**Transcript 1**

Tom: I heard that in Finland, a robot called Elias can speak 23 language. This robot teaches many subjects like languages and maths to school students.

Lan: Wow! Can it interact with students?

Tom: Yes, Students can practise English with Elias in real time. Elias can even do a Gangnam style dance for the students.

Lan: Sounds exciting. I think children would enjoy studying in a class with Elias.

Tom: Exactly! This robot is patient and doesn’t feel tired repeating words. It can also questions that are suitable for the students’ level.

Lan: So students can answer questions which are not too difficult, and they won’t feel embarrassed when they make mistakes, right?

Tom: Definitely.I think one day robot teaches will replace human teachers.

Lan: I don’t think so. They can’t teach students how to behave.

Tom: Hmm…That’s true. Also robots don’t have emotional connections with students like humans do.

Lan: One more thing is that robots can’t solve problem between students…

 **Transcript 2**

Randall: Hello. Today I'm interviewing Joshua on his experiences going to a Japanese school. Now Joshua, what time do you go to school?

Joshua: Eight O'clock.

Randall: Eight O'clock. And do you go by yourself, or on a school bus?

Joshua: No, I have a group that goes with me.

Randall: So you go with a group?

Joshua: Uh-huh.

Randall: Now what kinds of things do you take to school?

Joshua: I take my taiso fuku, that is gym clothes, and I take my backpack and my books [ Oh, okay. ] and stuff like that.

Randall: Okay and what is the first thing you do when you get to school?

Joshua: We do "kiritsu, rei."

Randall: "Kiritsu" and "rei." Now what are those?

Joshua: It means "stand up, bow."

Randall: Stand up and bow.

Joshua: Uh-huh.

Randall: And what do you study at school?

Joshua: We study kokugo, that is writing and reading and stuff like that [ Okay], and sansu, that's math. [ Okay. ]. And, let's see . . . , we do gym too.

Randall: Okay, and where do you eat lunch? Do you have a lunchroom or cafeteria?

Joshua: No, we eat in our classroom.

Randall: You eat in your classroom! [ Yeah. ]. Oh wow. That is very interesting. Now what time do you come home from school?

Joshua: We come home sometimes at 3:00 and sometimes at 2:00.

Randall: Okay, well thank you very much Joshua.

Joshua: You're welcome.