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Exercise Every day!



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Do you exercise regularly? Regular exercise is important to grow well and stay healthy. However, many students don't have enough time to exercise because of their busy schedules. In order to help students exercise more often, the Seoul Metropolitan Office of Education 서울시교육청 came up with a great program called "7560 Exercise." The number 7560 means that students need to workout over 60 minutes (60) every day, five (5) times a week (7). Teachers and parents plan to encourage students to exercise outside in the morning, during lunchtime, and after school. "We are planning to prepare more exercise programs for students in the near future," an official from the education office said. As the saying goes, "A sound mind in a sound body," you need to have a healthy body first in order to live a happy life! ☞

Staff reporter Lauren Kim

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From now on, people won't be allowed to smoke at parks and beaches in California. The new law was passed on March 22. Under the new law, all 278 parks and 64 beaches will be smoke-free. California became the first American state to ban smoking at all parks. The state will fine 100 dollars (about 110,000 won) if someone smokes in the no-smoking areas. However, smoking will still be allowed in some parking lots and campgrounds. California came up with the strict law to protect people from second-hand smoke as well as the environment around beaches and parks. Cigarette butts contain 200 known poisons. Recent studies have shown that the toxicity of just one cigarette butt is enough to kill half of the fish swimming in a liter of water. Most people welcome the new law and many other states are planning to follow California and also enforce a strict smoking ban.

Staff reporter Sarah Choi

California Bans Smoking at All Parks and Beaches

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1. Happy Mother's Day!

March 21 was Mother's Day in Jordan. On this day, children in the country thank their mothers for their love. In the picture, the children are dancing and singing for their mothers at an elementary school in Amman. Their mothers must have been very happy!



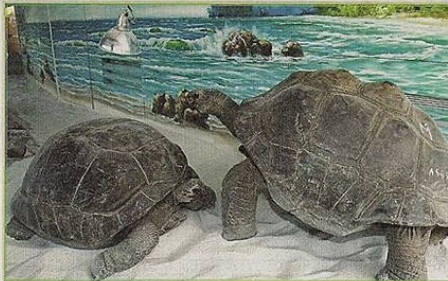
2. Let's Dance with Nichkhun!

Look at the picture. One of the members of 2PM, Nichkhun is dancing a traditional Thai dance with his fan! Currently, he is a Goodwill Ambassador of Thailand for tourism. On March 21, he participated in an event in Seoul to promote the Songkran Festival, Thailand's traditional water festival. It is held every year in April.



3. Happy St. Patrick's Day!

On March 17, people in Northern Ireland celebrated St. Patrick's Day. It is the most important holiday in Ireland. The day is celebrated every year to honor St. Patrick. He is an Irish patron saint. In the picture, the three children are dressed up like sunflowers. Aren't they cute?



4. How Do We Look?

On March 18, a pair of Aldabra land turtles were opened to the public at a zoo in Daejeon. They are rare animals. They came from the Republic of Seychelles. The female is 83 years old and weighs 85 kg. The male is 95 years old and weighs 120 kg! They are very old and huge! And of course, rare!

Staff reporter Ellina Bae

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JAPANESE TEACHERS DEAL WITH MONSTER PARENTS

All parents try to take good care of their children. They always worry about their children's health, safety, school work, and many other things. Parents in Japan are no different. But these days, some Japanese parents are overeager about their children. They often push teachers to do something more for their children. In order to help teachers deal with the pushy parents, the Tokyo city government published a special handbook!

Such overeager parents are nicknamed "monster parents" in Japan. Sadly, the number of such parents is increasing in the country. They often request odd things from teachers such as washing their children's gym suits, clipping fingernails, and checking the weather forecast to decide if umbrellas are needed.

Monster parents are serious problems in Japan these days. A growing number of school teachers are suffering from stress. Some teachers even get sick and quit their jobs. Soon, a special guidebook will help them cope with these monster parents.

The Tokyo city government will distribute a handbook to provide teachers tips on how to deal with pushy mothers and fathers. More than 60,000 teachers in Tokyo's public schools will receive a copy of the handbook this month. The book will offer practical tips on how to handle difficult parents and complaints.

Let's hope the handbook will work and help the Japanese teachers! And let's hope Korea won't develop such monster parents problems!

Staff reporter Dan Chun

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Scientists Invent 3-D Cloak




Wouldn't it be cool to have a special cloak that could make you invisible? The popular, fictional boy wizard Harry Potter had one! In the near future, you may also be able to have one! Recently, British and German scientists have created a magical cloak! It is a 3-dimensional cape that can hide objects and make objects invisible. It is the first 3-D cloak in the world! The cloak is made up of special lenses that bend light waves to suppress light as it scattered from a tiny bump the researchers were trying to make disappear. "This is a very exciting invention because mankind has always thought about being invisible or having invisibility cloaks," said Tolga Ergin, who led the research. "We proved for the first time that an invisibility cloak is possible. Our technique worked! But it will take several more years before anything as large as a person, car or tank could be made to disappear with this technique." The European research team published their study last Thursday in the American journal *Science*. Let's hope the scientists will eventually develop a cloak that can make humans invisible. I can't wait to have one!

Staff reporter Liz Ahn




3-D 망토를 발명한 과학자들 cloak 망토 / invisible 보이지 않는 / fictional 소설의, 허구적인 / recently 최근에 / magical 마법의 / 3-dimensional 3차원의 / hide 숨기다 / object 물체 / be made up of ~으로 이루어지다 / bend 구부린다 / light wave 광파 / suppress 누르다, 억제하다 / scatter 흩어지다, 흩뿌리다 / tiny bump 작은 돌기 / disappear 사라지다 / invention 발명품 / invisibility 눈에 보이지 않음 / prove 증명하다 / technique 기술 / develop 개발하다



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Think & Talk



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How to Protect Yourself from Yellow Sand

Every year, many Asian countries suffer from the yellow sand storms. They usually occur in spring. The yellow dust comes from the dry desert areas of China and Mongolia. The yellow dust can cause various health problems because it contains heavy metals. It is important to know how to protect yourself from the harmful yellow dust. Here, Jina and Sodam are talking about the topic.






Jina: Cough! Cough! My throat hurts because of the yellow sand.

Sodam: My eyes hurt, too. And I have a headache.

Jina: Hey, you should remove your contact lenses and wear your glasses instead. You see, the dust can scratch your lenses and damage your eyes.

Sodam: You are right. I will wear my glasses and stay inside. And I will keep the windows and doors closed.

Jina: Sadly, according to the weather forecast, another heavy yellow sand storm will hit Seoul this weekend.

Sodam: Really? My family is planning to go to an amusement park on Saturday. We will have to cancel our plan.

Jina: We should avoid outdoor activities when the yellow sand storm occurs. Usually the yellow dust

contains a lot of harmful compounds.

Sodam: That's why I feel so sick these days. Cough! Cough!

Jina: You have to make sure to wear a mask to protect your nose and throat when going outside during the yellow sand storm.

Sodam: My teacher said that drinking a lot of water is helpful. Also, eating pork and fresh vegetables and fruits can help you fight against the yellow dust.

Jina: But you have to wash vegetables and fruits carefully since they may have been exposed to the yellow dust.

Sodam: After returning home, wash your hands, face and eyes with warm water. And brush your teeth.

Jina: That's a good idea. I love spring but these yellow sand storms are really terrible.

Staff reporter Dan Chun

황사로부터 여러분을 보호하는 방법 suffer from ~을 고생하다, ~일 경우 / occur 일어나다, 발생하다 / yellow dust 황사 / dry desert area 건조한 사막 지역 / Mongolia 몽고 (아시아 중동부 지역) / cause 일으키다 / various 다양한 / contain 포함하다 / heavy metal 중금속 / protect 보호하다, 지키다 / harmful 해로운 / cough 기침 / throat 목 / hurt 아프다 / because of ~때문에 / headache 두통 / remove 제거하다, 없애다 / contact lenses 콘택트렌즈 / wear glasses 안경을 쓴다 / instead ~대신에 / scratch 긁다 / damage 훼손하다, 피해를 입히다 / keep windows and doors closed 창과 문 닫아놓다 / according to ~에 따르면 / weather forecast 날씨 예보 / hit 강타하다 / amusement park 놀이 공원 / cancel 취소하다 / outdoor activity 야외활동 / compound 혼합물, 합성물 / vegetable 채소 / be exposed to ~에 노출되다 / return 돌아오다 / brush one's teeth 이빨 닦다

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A Surfing Alpaca?

Animals can do many cool tricks. I'm sure you've seen animal shows before. Many different kinds of animals show off their special talents. But have you ever seen an alpaca that could surf?





Today, many people all over the world enjoy surfing. Some people even go surfing with their pets! If you visit Peru, you will be able to see a very special animal enjoying surfing! Just take a look at the picture. The alpaca is riding a surf board!

The man in the picture is Domingo Pianezzi. He is a 44-year-old Peruvian surfer. He often participates in international surfing contests. When he visited Australia for a competition several months ago, he saw unusual scenes.

"I saw people surfing with kangaroos and koalas," said Mr. Pianezzi. "In fact, I've surfed with a dog, a parrot, a hamster, and a cat. But I thought that as a Peruvian, it would be interesting

to surf with a unique animal that represents Peru." So, he came up with the idea of hitting the waves with an alpaca!

The alpaca is a South American highland animal. Peruvians raise alpacas for their warm wool. "Since alpacas represent Peru, I started training my domesticated alpaca, Pisco, to ride the waves. "Unlike dogs, alpacas don't like to jump into the sea for a swim. But Pisco is getting used to the water," he explained.

Some people have criticized him for mistreating Pisco by taking the mountain animal into the ocean. However, some regard him as an innovator. What do you think?

Staff reporter Samuel Sohn

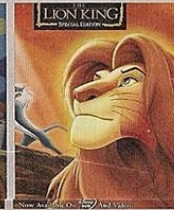
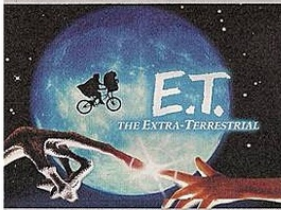
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E.T. Is the Best Children's Movie of All Time



Recently, an online market research company, www.onepoll.com, chose "E.T." as the greatest children's film ever. The movie was directed by the famous American film director, Steven Spielberg, in 1982. "E.T." is a story about a friendship between a boy and an alien.

In the recent poll, most voters chose "E.T." as the best children's movie. In the movie, a UFO makes an emergency landing on Earth and an alien gets lost. A boy named Eliot finds the alien and brings him home. Soon, they become best friends and protect each other. They do many fun things together, too. Living on Earth with Eliot and his family is very fun for E.T. but he wants to go back to his home planet. He misses his own family, too. Eliot and his friends

help him get back home.

This heart-warming story of a friendly alien is still loved by many kids all over the world. The movie even beat modern blockbusters such as "Shrek" and "Finding Nemo" to be named the greatest ever children's movie.


The second most popular film for children turned out to be "Toy Story." "Mary Poppins," "The Lion King," and "The Wizard of Oz" were also chosen among the top 5 movies for children. There are many other great movies for kids. Why don't you make a list of your favorite movies, too?

Staff reporter Erica Choi

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CLEAN WATER IS IMPORTANT!

Water is very necessary in our lives. We need water every day for cooking, washing, drinking, and farming. We cannot survive without water. Sadly, however, many people in the world still don't have access to clean water.



Most people in Korea have access to clean water every day. If you turn on the tap, clean water pours out. Getting safe drinking water is not a big problem, either. On the other hand, many people in Africa and Asia are dying because of dirty drinking water. Today, about 900 million people around the world do not have access to a safe source of clean water.


In order to raise awareness about the importance of clean water, the world celebrates World Water Day on March 22 every year. It was established by the United Nations (UN) 국제연합 in 1992. The main purpose of the day is to promote public awareness of the need to conserve and protect fresh water supplies.

According to UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon, more people die from unsafe water than from war. "Dirty water kills more people than war," Mr. Ban said in a message on March 22 to mark World Water Day. "Increasing water quality is very important because water affects every aspect of our lives. Yet, nearly one billion people around the world don't have clean drinking water," he added.

Clean water is vital in our lives. Therefore, it is important to keep water clean and safe. Saving water is also very important. The UN recently warned that more than 2.7 billion people will face severe water shortages by the year 2025 if the world continues consuming water at the same rate as today.

To our surprise, Korea is one of the countries that lack water. Let's protect our environment and save water. We need to take action to protect freshwater sources before it's too late!

Staff reporter Crystal Lim



깨끗한 물은 중요해요! cooking 요리 / farming 농사 / survive 생존하다, 살아남다 / sadly 안타깝게도 / have access to -에 접근할 수 있다, -을 이용할 수 있다 / turn on 켜다, 돌리다 / tap 수도꼭지 / pour out 쏟아져 나오다 / safe 안전한, 안심할 수 있는 / not ~ either ~도 또한 아니다 / on the other hand 반면에 / because of -때문에 / in order to ~하기 위해서 / raise awareness 인식을 높이다(고취시키다) / celebrate 기념하다 / be established 제정되다 / purpose 목적 / promote 고취하다, 증진하다 / conserve 보전(보존)하다, 아끼다 / water supply 상수도 / according to -에 따르면 / UN Secretary-General 유엔 사무총장 / mark 표시하다, 기념하다 / increase 증가하다 / water quality 수질 / aspect 측면, 양상 / yet 하지만, 아직 / add 덧붙이다 / vital 필수적인, 중요한 / therefore 따라서 / save 아끼다, 절약하다 / recently 최근에 / warn 경고하다 / face 직면하다 / severe 극심한 / shortage 부족 / continue -ing 계속 ~ 하다 / consume 먹다, 소비하다 / at the same rate 동일한 비율로 / to one's surprise 놀라게도 / lack 부족하다 / take action 조치를 취하다

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Dear Andy,

Hi, Andy! How are you today?

Today at school, I learned something very special.

I learned about the importance of water.

① According to my teacher, the world lacks water.

Countless people worldwide don't have enough water to drink!

Some of them have to drink unclean water.

② As a result, many people die of bacterial infections.

I felt very sad to hear that.

I also learned something very shocking.

③ To my surprise, Korea lacks water, too!

We have lots of rain and snow in Korea.

So I thought my country had plenty of water.

But this is not true.

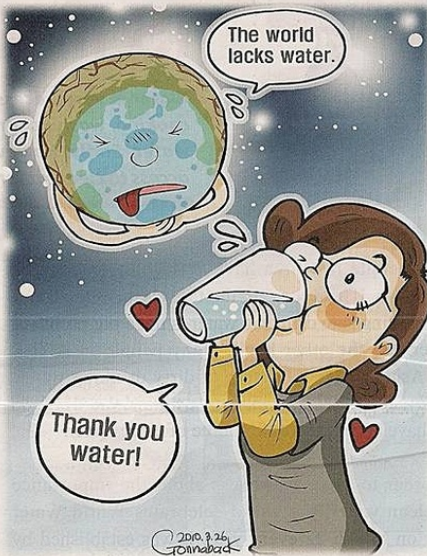
④ I've never thought about the importance of water.

I didn't realize clean water was so precious.

From now on, I will not waste water.

And I will say "thank you" whenever I drink water!

Love, Mina



Let's Learn How to Write E-mails in English

1. According to my teacher, the world lacks water.

(선생님께서 그러시는데, 세계에는 물이 부족하대.)

▶ according to : ~에 따르면, ~에 의하면

Ex) _____ Minji. Avatar is a great movie!

(민지가 그러는데, 아바타 굉장한 영화래!)

3. To my surprise, Korea lacks water, too!

(놀랍게도, 한국도 물부족 국가래!)

▶ to one's surprise : 놀랍게도

Ex) Much _____, I passed the exam!

(정말 놀랍게도, 내가 시험에 합격했어!)

2. As a result, many people die of bacterial infections.

(그 결과로, 많은 사람들이 박테리아 감염으로 목숨을 잃어.)

▶ as a result : 그 결과(로)

Ex) _____ of studying hard, I got a good grade in math exam!

(공부를 열심히 한 결과, 수학 시험에서 좋은 점수를 받았어!)

4. I've never thought about the importance of water.

(나는 물의 중요성에 대해 생각해 본 적이 없어.)

▶ have never p.p(과거분사) : ~ 해 본 적이 없다

Ex) I _____ my uncle who lives in Canada.

(나는 캐나다에 사는 삼촌을 한 번도 본 적이 없다.)



[Answers]

1. According to 2. As a result 3. To my surprise 4. have never met

미나의 편지 Importance 중요성 / according to ~에 따르면 / lack ~이 부족하다 / countless 수 없이 많은 / worldwide 전 세계의 / enough 충분한 / unclean 깨끗하지 않은, 더러운 / as a result 그 결과로 / die ~로 죽다 / bacterial infection 박테리아 감염 / to one's surprise 놀랍게도 / plenty of 많은, 풍부한 / mean 의미하다 / from now on 지금부터 / waste 낭비하다 / whenever ~할 한 번 언제나, ~할 때마다



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Dear Mina,

Hey, Mina! You learned something very precious today!
Yes, I learned about the importance of water, too.

① My mom tells me not to waste water all the time.
She tells me to take a shower in only 10 minutes.

② She also tells me to turn off the water tap while brushing my teeth.

According to her, I can save a lot of water this way.
Yes, we should not waste water.

③ After all, we cannot live a single day without it.
We need to drink water every day.

We need to wash our faces and hands with water every day, too.
I can't even imagine living without water!

Sadly, however, many people in poor countries still don't have access to clean water.

④ In fact, many countries in the world are suffering from water shortages.

That is a very sad thing.
If we don't save water, we won't have enough water in the future!

Let's think about the ways to save water, Mina!

Love, Andy

Let's Learn How to Write E-mails in English

1. My mom tells me not to waste water all the time.

(엄마는 내게 항상 물을 낭비하지 말라고 말씀하셔.)

▶ all the time: 항상

Ex) In spring, there is yellow dust in the air.

(봄에는 공기중에 항상 황사가 있다.)

3. After all, we cannot live a single day without it.

(결국, 우리는 물 없이는 단 하루도 살 수 없어.)

▶ after all: 결국

Ex) You have to decide. it's your choice.

(네가 결정해. 결국 네 선택이니까.)

2. She also tells me to turn off the water tap while brushing my teeth.

(엄마는 또한 내게 이를 닦을 때에는 수도꼭지를 잠그라고 말씀 하셔.)

▶ turn off: 끄다, 잠그다

Ex) Why don't you the television? It's already midnight!

(텔레비전을 끄는 것이 어떨까? 이미 한밤중이야!)

4. In fact, many countries in the world are suffering from water shortages.

(사실은, 세상에 많은 나라들이 물 부족으로 고생하고 있어.)

▶ suffer from: ~로 고생하다, ~을 겪다

Ex) I'm a sore throat because of the yellow dust.

(나는 황사 때문에 목이 아파 고생하고 있어.)




[Answers]


1. all the time 2. turn off 3. After all 4. suffering from

앤디의 편지 precious 소중한 / take a shower 샤워하다 / turn off 끄다 / tap 수도꼭지 / brush one's teeth 이를 닦다 / save 절약하다 / after all 결국 / without ~없이 / sadly 예석하기도 / access to ~에의 접근, 이용 / in fact 사실은 / suffer from ~을 겪다, ~로 고생하다 / shortage 부족

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Aha!





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Interesting Facts about Swimming



Last week, we learned about the history of swimming. This week, why don't we learn some more interesting facts about swimming?




The world's first swimming organization was established in 1603 in Japan as Emperor Go-Yozei declared that all schoolchildren should learn how to swim. In the 19th century, many western countries, including America, England, France, and Germany, also founded swimming clubs.

The first indoor swimming pool in the world was built in England in 1862. As a matter of fact, England was the first country to consider swimming as a sport. Soon enough, swimming became a very popular sport in the country. By the 20th century, indoor pools and outdoor public pools were constructed all across England.

At first, there were no swimming competitions for women in the Olympic Games. Early Olympic Games had 100-meter and 1,500-meter freestyle swimming competitions only for men. Female swimmers competed in the Olympic Games for the first time in 1912.

Since the first modern Olympic Games, various records have been set by world-famous swimmers. Korea's Park Tae-hwan is one of them. American swimmer Michael Phelps won the most gold medals in a single Olympics. He won 8 gold medals in the 2008 Beijing Olympics.

Staff reporter Erica Choi

수영에 관한 재미 있는 사실들 history 역사 / why don't we ~? ~하는 게 어때요? / organization 조직, 단체 / be established 설립되다 / emperor 황제 / declare 선언(공표)하다 / century 세기, 100년 / western 서양의 / including ~를 포함하여 / found 설립하다 / indoor swimming pool 실내 수영장 / as a matter of fact 사실 / consider 생각하다, 고려하다 / soon enough 머지 않아, 곧 / popular 인기 있는 / public 대중의, 공공의 / outdoor 야외(외)의 / be constructed 건설되다 / at first 처음에는 / competition 대회, 시합 / early 초기의 / female 여성의 / for the first time 처음으로 / since ~한 이후로 / modern 현대의, 근대의 / various 다양한 / record 기록 / set 세우다, 만들어지다 / world-famous 세계적으로 유명한

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Seaweed, a True Super Food

People in Korea eat seaweed soup on their birthdays. But you should eat seaweed soup more often – not only on your birthday. Why? Seaweed is a true super food! It offers various health benefits. Seaweed is also called a "miracle plant" because of its nutritional power.

People all over the world have been eating the super food for thousands of years. Today, it is still loved by many people. For example, seaweed is an important part of meals in China and Japan. People in some western countries, including Ireland and England, also enjoy eating seaweed.

There are many ways to enjoy seaweed. You can make it into soup or wrap rice with it. Some Korean people like to eat it raw with red pepper paste (gochujang). People in Japan enjoy seaweed with sushi. People in

Wales love eating seaweed bread or cakes.

Seaweed is packed with vitamins and minerals. The magical plant is a good source of protein and calcium, too. It is also rich in iron, which keeps blood cells healthy. Seaweed helps strengthen the immune system. It is also known to help the brain development. Eating seaweed can increase your metabolism, too. On top of that, the wonder plant is low in fat! So, enjoy eating seaweed often and stay healthy!

Staff reporter Sarah Choi





미역, 진황한 최고의 음식 / seaweed soup 미역국 / super 대단한, 굉장히 좋은 / offer 제공하다 / various 다양한 / health benefit 건강상 이점 / be called ~라고 불린다 / miracle 기적의 / plant 식물 / because of ~때문에 / nutritional 영양상의 / thousands of 많은, 수천의 / for example 예를 들면 / western country 서양 국가 / including ~을 포함하여 / Ireland 아일랜드 / enjoy ~ing ~하는 것을 즐긴다 / wrap ~을 싸다 / raw 날것의, 익히지 않은 / sushi 초밥 / be packed with ~로 가득하다 / magical 마법의, source 공급원 / protein 단백질 / calcium 칼슘 / be rich in ~이 풍부하다 / iron 철분 / keep 유지하다 / blood cell 혈구 / strengthen 강화하다 / immune system 면역 체계 / brain development 두뇌 발달 / increase 증가시키다 / metabolism 신진(물질)대사 / fat 지방 / stay healthy 건강하게 지내다

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The World's Richest

Who do you think is the richest person in the world? Many of you probably think of Bill Gates. Of course, he is very rich. In fact, he is America's richest person. However, he is not the world's richest man anymore. Then, who has the biggest fortune in the world?

Say hello to the world's new, wealthiest man, Carlos Slim from Mexico. According to *Forbes* magazine, he recently turned out to have the most wealth on Earth, beating Bill Gates. The magazine lists the world's richest people every year. Mr. Slim is the first non-American from a developing country to top the list of billionaires in nearly 15 years.

Mr. Slim was born on January 28, 1940 in Mexico City. He studied engineering at the National Autonomous University of Mexico.

After graduation, he became an engineer and businessman. His main business is the telecommunications.

Now, he controls a major part of telecommunications industry in Mexico



Person from Mexico

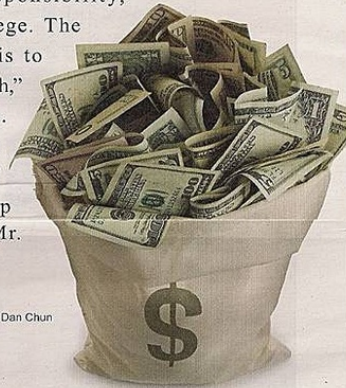
as well as in many other countries in Latin America. His telecom company controls 83 percent of land phone lines in Mexico. It is also the leading Internet service provider. He also owns huge department stores in Mexico.

Currently, Mr. Slim has a \$53.5 billion fortune. However, he doesn't get excited about the fact that he is now the richest man in the world. Even though he has a lot of money, he is known to wear inexpensive suits. He also enjoys a simple life style.

In Mexico, the majority of people are very poor.

Mr. Slim often donates a lot of money to help people in need. "Wealth must be seen as responsibility, not as a privilege. The responsibility is to create more wealth," said Mr. Slim. Please keep making a lot of money and help many people, Mr. Slim!

Staff reporter Dan Chun



멕시코 출신의 세계 최고의 부자 the richest (rich의 형상) 가장 부유한 / probably 아마도 / in fact 사실 / not anymore 더 이상 ~ 아님 / fortune 은, 재산 / say hello to ~에게 인사를 전한다. 인사하다 / wealthiest (wealth의 최상급) 가장 부유한 / according to ~에 따르면 / be turned out to ~로 밝혀졌다 / bear 이기다, 능가하다 / magazine 잡지 / developing country 개발도상국 / billionaire 억만장자, 갑부 / since ~이래 / engineering 공학 (기술) / graduation 졸업 / telecommunication 전자 통신 / control 지령하다, 관리하다 / industry 산업 / A as well as B B뿐만 아니라 A도 / leading 선두의 / provider 공급자 / own 소유하다 / huge 거대한 / department store 백화점 / currently 현재 / be known for ~로 알려져 있다 / inexpensive 비싸지 않은 / suit 양복, 정장 / simple 소박한, 간소한 / majority 대다수 / donate 기부하다 / in need 도움을 필요로 하는 / responsibility 책임감 / privilege 특권, 특전 / create 만들어 내다, 창조하다 / keep ~ing 계속해서 ~하다 / make money 돈을 벌다

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