In my (Lucas Denton) class we worked on a very limited set of English phrases from the textbook. I would like to request that teachers focus mainly on only the content that has been practiced in class.

The language content is as follows:

- What do you do in the morning/ after school/ at night/on the weekend?
- How often do you cook dinner/drink coffee/hang out with friends/stay up late?
- I always/usually/sometimes/never \_\_\_\_\_

Students were instructed to listen to recordings including these phrases and speak them out loud as homework.

In class, we used a worksheet to practice the flow of conversation in a very controlled manner. I will attach the worksheet at the end of this document.

In our first FT session I believe the main goal is for students and teachers to get to know each other while testing out the limited language they have practiced. To that end I asked students to think of questions they wanted to ask the teachers in Japanese and have provided them with a translated copy. I will attach this as well. Students have not practiced this language in class so it may be a challenge for them.

I am planning for the first 20 minutes to be focused on the language content specified above, and reserve the last 10 minutes for students to ask some of these questions to teachers.

In class, I taught students two communication strategies.

One is the echoing strategy – to repeat what your speaking partner said when you couldn't understand it.

One is the rephrasing strategy – using other words to convey a word you don't know how to say.

The above applies to my classes 英語  $| [ \ \ \ \ \ \ ] |$  on Tuesday first period, 英語  $| \ \ \ \ \ \ ]$  (5/9] on Tuesday second period, and 英語  $| \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ ]$  on Friday third period. Most students appear to have limited vocabulary knowledge and listening ability, so I would appreciate teachers speaking slowly and not challenging them too much at this stage.

Students in 英語 [観光①/4] on Friday fourth period generally have higher speaking ability and therefore more liberty can be taken with conversations. Thank you.

### Below is the worksheets used to practice controlled conversation in class

What do you do in the morning? 朝は後普段何してるの?

A. I check my phone.

B l exercise. 運動する C I go to university. 朝ごはんを食べる

D I have breakfast. 朝ごはんを食べる

What do you do after school?

放課後普段何してるの?

I study at \_\_\_\_ で勉強する I join my club activities 部活に参加する I play sports スポーツをやる I hang out with friends 友達と遊ぶ

What do you do at night?

夜は後普段何してるの?

I watch videos.

動画を観る

I listen to music.

音楽に聴く

I play games. ゲームする I have dinner.

晩御飯を食べる

What do you do on the weekend?

週末は後普段何してるの?

I sleep in. 寝坊する I hang out with friends.

友達と遊ぶ

I go to a café. カフェに行く I call my parents.

両親に電話する

### What do you do in the morning?

### 朝は後普段何してるの?

I check my phone.

スマホを見る



What do you use your phone for?

スマホで何するの?

I exercise.

運動する



How do you exercise?

何の運動してるの?

I go to university.

大学に行く



What do you study?

何を勉強してるの?

I have breakfast.

朝ごはんを食べる



What do you have for breakfast?

普段何食べてる?

### What do you do after school?

### 放課後普段何してるの?

友達と遊ぶ

普段友達と何するの?

### What do you do at night?

夜は後普段何してるの?

I watch videos.

動画を観る



What videos do you watch?

どんな動画を見る?

I listen to music.

音楽に聴く



What artists do you like?

好きなアーティストは?

I play games.

ゲームする



What games do you play?

ゲーム何やってるの?

I have dinner.

晩御飯を食べる



What's your favorite meal?

好きな食事は?

### What do you do on the weekend?

### 週末は後普段何してるの?

I sleep in.

寝坊する

What time do you wake up?

何時に起きる?

I hang out with friends.

友達と遊ぶ



Where do you go with your friends?

普段どこ行くの?

I go to a cafe.

カフェに行く



Do you drink coffee?

コーヒー飲む?

I call my parents.

両親に電話する



What do you talk about?

普段何の話してるの?

## Below are questions students expressed interest in asking their Filipino teachers

## フィリピン講師への質問

好きな色は? What's your favorite color?

好きなスポーツは? What sports do you like?

趣味は何ですか? What's your hobby? 朝何時に起きてる? What time do you wake up?

おすすめなスポットは? What's a nice travel spot in the Philippines?

> 好きな映画は? What movies do you like?

日本文化の好きなところは何ですか? What is your favorite part of Japanese culture?

> フィリピンで何が有名ですか? What is famous in the Phillipines?

> > 好きな動物は? What animal do you like?

何歳ですか? How old are you?

日本が好きですか? Are you a fan of Japan?

好きな言葉は? What's your favorite phrase?

元気? Are you doing well?

良く使う言葉は何ですか?

好きな食べ物は? What food do you like?

What phrase do you often use?

好きな音楽は? What music do you like?

日本の好きなアーティストは? What Japanese music artist do you like?

> 何の車を持ってる? What car do you have?

朝ごはんは? What do you eat for breakfast?

好きな食べ物は? What's your favorite food?

> 趣味は何ですか? What's your hobby?

身長は何ですか? How tall are you?

人気なスポーツは? What sports are famous in the Phillippines?

> 好きなアニメは? What anime do you like?

好きな歌は? What's your favorite song?

日本の好きな食べ物は? What Japanese food do you like?

フィリピンの人気な場所 What's a nice travel spot in the Philippines? 好きなアーティストは誰ですか? What's your favorite artist?

日本の好きなところは? What do you like about Japan?

好きなスポーツは? What sports do you like?

好きな音楽は? What music do you like?

フィリピンで有名な日本人いますか? Who is a famous Japanese person in the Phillipines?

> 好きな映画は何ですか? What movie do you like?

好きな言葉は? What's your favorite phrase?

どんな国に行ったことありますか? What countries have you been to?

フィリピンのいいところは何ですか? What's the best point of the Philippines?