Beginner Chat Room
2:10–2:50 p.m., September 16th and 18th, 2025

Theme: Gender Roles

テーマ：性別役割

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:

質問：

1. How do you divide the chores in your home? How do you feel about it?

1. 家事をどう分担していますか。その分担についてどう思いますか。（例：I do all of the chores because I live alone. I'm satisfied with that.）

2. Have you ever felt pressure to "act like a man" or "act like a woman"?

2. 「男・女なら○○しろ（こう振舞いなさい、など）」というプレッシャーを感じたことはありますか。（例：I felt pressure to "act like a man" when I was in school. I couldn't cry in front of my classmates.）

3. How are women and men similar? How are they different?

3. 女性と男性はどう似ていますか。どう違いますか。（例：I think women and men have similar abilities, but they behave differently.）

4. What jobs are mostly male? What jobs are mostly female?

4. 男性が多い職業は何ですか。女性が多い職業は何ですか。（例：I think construction jobs are mostly male, while nursing jobs are mostly female.）

5. When have you felt glad to be female or male?

5. 女でよかった・男でよかったと感じたことありますか。どんなときですか。（例：I felt glad to be male in high school when my female classmates had to wear dresses for events.）

6. Do you think boys and girls should be raised differently?

6. 男の子・女の子で育て方を変えたほうがいいと思いますか。（例：I think boys and girls should be raised in the same way.）

7. Do you think women or men talk more? Why?

7. 女性と男性のどちらがよくしゃべると思いますか。どうしてですか。（例：I think men talk more because they are usually in positions of power.）