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Let’s do a detective game!

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And then, Ms. Yamamoto screamed.

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**Kayamura has been killed.**

YOU AND YOUR PARTNER have been assigned to this case.

Your mission is to find out:

**Who** killed Kayamura?

**What** weapon was used?

**Where** did they kill him?

With your partner, find out Who, What, Where.

(Hint: The killer is someone who is alone and with a weapon)

**ANSWER:**

Who: Yamada

What: shovel

Where: music room

**Words you might want to write on the blackboard and go over with students:**

Someone = 誰か

Something = 何か

Weapon = 武器

Place = 場所

Killer = 殺人犯

left = 置いた

no one = 誰も

Murder Mystery

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SUSPECTS (容疑者)

* Suzuki
* Yamada
* Kimura
* Honda
* Sato
* Tanaka

WEAPONS (武器)

* gun
* knife
* baseball bat
* poison
* shovel
* banana

PLACES (場所)

* gym
* classroom
* science room
* nurse’s office
* music room
* computer room

A black and white map

Description automatically generated

Music room

Science room

Gym

Nurse’s office

Computer room

Classroom

(Hint: The killer is someone who was alone with a weapon.)

Who?

What?

Where?

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| There is a baseball bat Suzuki borrowed in the gym. | Honda ate a banana he found in the computer room. |
| There is a knife Tanaka left  in the nurse’s office. | The knife someone left was  only used to cut boxes. |
| The music room is a place students go to sometimes. | The weapon the killer used is in a place students go to sometimes. |
| The classroom is a place students go to often. | The science room is the place Kimura visited. |
| The weapon the killer used is  not poison. | The poison is in the place  Kimura visited. |
| Sato and Suzuki met in the place the baseball bat is at. | The banana someone ate  is not dangerous. |
| Tanaka went home before Kayamura was killed. | Tanaka saw someone before he went home. The person he saw was holding a shovel. |
| Yamada saw someone go home. | The place Yamada was in is  the music room. |
| The gun was left in the place students go to often. | The place Sato was playing basketball is the gym. |
| Sato left something in the classroom. | A place students go to often  had no one in it. |
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