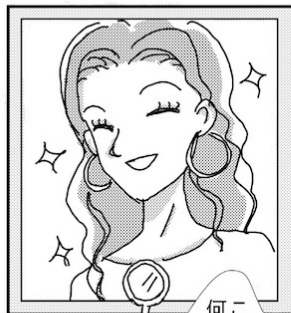


Japaneasyの創始者、藤田ミナコ。コードネームは「mina-san」。学生のみならず、先生までもが「皆さん」と混乱してしまうコードネームだ。この秘密結社を2年前に設立し、女手一つでここまで巨大にしたその手腕…タダモノではない。今回は、彼女にまつわる様々な信じられない噂を徹底検証する！

Minako Fujita, founder and creator of Japaneasy. More commonly known as "Mina-san"; a confusing nickname that noth students and teachers mistake for the Japanese word "minasan" (i.e. everyone). From the early beginnings 2 years ago, she built and expanded this secret association to what it is today. There's just something about Mina. This is my investigation about the rumors that surround her...



She's definitely hiding something behind that sweet smile!

この笑顔の裏に何かがあるはずだ...

創始者、藤田ミナコ氏にまつわる噂、徹底検証!!

The founder: Minako Fujita Rumors investigated!

Q1:いつも笑顔を絶やさないmina-san。落ち込むことはないという噂は本当？
Mina-san is always smiling. Is it true that she's never down?

A1:記者が張り込みをしている間、確かに彼女の笑顔が途切れることはなかった。しかし情報によると、先生や学生がJapaneasyを去る際には号泣する姿が見られるらしい。涙もろい一面も持ち合わせているようだ。涙の対象になると、未来永劫の幸せが保証されるという...
It's true that I've never seen her smile fade during my undercover days. But according to my sources, she cries when a Japaneasy teacher or student leaves. Sounds like she's got her tearful moments too. To Mina, you will find happiness when another cries for you.

Q2:食事をあまり採らずに、セロリやアボガドばかりつまんでいます。前世はウサギと聞きましたが？
She doesn't eat much and is sometimes seen to be munching on celery or avocados. Was she a rabbit in her past life or something?

A2:確かによくアボガドをスプーンですくっている姿を目撃されているが、居酒屋などでは割と何でも食べている。仕事に熱中しすぎて食べるのを忘れてることがままたり、学生や他の先生の差し入れ(供物)でなんとか生きながらえているようだ。お供えに対しては毎回非常に激しい喜びのリアクションが見られる。一見の価値アリの激しさなので、機会があったら供物を持っていくのがオススメだ。
Well, she has been sighted eating avocado with a spoon...but apparently she eats almost anything at the izakaya (pub/bar). She just sometimes too busy with work and forgets her meals. It seems as though she survives on offerings brought by her fellow colleagues and students. Gratitude is shown in a really interesting form of hyperness. I recommend you bring her something the next time you visit her to see it for yourself.

Q3:どれほど忙しくても思い立ったらすぐ新しい事にチャレンジしていますよね？ちゃんと寝てるんでしょうか？ナポレオンの生まれ変わりという説は正しいの？
It is said that no matter how busy Mina-san is, she's constantly thinking of new things to do and jumps at it the moment she gets an idea. Does she ever sleep? Should we just call her a reincarnate of Napoleon?

A3:誰もが最も解明したい謎の一つだ。「どこからそのエネルギーは生まれてくるのか？」。可能な限りダラダラ&平均一日10時間睡眠がモットーの記者には到底信じられない事だ。しかし上記の説をくつがえす情報は今のところ入手できていない。ただ、ある筋から入手した未確認情報では、mina-sanの家には「トレント」という謎のLOVEエネルギーが存在し、そこからパワーを充電している可能性があるとのこと。追って調査する予定だ。

Ah, this is the biggest mystery of all. Where does she get all that energy from? I myself need an average of 10 hours of sleep per day so how sleep per day so how she does it is beyond me! I have heard from an unconfirmed source though, that Mina-san has a love energy source called "Trent" waiting for her at home. That's probably where she recharges her vitality. I intend to follow up on this.

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(they use this character in thier text)

君にこの暗号が解けるか？！
Can you break this secret code?

e.g. よ3Uくね (よろしくね)

- ① コ//めωナよ±あい*
- ② レヰ"w(キ
- ③ こωL=ちれふ
- ④ つ'ハ'ン'ハ
- ⑤ M a ナニイ ē
- ⑥ ハジメまUテ
- ⑦ けし、ナニレ、

答えはページ下に！
Answer is in the below.

目撃！！
宇宙人に
さらわれた瞬間

恐怖！！
HAPPY !

Witness !
The moment alien caught a person!

囚 → 四 → 口

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Answer
①ごめんなさい gomennasai/i'm sorry ②げんき genki/how are you?
③こんにちは konnichiwa/hello ④こんばんは konbanwa/good evening
⑤またね matane/see you ⑥はじめまして hajimemasite/nice to meet you
⑦けいたい keitai/mobile

Special thanks!!

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