

Daily Life-Day 51



断るときの表現①



Exercise 1

Repeat after your teacher with a smile.

先生の後に続いて笑顔で読みましょう。



Question

Hey Jack, do you think you can deliver this to Narita Corporation?

Do you thinki you can return these books to library?

Answer

Sure.

When does it need to be delivered?

Sure.

I am going there anyways.

2

Question

I'm tied up with other deliveries today. I was hoping you could do it for me.

I'm tied up with other homeworks for today. I was hoping you could do it for me.

Answer

No worries. I can do it together with other deliveries for today.

No worries. I can make a draft for that group work today.



Question

Sorry, but I can't deliver by 1:00 pm. I can go around 5:00 pm, though.

My apology, but I can't make it by 2:00pm. Can we reschedule it to 3:00pm instead?

Answer

Oh, OK. Let me make a phone call to see if it works for them.

That's all right with me. See you then.

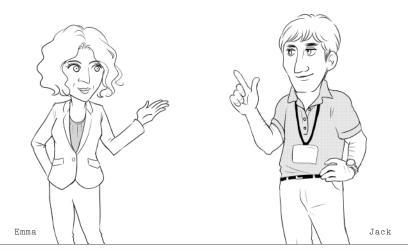
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Exercise 2

Role-play: Teacher will be Emma. Student will be Jack. (Switch roles after you read the dialogue)

役割 (講師≫Emma /生徒≫Jack) にあわせて文章を読みましょう! ダイアログを読んだ後は役割を交代しましょう。



- Emma Hey Jack, do you think you can deliver this to Narita Corporation? When does it need to be delivered? Jack
- By 1 pm. I'm tied up with other deliveries today. I was hoping you could do it for me. Sorry, but I can't by 1. I can go around 5 pm, though. Jack
- Emma Oh, OK. Let me make a phone call to see if it works for them. Sure, let me know. Jack

覚えよう! | Words & Phrases

deliver / 配達する、届ける、納品する $I\ hope \sim$. / \sim になればと思っています。 \sim なことを祈っています。 work / 正常に動く、うまくいく

around / ~の周りに、約、およそ、~前後の ~, though. / ~ですけどね。 make a phone call / 電話をかける

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Exercise 3 Fill in the blanks and read the dialogue.

空欄を埋めて、ダイアログを読みましょう!

0	Emma	Hey Jack, do you can deliver this to Narita C	Corporation?	
	Jack	When does it need to be?		
2	Emma	By 1 pm. I'm up other deliveries today. I was you could do it for me.		
	Jack	Sorry, but I can't by 1. I can go around 5 pm,		
3	Emma	Oh, OK. Let me a call to it works for them.		
	Jack	Sure, let me know.		
\rightarrow	Follow-	up Question / True or False		
	1	Emma can go to Narita Corporation.	True or False?	
	2	Jack will e-mail to see if it's OK to go around 5 pm.	True or False?	



Writing

Write about a situation when you had to turn down an invitation.

What do you think is the best way to refuse an invitation.