



easy, interesting things to do to **use** English

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You Tube

• Search for “funny commercials” on **youtube.com**. Commercials (CM) are like short (30 – 60 second) movies. Because they are short, you can watch a few times to help you understand them.



• **lyricstraining.com** Lyrics means “歌詞”. You can listen to popular songs you like. Write the missing words. You decide how easy or difficult you want it. If it says, “Create an account”, just click “Maybe later.”



• **Sing!** Go to **youtube.com**. Search for a song or artist you like, + the word “lyric”. You’ll find the “karaoke” version of the video. Sing along.



• **Easy stories.** Go to **www.er-central.com**. Find a story that looks interesting. Read & enjoy.



• **Japanese stories in English.**

Go to **www.e-hon.jp** They have Japanese stories like *Momotaro* and *Kaguya Hime*. You can read these stories you know in English.

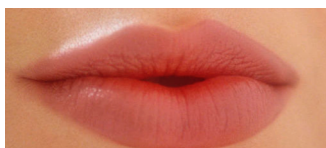


• **Manga in English.** Check out

www3.mangafreak.net/ *One Piece*, *Naruto* and all your favorites. There’s a *shoujo* section, too.

TED

• **TED Talks** are very interesting. Choose short ones. **www.ted.com/talks**. Click on “duration” to find short ones. Watch – first with Japanese subtitles (字幕.) Then with English subtitles.



• **Talk to yourself in English.** When you are riding the bus or train, look out the window. What do you see? In your mind, say what you see in English. (This doesn’t work very well on the subway ;-)
OR try **speed speaking**. Find an action show on TV. Turn off the sound. Try to say what is happening – in English!

Enjoy USING English!
Enjoy GROWING your English!