

Lesson 63: まとめ・結論 3

in a word

In a word, our marketing strategy needs innovation.

In a word, globalization changes everything.

In a word, we must act now to protect our planet.

In a word, today's class was confusing.

In a word, studying abroad changed my life.

in a nutshell

In a nutshell, our company needs to cut costs to stay competitive.

In a nutshell, he's a genius but very hard to work with.

To put it **in a nutshell**, the project failed because of poor communication.

So, **in a nutshell**, you're saying he lied to you?

In a nutshell, it was the best trip I've ever had.

idiom

Hit the hay

If someone says they're going to hit the hay, it means they are going to bed. It reflects a need for rest, possibly due to emotional exhaustion or weariness.

Example: *After a long day at work, I can't wait to **hit the hay** and get some good sleep.*

*After studying all night, I finally **hit the hay** at 3 a.m.*

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on the whole

On the whole, I really like living in the city.

On the whole, that movie wasn't bad.

On the whole, the team performed well despite a few mistakes.

On the whole, I think the project was a success.

On the whole, people were satisfied with the service.

all in all

All in all, the movie was entertaining despite some flaws.

All in all, the project achieved its main goals.

All in all, our team handled the crisis well.

We had a few problems, but **all in all**, it was fun.

All in all, I'm happy with how it turned out.