

## Episode2-08

### いざ、キャンプ・キンコラへ

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#### 物語本文

When June arrived and summer vacation began, Ken's parents had an idea.

"Ken, we want you to attend summer camp," his father said.

"You'll spend two weeks in the mountains with other children.

It'll be a great experience!"

Two weeks? Ken couldn't imagine such a long time away from home. It seemed like forever.

His mother helped him pack some clothes in a backpack.

A few days later, he climbed aboard the bus to Camp Kinkora.

It was full of kids, and most of them seemed happy and excited.

As the bus departed, Ken waved goodbye to his parents and sister.

He missed them already.

#### 問題文と選択肢

### Why did Ken join the summer camp?

- ① Because it was only two weeks long.
- ② Because he wanted to make new friends.
- ③ Because his parents wanted him to go.

答え **③ Because his parents wanted him to go.**

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## ワンポイントアドバイス



6月、夏休みが始まりケンはサマーキャンプに行くことになりました。しかも両親の希望で行くことになったため、ケンの本心は不安でいっぱい。2週間も家族と離れることが、まるで永遠の別れのように感じてしまいます。でも新しい友達や楽しい思い出が待っているよ！さあ、いよいよ出発の時です。ここでの重要表現は“Ken, we want you to attend summer camp,” his father said. (ケン、私たちはあなたにサマーキャンプに行ってほしい、とお父さんは言いました。)です。want (人) to do の表現は「(人)に～してほしい」と期待する表現です。もう一つ His mother helped him pack some clothes in a backpack. (彼のお母さんは、彼がバックパックに服を入れることを手伝った。)です。こちらは help (人) do という表現で「(人)が～するのを手伝う」となります。want と help では目的語に不定詞[to+動詞の原形]と原形不定詞[toがなく動詞の原形のみ]を使い分けるのでしっかり整理しておきましょう。



### エピソード2-08で覚えたい単語

- spend 過ごす
- attend 出席 [参加] する
- had an idea 考えがあった
- other 他の
- imagine 想像する
- away from home 家から離れて
- It seemed like ～のように思えた
- climb aboard (バス・飛行機・船などに) 乗り込む
- most of them 彼らのほとんどは
- depart 出発する
- miss～ ～がいなくて [なくて] 寂しく思う