

## Lesson 2 Curry Travels around the World

### Listening Test

You will hear some conversations between two people. First, you will be asked to answer three questions about what the speakers say. Select the best response to each question and write A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet. After that, answer one more question by writing your ideas. The conversation will be spoken only one time.

(1) Why is curry popular in the UK?

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- B. British curry is famous all over the world.
- C. British people didn't have any other good foods.
- D. British people brought curry back from its colony, India.

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(2) How is the curry we eat now different from that eaten Japan in the past?

- A. The ingredients we use to make it are different.
- B. The way of eating it is different.
- C. The amount of spices we use to make it is different.
- D. The popularity of curry has changed.

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(3) Why is the woman talking about sushi?

- A. She wants to eat it.
- B. She needs to invent new foods.
- C. She wants to show another example of foods invented from original ones.
- D. She has to introduce it to the man.

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(4) In the conversations, the man says Japanese people are very good at inventing something new from things that come from overseas. Please write about another example you know.

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### スクリプト・解答

Listen.

M: Did you know Japanese curry is different from Indian curry?

F: Yes. There are many dishes similar to curry in India. There are stews with vegetables, meat and spices.

M: Curry is also very popular in the UK, too.

F: That's because India was a British colony and British people brought curry back with them to the UK. But British curry is also different from Indian curry. They invented a new type of curry.

M: A different type of curry was created in Japan, too. Green onions and frog meat were used in curry in the Meiji era. In the long history of Japanese curry, curry has been used with many foods such as noodles and bread. Japanese people are very good at inventing something new from things that come from overseas.

F: People in other countries also invent new foods from those which come from abroad. For example, some sushi made in other countries is different from that in Japan. There is even sushi made with strawberries and bananas!

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(4) (解答例) For example, from Chinese noodles, *ramen* was made. For another example, the dish called "Spaghetti Neapolitan" is based on Italian noodles.