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音声を聴いて、次の単語（熟語）を書きとって下さい。また、その意味を日本語で書いて下さい。

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(解答)

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| 1. torch             | たいまつ   | *イギリス英語では「懐中電灯」       |
| 2. spectator         | 観客     | *聴衆は audience         |
| 3. occupancy         | 占有率    | *occupy: 占める          |
| 4. plummet           | 急落する   |                       |
| 5. skyrocket         | 急騰する   |                       |
| 6. exodus            | 脱出     | *Exodus: 出エジプト記(旧約聖書) |
| 7. landmark          | 歴史的建造物 |                       |
| 8. halve             | 半分にする  |                       |
| 9. estimate          | 見積もる   |                       |
| 10. venue            | 開催地    |                       |
| 11. organizer        | 主催者    |                       |
| 12. bold             | 大胆な    |                       |
| 13. carbon footprint | 炭素の排出量 |                       |

6. exodus は、多くの人々がいっせいに、一つの場所から別の場所へ移住・避難することを指します。  
旧約聖書「出エジプト記」(Exodus) には、指導者モーセがイスラエル民族を率いてエジプト脱出をした歴史が書かれています。有名な音楽グループの名前 Exile (亡命、放浪者の意味) も、Exodus と語源は同じで、ラテン語の exilium (追放、流刑地) から来ています。

## Many hotel rooms predicted to be empty during Paris Olympics

1 The Olympic flame of Paris 2024 arrived at the renowned Old Port of Marseille on May 8<sup>th</sup> evening. More than 150,000 spectators gathered for the grand ceremony as France's Olympic swimming champion Florent Manaudou, carrying the torch, became the first torchbearer. The flame spreads a message of peace and friendship between peoples.

② More than 15 million visitors are expected to come to Paris during the Summer Olympics, which will take place from July 26<sup>th</sup> to August 11<sup>th</sup>. However, French hotels have been left in ①a precarious position. The French hospitality consulting firm MKG expects hotel occupancy to be between 60 and 70 % during the Olympics, compared to 90.7% occupancy in July 2023. This means: around one in ( ② ) hotel rooms in the city to be empty during the period.

③ At the beginning of February, the average price for one night in Paris was €522 (¥88,000) during the Olympics, according to figures from the French tourism office. However, ③prices have plummeted from the heights they hit last September when the average was €759 (¥129,000).

④ Frédéric Hocquard, the deputy mayor of Paris, said, "We told hoteliers not to raise prices too much, because people will go elsewhere, especially to Airbnb. The law of supply and ( ④ ) has played out, and prices have dropped."

⑤ Prices for hotel rooms in Paris during the Olympics are declining, although they remain well above the usual rates. (In July 2023, a hotel room in Paris cost an average of €202.) Meanwhile, the number of listings on ⑤Airbnb has skyrocketed.

renowned=well-known    torch たいまつ    precarious 不安定な    consulting firm コンサルティング会社  
figure 数字・桁    deputy mayor 副市長    hotelier ホテル経営者    ★( )

Q1 When did the Olympics torch relay start? (Where did the flame come from?)

Q2 Who became the first runner to carry the Olympic Flame in France?

**Q3** What does the Olympics flame stand for?

Q4 How many people are expected to come to Paris during the Olympics? (How many live in the city?)

Q5 下線①について、詳しく説明しましょう。また、空欄②に適切な数字を入れましょう。

Q6 下線③：五輪期間中のパリのホテル宿泊費は、昨年 9 月から今年 2 月にかけて、どのように変化しましたか。

Q7 下線③のように宿泊費が変化したのは、パリ市がホテル経営者にどのようにお願いしたからですか。

Q8 文脈から考えて、空欄④に適切な語を入れましょう。

Q9 下は下線⑤について説明した文である。空欄に適切な語を入れましょう。

Airbnb is a website and app where people can share their own homes or apartment with travelers who need a place to stay. Instead of (a. \_\_\_\_\_)ing a room in a hotel, you can stay in someone's home. Airbnb is popular because it is usually (b. \_\_\_\_\_)er than staying in a hotel.

6 More and more Parisians are offering their apartments for rent to cash in on this opportunity. Most of them rent out their rooms in Airbnb, and leave Paris to avoid overcrowded public transport. (By the way, there is a mass exodus from Paris every July and August because Parisians try to escape from the summer heat.)

7 Airbnb has noted an increase in Paris listings from 70,000 at the end of 2023 up to 130,000 this May. Airbnb also initially priced high, but recently have seen similar price drops.

8 So, if you are looking for a hotel room in Paris during the Olympics this summer, it is possible, but only if you can afford it.



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cash in on ~:~から利益を得る・~につけ込む      rent out 賃貸に出す      ★(      )

Q10 Why do many Parisians leave Paris during the summer Olympics? Give two reasons.

Q11 Please give more than two good points of staying in an Airbnb.

Q12 Do you want to rent out your room on Airbnb in the future?

	【オリンピックまで2か月】パリで宿泊費に異変 高騰後、値下がり…背景に何が? [日テレ News] <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OXz6dj7dY0U&amp;t=34s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OXz6dj7dY0U&amp;t=34s</a>
	海外の宿探し!初めてでも安心 ☆ Airbnb の使い方! [#497] <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jLIN9ZjSwRE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jLIN9ZjSwRE</a> 少し古い(2016年)動画ですが、バイリンガール Chika さんが Airbnb について説明してくれます。

# Three unique facts of 2024 Paris Olympics

## 1. Opening Ceremony

1 2024 Paris Olympics opening ceremony is unique in several regards. For the first time ever, the opening ceremony will not be held in a stadium, but on the Seine River. Athletes and dignitaries will float down the river in a total of 160 boats.

2 The 6-km aquatic parade route will pass some of Paris's most iconic landmarks, such as Notre-Dame, the Louvre, the Pont des Arts, the Musée d'Orsay and so on. The parade route ends at Trocadéro, where athletes will leave their boats and continue the ceremony on land, with views of the Eiffel Tower.

3 This March, Interior Minister Gerald Darmanin announced that a total of 326,000 tickets would be sold or given away for the opening ceremony. Organizers once estimated 600,000 spectators, but scaled back their plans in the face of resistance from French security services and worries about terror attacks.

4 "We will have 104,000 spectators who have paid for a ticket, and 222,000 people with free tickets." He estimated that another 200,000 people would watch the open-air parade on July 26 along the river from buildings that overlook the Seine, with an additional 50,000 in fanzones in the capital.



in several regards いくつかの点で dignitary 代表団の人々 aquatic 水の iconic 象徴的な Notre-Dame ノートルダム大聖堂 the Louvre ルーブル美術館 the Pont des Arts 芸術の橋 the Musée d'Orsay オルセー美術館 Trocadéro トロカデロ広場 Interior Minister 内務大臣 scale back 規模を縮小する additional 追加の fanzone ファンゾーン(公式のイベントスペース) ★( )

Q1 Where will the opening ceremony of Paris Olympics be held?

Q2 Paris has many landmarks and sightseeing places. Which one do you want to visit most? Why?

Q3 主催者が開会式の規模を縮小した理由は何ですか。日本語で説明しましょう。

Q4 How can you see the opening ceremony of Paris Olympics for free? Give two ways.

	Paris' Radical Effort to Make the Iconic Seine Swimmable. Again. <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RhbeVoQCWc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RhbeVoQCWc</a> パリ五輪では、セーヌ川でオープンウォータースイミングとトライアスロンが行われます。パリ市は1900年のパリ五輪のように、セーヌ川を再び遊泳できるようにするため、水質改善に力を入れています。
	Paris to hold 'most accessible' opening ceremony of 2024 Olympics on River Seine · FRANCE 24 <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LHBWJ-fwMok">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LHBWJ-fwMok</a>

## 2. Paris aims to host the most sustainable Olympics ever

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4 Secondly, Paris promises to deliver the most sustainable and the ①greenest Games. The organizers have planned to halve the Games-related carbon footprint compared to previous Games, limiting CO2 emissions to around 1.75 million tons. Previous summer Olympics, which include Tokyo 2020, Rio 2016 and London 2012, have emitted an average of 3.5 million tons of CO2.

5 Paris has also pledged to halve the amount of single-use plastic that will be used. Spectators of the Olympics are not allowed to bring in plastic bottles. They need to enter with their own reusable bottles. In addition, Worldwide Olympic Partner Coca-Cola will install 700 water and soda fountains across all Olympics sites, and the organizers will install free drinking water points.

6 The previous Olympics host countries have brought big spending on new venues. But 95% of the Paris Olympics will take place in existing buildings.

## 3. Games Wide Open

7 Paris has made a bold promise to host the most “open” Games in history. “Games Wide Open” is the slogan for the Paris Olympic Games in 2024. On the evening of August 10<sup>th</sup>, ②“Marathon for All” will take place. It is the first event in the history of the Olympics in which amateur runners can run the same course as the Olympic marathon athletes.

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green 環境問題に対して意識が高い

plant-based 植物由来の、野菜中心の

single-use 使い捨ての

fountain 水飲み場

Q5 下線①について：この文脈での green の意味を、英語で説明しましょう。

Q6 パリ五輪では、CO2 排出量について、どのような目標を掲げていますか。日本語で説明しましょう。

Q7 What are the spectators banned to bring in to the stadium?

Q8 How will Coca-Cola and the organizers provide water to the spectators?

Q9 How did Paris keep down the running cost of the Olympic Games?

Q10 下線②はどのようなイベントか、説明しましょう。

★次の文を暗唱しましょう。

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  2. More and more Parisians are offering their apartments for rent to cash in on this opportunity.
  3. For the first time ever, the opening ceremony will not be held in a stadium, but on the Seine River.
  4. The organizers have planned to halve the carbon footprint compared to previous Games, limiting CO2 emissions to around 1.75 million tons.
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1. MKG (ホテル産業コンサルティング会社) は、オリンピック期間中のホテルの宿泊予約率が 60~70%になると予測しています。
2. この機会を利用するため、アパートを貸し出すパリ市民が増えています。
3. (オリンピック) 史上始めて、開会式がスタジアム内でなく、セーヌ川で行われます。  
★not A but B : A ではなく B
4. 主催者は、過去のオリンピックと比較して炭素排出量を半分にし、二酸化炭素の排出を 1.75 トンに制限することを計画しています。