

Complete Lesson Transcript – Lesson 358 [English]

Kirin: Chinese Learn Online lesson 358 .

Hello everyone , I am Teacher Yang .

Raphael: Hello everyone , I am Teacher Lai .

Kirin: Welcome to our learning Chinese course .

Raphael: Since our level 6 is about to finish , we are going to use the last three lessons to review the level six content that we have learned in the past . Let's first listen to today's article at a normal speed .

Kirin: We have all heard of the word globalization , and we also understand its influence on global trade . But other than its influencing trade , does it also influence our society in other ways ? Some people believe , that due to the convenience of importing and exporting products , the local culture of some places has slowly started to change . In the past, if you wanted to buy the local products of a country , you had to go there yourself to buy them , or ask people to buy them for you and bring them back . But now due to the influence of globalization , you only need to stay at home , and go online and directly order whatever products you want . When you're traveling , you can directly take the photographs and videos that you have taken and put them on the internet for everyone to see . So now the curiosity that people have towards other countries and the level of fascination they may have has decreased , since you can use the internet to look up information about other countries . As well, using the internet also lets us discover places and cultures that we may have never seen before . So the smart people have found an easier way for them to succeed , which is to use the changes in society brought about by new technology to improve their own lives .

Raphael: Let's listen again to today's article at a slowed down speed .

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Raphael: Our premium subscribers can visit our website chineselearnonline-com to see the English translation of this lesson , and to do more practice .

Kirin: Keep at it .