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(ア) When Jim was on the bus, ...

ジムがバスに乗っていたとき

④ about twenty people were on it.

約20人の人がバスに乗っていた。

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Jim : Yesterday afternoon I was on a bus. There were about twenty people on it.

(イ) Why was Jim a little sad on the bus ?

なぜジムはバスで少しかなしかったのですか。

② Because he couldn't give his seat to the woman and her children.

なぜなら彼は自分の席をその女の人と子供にゆずることができなかったから。

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Jim : I wanted to help the woman and her children, but I couldn't. I couldn't stand up and
 ぼくは女の人と子どもを助けたかった。 しかしできなかった。 立って
 give my seat to them because I didn't know what to say to them. I was a little sad on
 自分の席をゆずることができなかった、なぜなら何と云っていいのかわからなかった。ぼくはバスで少し悲しかった。
 the bus. That's the bad news.

(ウ) What can we say about Jim ?

ジムについて何を言うことができるか

① He says it is difficult to learn Japanese.

彼は日本語を学ぶことはむずかしいと言っている。

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Jim : *Doumo* ? *Doumo* sounds like *douzo* to me. It is difficult to learn Japanese.

どうも? どうもは私にとってどうぞのように聞こえる。日本語を学ぶことは難しい。

(エ)

1. On the train, the old woman said to Jim, "Doumo," so he said to her, "Doumo," too.

2. It was exciting for Taro to give his seat to other people.

③ Jim gave the old woman his seat on the train.

4. Taro said, "Learning other languages is more difficult than learning Japanese."

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seat near the door on the train. At a station, an old woman came into the train. Jim stood up
 駅で、おばあさんが、電車に乗ってきた。 ジムは立って
to give his seat to the old woman.
 おばあさんに彼の席をゆずった。