



# 英文科 Newsletter

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## New Teacher

A big welcome back to everyone. After a month of delays, we have finally started classes. Some things are the same as always, and there are some new things as well. Perhaps you have noticed that we have a new teacher in the English department? Dr. Shogo Saito is our new linguistics teacher.

"Hello. I am glad to see you. I am a linguistics teacher particularly in charge of "syntax" and "language acquisition." These terms may be alien to most of you (may be, all of you ...), and you may avoid taking these subjects. I really understand it because I thought so. However, I want you not to consider them too difficult. They are only new to you. Now, I am crazy for linguistics.

Language has many aspects and linguistics has many research topics. I hope that at least one of them is interesting for you, and you will find it. It does not matter whether your topic is academic. For example, your topic may be the words or expressions you like or those which you often use. If you want to know language more, please tell me. I will help you."

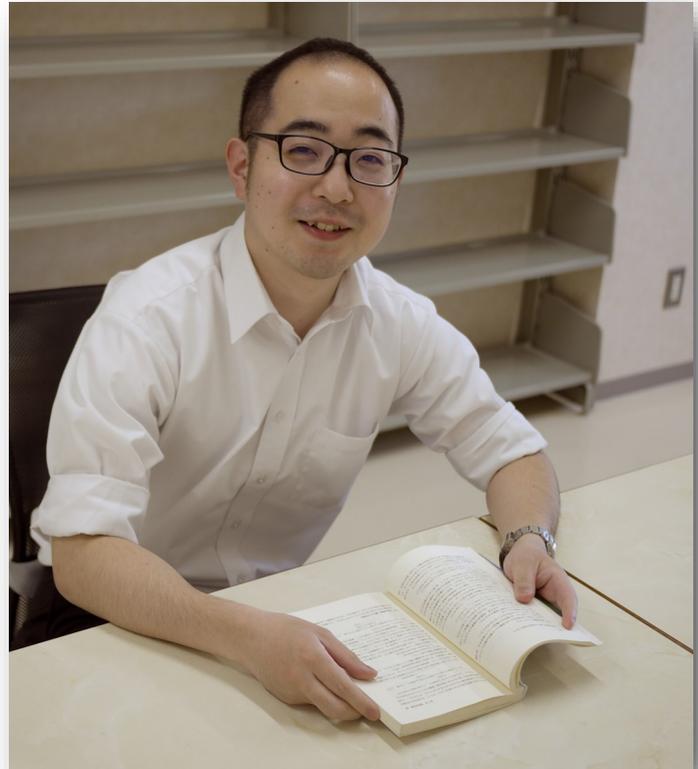


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## Announcements:

- ⇒ **Soukai** – At the Soukai, we talk about the events and activities that eibun will do in the coming year. Due to the corona virus, this year the soukai will consist of information being distributed. If any students have any questions, come talk to any of the eibun teachers!
- ⇒ **English Lunch!** If you want to chat in English for a bit, stop by the International Exchange room during lunch time on Tuesdays. You can stay for the whole lunch time, or just stop by to chat for a few minutes.

## STUDYING TIPS

Increase your vocabulary by reading! Read the **Graded Readers** in the library. Choose a level that's good for you and read it without using a dictionary. Read many easier books and slowly try harder ones. Reading in English is important!

### Graded Readers:



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