Winter vacation: Long Interview Questions

Reduced sounds:  wuz y’ – was your  dija – did you

1. So, how was your winter vacation?
2. Did you do anything special?
3. Did you manage to go anywhere
4. Did you stay up for the countdown?
5. Who did you meet first on New Year’s Day?
6. Did you receive anything on New Year’s Day?
7. Did you manage to see the first sunrise?
8. What time did you actually get up?
9. Did you make any New Year’s resolutions?
10. What goals did you make?
11. Did you manage to keep your New Year’s resolutions from last year?
12. Did you eat Toshikoshi Soba?
13. Do you know what this food represents?
14. Did you have Ozouni soup?
15. Do you know how to make it?
16. Did you try any traditional Osechi dishes?
17. What is your favorite Osechi hors d’oeuvre?
18. Did you manage to visit your grandparents?
19. Did you get any money from them?
20. How much money did you get in total this year?
21. What have you done with this money?
22. What programs did you see on TV?
23. Did you watch Kouhaku?
24. What did you think of it?
25. Did you go and pray at a shrine on 1st January?
26. Did you find out about what fortune lies ahead?
27. Will you be lucky this year?
28. What decorations did you put up for New Year?
29. Have you taken down your Christmas decorations?
30. Did you also have a big clean up?
31. Did you have a bath on New Year’s Eve?
32. Did you buy a new toothbrush?
33. Is there anything you want to try and do for this year?
34. Did you go skiing or snowboarding?
35. Did you work this winter holiday?
36. Did you spend any time studying?
37. Did you have a lazy day on 1st January?
38. Do you prefer the winter or the summer vacation?

Useful expressions:
- New Year’s resolution
- plan/goals for next year
- on 1st January?
- On the first of January (on the FIRST uv JANu’ry)
- hors d’oeuvre
- a range of small dishes served before a meal
- what lies ahead
- what will happen in the future
- manage to
- able to