

Short Reading

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英文を読んで後の問いに答えなさい。

Akiko: I think that a cell phone is very useful. I can use it in many ways. For example, I can send e-mails to my friends, watch TV and movies, and take some pictures. When I read an English book and find some words I don't know, I can find their meanings by using it. By using the Internet on a cell phone, I can even read a story and a newspaper and get some information to do my homework. It is a good way to communicate with my friends. I can't think of a life without a cell phone. People can do many things with it. It is wonderful. So people should have cell phones because they are very useful.

Aya: A cell phone is very useful when I want to communicate with my friends. I usually use it to exchange messages and ideas with them. When I had some questions about homework, I sent e-mails about them to my friends. They soon sent me some good ideas and their ideas helped me very much. When I didn't have a cell phone, I had to work on my homework for a long time. But I have to be very careful because people have to pay money for using it. If I use it more, I have to pay more money. I get many messages every day and I don't know which ones are good. There are some problems with our cell phones. I think that it is very important for us to know them.

Keiko: My parents always say, "A cell phone isn't necessary. You have other important things to do." I think they are right. I don't have a cell phone, but I have never had any problems. I can't understand why many people like to use cell phones. My friends at school don't think like me, but I am not interested in cell phones. When I want to take pictures, I use a camera. When I want to watch a drama, I watch it on TV. When I want to call my friends, I use a telephone at home. I think people should know that there is a life without a cell phone. People can enjoy their lives even if they don't have cell phones.

Question 1: 本文中の3人の中から、次の図の様子に当てはまる人を1人選び、番号で答えなさい。

1. Akiko 2. Aya 3. Keiko ()



Question 2: 次の文のうち、本文の内容とあっていれば○を、間違っていれば×を () に書きなさい。

1. Akiko thinks that using a cell phone is one of the good ways to communicate with her friends.
2. Aya is afraid that she has to pay a lot of money because she uses a cell phone too much.
3. Some of Keiko's friends at school understand Keiko's opinion and they don't have cell phones, either. 1 () 2. () 3. ()

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