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English / 英語

Name / 氏名

Ellen RETTIG-MIKI

Home country or region / 出身国・地域

USA

Languages I speak / 話せる言語

English and some Japanese

Academic specialties / 専門

TESOL

Hobbies or interests / 趣味・特技

I enjoy reading fiction, cooking, taking long walks, knitting, and sewing.

How I learned foreign languages When I was a student /

学生時代どのように外国語を学習したか

I mostly learned foreign languages through classes I took at school (Spanish classes in high school and Japanese classes at university and afterwards). I studied a lot with textbooks and also working with private teachers. Speaking in situations that require Japanese in daily life has been a great way to improve.

A message to students learning foreign languages /外国語を学ぶ学生へのメッセージ

Learning to use a foreign language well take time and energy, but it is absolutely worth it! It is really satisfying to be able to communicate with people from other countries without having to rely on technology--just being able to express what you want!