

On the Right Track

- (1) Toronto is getting some new subway trains, much to the relief of long-suffering commuters.
- (2) The new trains look a lot sleeker than the ones they'll replace.
- (3) They're also more spacious, which means they won't be so cramped in rush hour.
- (4) And they've got new light-up signs that tell you what stop you're at, a bonus for tourists.
- (5) There are 70 new trains, with six cars each.
- (6) The cost of getting them up and running is \$1 billion, so it's a major investment.
- (7) The old trains used to have poles in the middle of each car.
- (8) Thankfully the new ones don't.
- (9) That will give riders more room to move around.
- (10) The new trains begin running on the green line in December or January.
- (11) But riders may see them being tested in the tunnels before then.
- (12) The old cars will be moved to the blue line.
- (13) It will be interesting to see how long the gleaming new trains last before graffiti starts to appear on their walls.

語注

on the right track 考え方[やり方]が正しい方向に向いて、正しい考え方をして

(1) to the relief of (人)が安心[安堵]したことには commuter 通勤者

(2) sleek (車などが)流線型の replace 取って代わる、後を継ぐ

(3) spacious 広々とした cramped 窮屈な、狭苦しい

(5) car 車両

(9) room 場所、空間

(13) gleam きらりと光る last もちこたえる graffiti 落書き