A. **Describe the Picture (写真描写)**

Describe the picture briefly.

写真の内容について簡単に描写してみましょう。

B. **Self Expression (自己表現)**

Use the following expressions to answer the questions.

以下の表現を使って、それぞれの文章に答えてみましょう。

*Agree (はい)*
*Disagree (いいえ)*
*Not sure (どちらでもない)*

Nowadays, royalties are more interesting to talk about than politicians.

最近では、政治家の話より皇族の話の方が面白い。

A country is easier to govern under a monarchy.

君主制の方が国家を統治しやすい。
C. **Words and Expressions** (語彙と表現)

Check the pronunciation, meaning and usage of the words with your tutor.

講師と一緒に単語の発音、意味、表現を確認しましょう。

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<td>entrepreneur</td>
<td>My father is at a forum for entrepreneurs. He hopes to learn more about expanding our small business.</td>
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<td>起業家</td>
<td>父は企業家向けのフォーラムに参加し、私たちの小さな事業を拡大する方法を学びたいと思っている。</td>
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<td>go to head</td>
<td>If you let all your material wealth go to your head, you will forget the people who truly care about you.</td>
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<td>目がくらむ、うぬぼれる</td>
<td>モノにうぬぼれすぎると、あなたの事を本当に大事に思っている人を失いますよ。</td>
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<td>keep one's/both feet on the ground</td>
<td>Despite all the fame, he has managed to keep his feet on the ground.</td>
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<td>（成功や富に影響されず）しっかりしていること</td>
<td>彼の富にうぬぼれることなく、彼はしっかりしている。</td>
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<td>spitting image of</td>
<td>My brother is the spitting image of my mom.</td>
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<td>生き写し</td>
<td>私の兄妹は母親の生き写しだ。</td>
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<td>to top it all off</td>
<td>My job application gets rejected, my tire is flat and to top it all off, my wallet is missing.</td>
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<td>挙句の果てに</td>
<td>就活は書類選考で落選、タイヤはパンク、挙句の果てに財布を無くした。</td>
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<td>two peas in a pod</td>
<td>Mina and Lisa are not twins but they're like two peas in a pod.</td>
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<td>瓜二つの</td>
<td>ミナとリサは双子ではないのに瓜二つだ。</td>
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<td>whether you like it or not</td>
<td>Whether we like it or not, our parents are going to adopt a baby.</td>
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<td>好き嫌いにかかわらず</td>
<td>私たちの好き嫌いにかかわらず、両親は赤ちゃんを養子に取るつもりだ。</td>
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**出展**

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D. Reading

Read the following text silently.

Would you believe me if I say a king and a small business owner could have the same life? Whether you like it or not, it's possible.

In the 18th century, a king in Italy dined at a local restaurant with his trusted general. It was like any other day for the king if he hadn't come across the owner of the restaurant. When the owner of the restaurant took the king's order, the king noticed that he and the entrepreneur looked like the spitting image of each other. In addition to looking like two peas in a pod, they were born on the same day, in the same town and were married to women with the same name. And to top it all off, the restaurant owner opened his store on the very same day the king was crowned.

Knowing all these must have kept the king's feet on the ground. Too much power could go to someone's head sometimes.

When you finish reading, summarize what the article says and explain it to your tutor.

1. What are the responsibilities of the rulers under a monarchy?
2. Under a monarchy, how does one become a leader?
3. How do you think people benefit under monarchy?
4. In what ways would monarchy not work in the age of globalization?
5. In what ways is a democratic government better than a monarchy?
E. Listening (リスニング)

Listen to what your tutor will say and propose a solution for the problem presented.

講師の発言内容を聞き、問題に対する解決策を提案してみましょう。

Tutor: Read the article for the student.
Student: Listen to your tutor and try not to look at the article below.

講師：生徒に文章を読んであげてください。
生徒：なるべく文章を読まないようにしましょう。

I am writing a feature article on politics. I wonder if you could help me out. I’ve started brainstorming on ideas but perhaps you could add more to my list. I am writing about how a politician from a democratic government would fare if he/she suddenly finds him/herself ruling a country under a monarchy.

E. Make a suggestion (解決策の提案)

Propose a solution to the following problem.

次の問題に対する解決策を提案してみましょう。

How would a royalty's life change if he/she is suddenly forced to live as a middle class citizen in a democratic society?