

Verb (Potential Form) + ようになります

The
Level
Up!



Come
to be
able
to...



Celebrating a New Ability

BEFORE



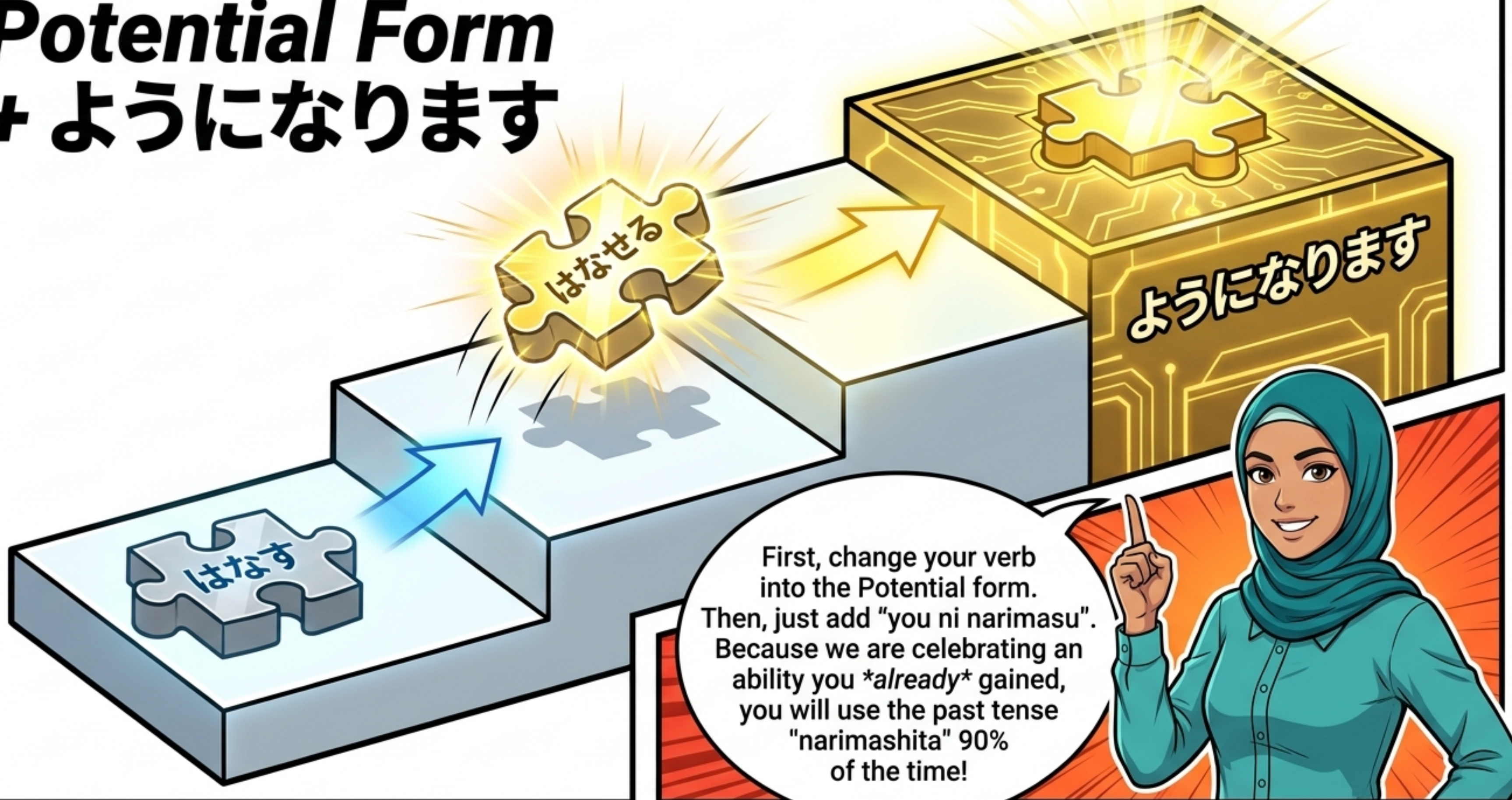
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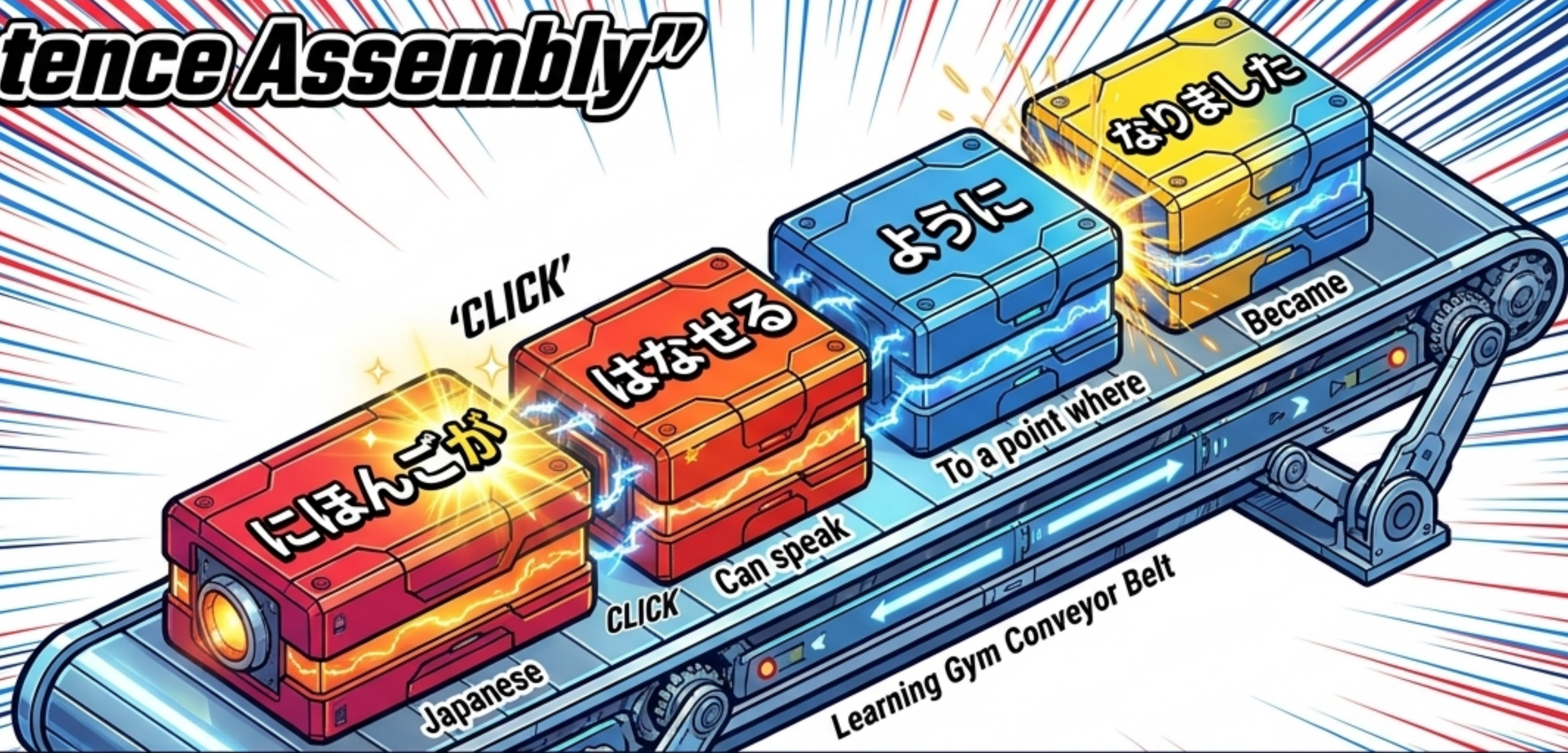
This grammar is all about celebrating progress! You've gone from "Cannot do" to "Can do". It's the ultimate level-up grammar!



Potential Form + ようになります



"Sentence Assembly"



にほんごが はなせる ようになりました。
(I have become able to speak Japanese.)

Raya's Hack

Here is your grammar hack!
When a verb changes to the
Potential form, the object
particle 'O' usually
changes to 'GA'.



Nihongo **O** hanasu ➡ Nihongo **GA** hanaseru you ni narimashita.
Don't forget the particle shift!

Don't do this!

「やさいを
たべる
ように
なりました!」

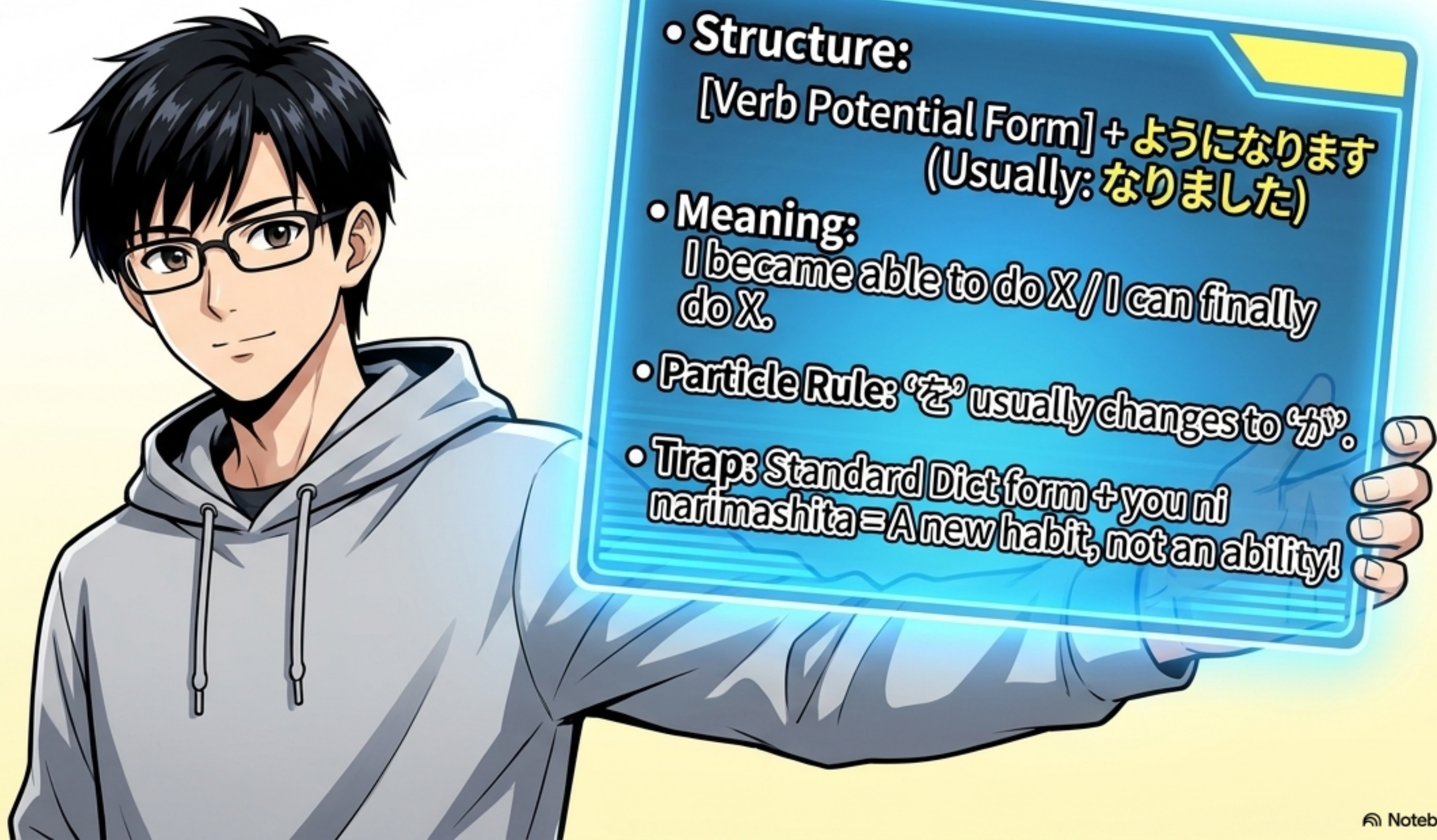


Wait!
Dictionary form
(taberu) + you ni
narimashita =
A new habit!

Potential form
(tabe-rareru) +
you ni narimashita
= A new ability!



Cheat Sheet



- **Structure:**
[Verb Potential Form] + ようになります
(Usually: なりました)
- **Meaning:**
I became able to do X / I can finally do X.
- **Particle Rule:** 'を' usually changes to 'が'.
- **Trap:** Standard Dict form + you ni narimashita = A new habit, not an ability!