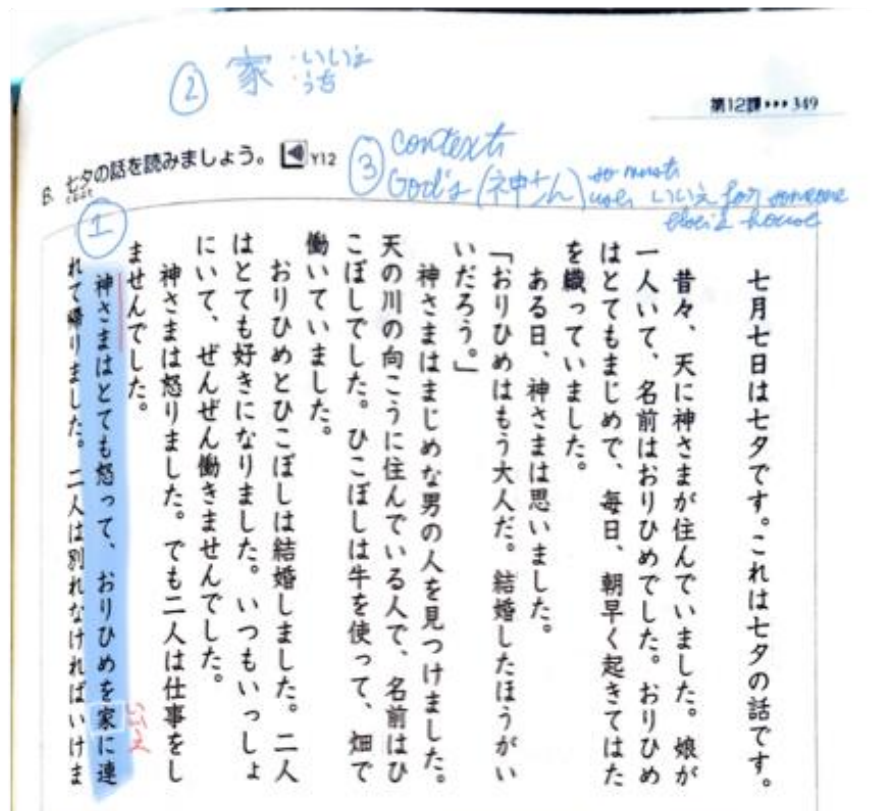Rania Maaraba:

Function declaration, parameters/arguments, call, return

One quite relevant real world example for me would be going through the process of translating and reading Kanji which is the Japanese adaptation of traditional Chinese Characters (you can read more in the citation below) after Chinese ruling.

First, a character can be given in a sentence or simply in a book just like a declaration. Once the character chosen is understood, it must be looked up and defined. However, each character has several readings and definitions so only in the context of a sentence or addition hiragana characters is the Kanji define like the operation of parameters. Once the Kanji is correctly defined typically in a textbook or dictionary it can be mentally called. Then, when reading the sentence the proper punction and definition can be identified similar to the return function

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