

代名詞の発展 - 6

『不定代名詞』 … “ each ” , “ both ” , “ either ” , “ neither ”

Each of the boys is very clever .

Both of the boys are very clever .

Either of the boys is very clever .

Neither of the boys is very clever .

“ each of ~ ” は「すべての～」と訳すが、実は「一人ひとりの～」と単数で扱う。

“ both of ~ ” は「両方とも」という意味で「二人」であることが確定している。

“ either of ~ ” は「一方はOK」, “ neither of ~ ” は「どちらもダメ」という意味。

1 , 次の英文の () 内の語を適当な形に変えて____線上に書きなさい。

Each of the boys _____ English very well . (speak)

Both of _____ can play baseball very well . (they)

Neither of the boys _____ swim very fast . (can)

Each of the girls _____ very cute then . (be)

Either of the _____ goes to school by bus . (boy)

They knew each of _____ . (we)

I talked with both of my _____ in my class . (friend)