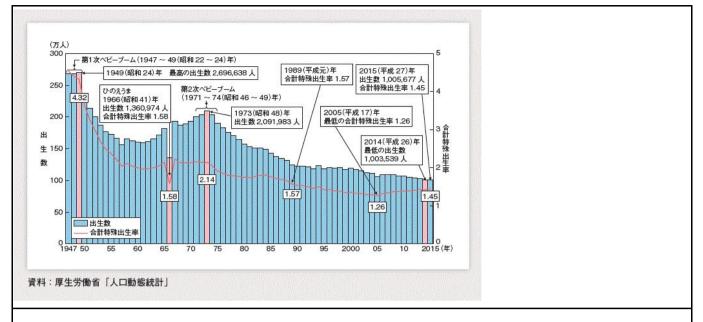
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This graph shows us the number of the births and the rate of birth in 1947-2015 in Japan.

We can see the first baby-boom in the period of 1947-1949 and the second in 1971-1974.

After the second baby-boom, the number of births cotinued decreasing from two million to one million.

Also, the number of births in 2015 is two-fifths as many as that in 1947.

What is behind the decrease of babies ?

I think that Japanese society needed much labor

after the World War 2nd and during the rapid economic growth.

Besides, Japanese people could afford to take care of their babies by collaborating with each other.

〈B〉人口減少社会が進行していることについて、あなたの考えを100語程度の英文で書きなさい。ただし、コンマやピリオドは字数に含めません。解答欄の最初の()に使用した語数を記入しなさい。

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I'm worried about the decline of population in Japan.

There are two main reasons.

The first reason is that it may destroy the community

because young people who take over the business and the traditional culture are decreasing rapidly.

The second reason is that it will cause Japan to be in lower position in the international society

because the decrease of population is likely to lead to the decline of the national power .

I think that Japan had better carry out some effective policies

to make it easy for people to have a baby and raise their children.