

Beginner Chat Room
2:10–2:50 p.m., September 17th and 19th, 2024

Theme: The Beach

テーマ：海

Self-introductions for new participants:

- What is your name?
- Where are you from?
- What do/did you do for work (job title, raised children, etc.)?
- What do you like to do for fun?

初めての方の自己紹介：

- 名前：My name is...
- 出身：I am from...
- 職業あるいは主婦：I am a.../I do...for a living./I work for...
- 趣味あるいは好きな活動：I.../I like to...

Questions:

1. When was the last time you went to the beach? Where did you go?

質問：

1. 最近いつ海に行きましたか。どこに行きましたか。(例：The last time I went to the beach was in high school. I went to a beach near my house.)

2. What do you like to do at the beach?

2. 海岸で何をするのが好きですか。(例：I like to watch the waves and look for shells.)

3. What might make the beach dangerous?

3. 海のどんなところが危ないと思いますか。(例：Sometimes there are strong currents that can take you out to sea.)

4. How do you keep your wallet and valuables safe at the beach?

4. 海で貴重品をどう保管していますか。(例：I put my valuables in a bag and carry them with me.)

5. Would you want to own beachfront property? Why?

5. 海沿いの家などを持ちたいですか。どうしてですか。(例：I would not want to own beachfront property because it might get damaged by weather or tsunamis.)

6. Should dogs be allowed on the beach? Why?

6. 海岸に犬を入れてもいいと思いますか。どうしてですか。(例：I think dogs should be allowed on the beach as long as their owners keep them on a leash.)

7. Should people be allowed to drink alcohol on the beach? Why?

7. 海岸での飲酒は許されるべきだと思いますか。どうしてですか。(例：I think people should not be allowed to drink on the beach because it would be dangerous if they went swimming.)