

5 の動詞に注目して、意味のまとまりごとに文章を読み、①～⑤の問いに答えましょう。

- ① ニュージーランドでは、“kiwi” という言葉は、いくつの意味で使われていますか。(3 つ)
- ② In New Zealand, people sometimes call themselves “Kiwis.” (True / False)
- ③ The bird called kiwi is not as big as the kiwi fruit. (True / False)
- ④ Why can the birds find food at night?
--(Because) (they) (can) (smell) (very) (well) .
- ⑤ Can you see the national bird of New Zealand in many countries?
--(No) , (I / we) (can't) .

When you hear the word “kiwi,” what / do you usually think of? Many of you may think of a fruit. Kiwi fruit is now very popular / in Japan. New Zealand is very famous for the fruit. People / who live there / sometimes call themselves “Kiwis.” too.

The word “kiwi” also has another meaning. It's also the name / of a bird / that lives / only in that country. Kiwi fruit got its name / from the bird / called kiwi. Though the birds look like kiwi fruit, they are much bigger / than it. They can run fast, but they can't fly. They can't see well, but they can smell very well. They run around / to find food / at night. It's the national bird / of the country. People / in New Zealand / love this bird / and / they are very proud of it.

【注】 themselves 彼ら自身を smell においをかぐ力がある

6 日本語に合う英文を本文から書き抜き、名詞のかたまりに を書き入れましょう。

- ① そこに住む人々も、ときどき、自分自身を「キウイズ」と呼びます。

People who live there sometimes call themselves “Kiwis,” too.

- ② それはまた、その国にだけ住む鳥の名前でもあります。

It's also the name of a bird that lives only in that country.

7 自分で動詞に や名詞のかたまりに 、意味のまとまりごとに / などを書き入れながら、もう一度読んでみましょう。

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