



1 *Translate the English sentences into Japanese. *translate 翻訳す

① Laughter is a wonderful bridge between people. (教) p.129

笑いは、人と人との素晴らしい架け橋です。

② The country, culture, or religion of an audience doesn't matter. (教) p.129

聴衆（観客）の国、文化、あるいは宗教は、関係ない。

③ Laughter is our common language. (教) p.129

笑いは、私たちの共通のことばです。

2 Read the *paragraphs below and answer the questions. *paragraph 段落

America is a (①) country, so spring is different in many parts of the country. In the *north, a lot of snow falls in winter and spring comes late. Even in March, the (②) wind *blows there, but in the *south people enjoy swimming. At this time of the year there is a lot of snow on the high mountains in the *west. In the *east, beautiful flowers begin to open in the *fields.

Perhaps you know the cherry trees in Washington, D.C. They were given to America by the city of Tokyo. Early in April, they begin to bloom *all at once. They are very beautiful against the blue sky and water. When the blossoms are at their best, a festival is held. The most beautiful girl is chosen as *the Cherry Blossom Queen. Many people come to see the Queen and the cherry blossoms. New Horizon English Course 3 ワークシート編③「Spring in America」を改(146 words)

* north 北部 * blow 吹く * south 南部の * west 西部 * east 東部 * field 野原 * all at once いっせいに * the Cherry Blossom Queen サクラの女王

1 Choose the *appropriate word for each *bracket. *appropriate 適切な *brackets 括弧

(① large)
(② cold)

small large
cold warm



2 Choose T if the sentence is true and F if the sentence is not true.

- (1) People can experience different kinds of spring in many parts of America. (T or F)
- (2) The cherry trees in Washington D. C. were gifts from America to Tokyo. (T or F)

3 Fill in the blanks with suitable words from the text *above. *above 形上の

People can experience (different) kinds of spring in America. In the west part people can still see (a lot of snow) on the mountains. Early in April the cherry blossoms are beautiful in Washington D.C. (The most beautiful girl) can be the Queen at the festival. Many people come to see the Queen and the cherry blossoms.

4 Do you think that people in Japan can enjoy different kinds of spring? Why do you think so?

例(Yes), (I) (do), because we can see beautiful flowers in the warm areas and still can see snow in the cold areas in Japan like America. ※別解 because Japan is a long country from north to south. ※別解 because we can see cherry blossoms in March in Kyushu area, but we can see them in May in Hokkaido.