

## DANGER ACTION

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phones is bad for our health. If we use smartphones for extended periods of time, our eyesight will decline. From these examples, The Eishinkan Times would like to take a stand and stress that walking with smartphones is very dangerous. Certain states in America have introduced regulations about walking with smartphones. Japan should consider something similar to decrease accidents.

Recently, "Pokemon Go" was released in Japan. Now, it is a very popular game all around the world. People play this game by walking around and using a smartphone, and this has led to various accidents in many places. For example, one person fell from a cliff in America, while another person fell into a rice paddy in Japan. Others have run red lights. People are behaving dangerously. They don't look around. They may cause big ac-

cidents. To play "Pokemon Go" is a lot of fun for everyone, but we should abstain from walking with smartphones as much as we can. When we play games on smartphones, we must be aware of the things around us. This is one way we can decrease the number of accidents caused by walking with smartphones.

Actually, walking with smartphones has caused a lot of other accidents. Examples of accidents when walking with smartphones include falling into an irrigation canal, tripping on a pole and falling down, and falling from the platform at a train station. Often, these accidents result in death; 152 people have been taken to the hospital over the last five years because of walking with smartphones in Japan.

A lot of accidents like these are happening because of walking with smartphones. Why did they happen? Because people

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she caught a glimpse of a boy who disappeared. However, once a person enters this house, they can't leave it. For this reason, it is called "the curse house." A spiritualist named Keizo thinks of a way to help them. Her idea is to watch "the curse video" in "the curse house" to make the two ghosts who were behind the curses fight each other. To see what happens next, you must watch the movie! It is showing now at most theaters!

"Yokai Watch" is enjoying a boom among children. "GeGeGe no Kitaro" is loved by many

generations. Spooky stories remain in local neighborhoods. Yokai are familiar to many Japanese people. This time, between them we will write about GeGeGe no Kitaro. GeGeGe no Kitaro is a Japanese manga by Shigeru Mizuki. It stars Kitaro, a strong hero with a sense of justice. The story is about fighting the bad yokai in order to create a peaceful world where humans and yokai can coexist. People who are bad at dealing with scary things can even be friends with some of these Yokai.

One Yokai that is very well-liked is Ittan-momen. Ittan-momen is a Yokai transmitted to



scary tunnel

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Danger scene

don't look around when walking with smartphones. Therefore, walking with smartphones is very dangerous. Recently, walking with smartphones has been increasing again because of smartphone games. Regulations

for walking with smartphones" are truly getting to be seen as necessary.

By Ayami Yokoyama, Mari Kubota and Sae Nomiyama

the west of Japan, to the center of Kagoshima Prefecture.

Please consider reading this manga. It is interesting!

A short ghost story by The Eishinkan Times

A certain boy lives during a time of war. He has no parents. They were killed by someone.

One day, he sees a man run by with a sad face. He is carrying a knife that is crimson red. The boy feels scared, so he runs away like him, too.

However, he noticed one

thing. He had met this person before. He suddenly remembered what he had done.

For a week, he had nothing to eat. His father and mother had gone mad. In their desperation, they were going to sell him. How sad he felt...and how angry.

Finally, he stopped in the street and gasped, for the person he saw had actually been him, shortly after killing his parents.

By Hiroto Kimura, Keito Sasaki, Mami Yoshida and Haruka Motoyama

### NOTICE TO READERS

At first, it took a lot of time for our students to find the themes. Not a few of them are good at writing.

Thanks to a native teacher Sam, however, gradually they became interested in this work. Particularly, they enjoyed talking with Sam, asking how to write what they thought. That was a great experience for them, I'm sure.

