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(‡=tehen`s kanji samples)

On the former article, we showed the guidance and outline of Kanji 7 fields.

Yesterday, in the 1<sup>st</sup> field, "木"(=kihen= relevant to tree or wood)

Today, in the same 1st field, next item "‡" (=tehen=relevant to hand or using by hand)

1.The shape of "‡" is "手"(=hand)symbolized

Ex) ●揉む (1 momu=to massage) right part of this kanji"柔" means "soft".

Then this kanji`s message is "to make it soften by hands".

●拙い(mazui=be not skillful)right part of this kanji"出"means "to come(go) out".

Then this kanji`s message is "a person is not skillful, therefore hand out for helping to not skillful person.

And the same pronouncing, different meaning one "mazui=不味い means "not tasty"

"味(aji)means "taste" and front one"不"means "not"

- ●払う(harau=pay) right part of this kanji "厶"means "swing or swing away".

  Then this kanji`s message is "swing coins or bills away by hand"

  We don`t like payment, then we usually behave such a way., maybe.

  Ex(okane wo))Ikura haraeba iino desuka?=(おかねを)いくらはらえばいいのですか?=(お金を) 幾ら払えばいいのですか?=How much should I pay?
- ●技=(waza=tech or skill)right part of this kanji"支"means "support or assist". Then this kanji`s message is "a matter of supporting(assisting)by hand skill
- ●招 < =(maneku=invite) right part of this kanji"召=刀(katana) + □ (kuchi)"means "call with sward (bitter way) and by mouth(sweet way)"

Then this kanji`s message is "inviting by hand`s sign "please come to us"". ‡ (tehen)kanji, many, many others we have also.

On the next lecture, will show you "?" (sanzui=mizuhen=relevant to water)

Thank you.