio: [Mathew's introduction](#)

1. Listen to the audio and answer these questions.

a. Where is Matthew from?

b. What does he do?

c. Where does he live?

d. What are Matthew's hobbies?

e. Which countries does he mention?

2. Listen the audio again and fill in the blanks with the missing words.

Hello. My name is Matthew _____. I am from _____, but I have been a language _____ here in Osaka for many years. My wife, Yukatti, and I _____ here in Nagai Park in Southern Osaka. We don't _____ any children yet but we have a lot of _____. My hobbies are _____ riding, learning new things, and _____ with my computer. I also _____ music, _____, and movies. I have been to many countries such as _____, _____, _____ and _____. I love to travel, learn about different _____ and meet people from different countries. I am lucky because I can speak English almost _____ I go. You can too!

Listening by Matthew Walsh (September, 2015)

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