

3-3 食事などで
~ Having a meal ~
誘うときの会話
~ Invitation to the meal ~



1. How about going out for lunch?
=Would you like to have a lunch with me?
2. Would you like to discuss it over lunch?
= Can we discuss it over lunch?
EX) That sounds good. It's almost noon.
3. There's a good Chinese restaurant near here.
= One of the best American restaurants is here in Tokyo.
4. Let's take a break and have something to eat.
= Let's have a break and take our snacks.
5. Do you have time after your work today?
= Are you free tonight?
EX) Yes. I'm free tonight.
6. Do you have any plans after this?
7. If you like sushi, I'd like to invite you to a sushi bar.
=Do you like sushi? Let's go to a sushi bar.
8. I'd like to take you to a yakitori bar if you're interested.
= I'd like you to go with me in a yakitori bar.
9. I'd like to invite you to dinner if you're not tired.
= Would you like to have a dinner with me tonight?
10. We're going to play tennis this Saturday.
= I want to play tennis this Saturday. Would you like to join me?



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1. Would you like to join us?
= Would you like to go with us?
2. I'll come to your hotel at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning.
= I'll visit your hotel tomorrow morning.
3. Shall we meet in the lobby?
= Shall I meet you in the lobby?
EX) Please stay in your room. I'll call you from the lobby.
4. Do you want to do some shopping?
= Do you want to go shopping?
5. Do you want to do some shopping?
EX) Yes. I'd like to buy something for my family.
6. Do you have any particular thing in mind?
= What do you have in mind?
7. Do you have any particular thing in mind?
EX) No, I just want to shop around.
8. You can find almost everything at the department store.
= You can find anything you want here.
9. I'll show you around Akihabara if you are interested in electric appliances.
= I'll show you this shop. It's famous for PC's.



食事のとき
~ In the restaurant ~



1. What kind of food would you like to eat?
 - = Do you want this food?
 - = What do you want?
 - = Waiter, can I have the menu please?

2. Do you like Japanese food?
 - = Do you like tempura?
 - EX) I love it, especially tempura.

3. What Japanese food have you tried?
 - = Have you tried any Japanese food?
 - EX) I've tried sushi, sukiyaki and other Japanese food.

4. Do you eat sashimi?
 - = Do you eat nabe?

5. Which Japanese food do you dislike?
 - = You mean you don't like wasabi?

6. Is this your favorite place to drink?
 - = How often do you eat here?
 - EX) Yes, we often come to this place after work.

7. What do you recommend?
 - = What is their specialty?
 - EX) If you like seafood, I recommend assorted tempura.

8. The specialty of this restaurant is grilled fish.
 - = Their best food here is grilled fish.
 - EX) It sounds good. I'll have that.
That's delicious. I want to try that.

食事のとき
~ In the restaurant ~



1. Do you use chopsticks?
= Are you comfortable with chopsticks?
= Is it okay with you if we use chopsticks?
2. Shall I ask for a knife and a fork?
= Would you like me to ask for a knife and a fork?
EX) No, thank you. I'm fine with chopsticks.
No it's OK. Chopsticks will do.
3. You can ask him not to put wasabi into your sushi.
= Is it OK if no wasabi in my sushi?
4. Would you like some more beer?
= Do you want to add for a new beer?
5. What brand of beer do you like?
= What is your favorite brand of beer?
6. Would you like to try something else?
= Do you want something else?
7. What's this yellowish thing?
EX) It's sea urchin. Why don't you give it a try?
8. This is on me.
= This is my treat.
= Let me pay this. It's my treat.

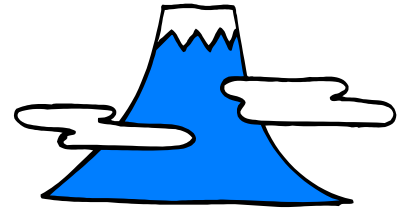
観光案内をする
~ Sightseeing ~



1. If you like, I'll show you around the city tomorrow.
= I'll show you the whole city.
= I'll tour you to the famous landmarks here in Japan.
2. Would you like to go sightseeing this weekend?
= Do you want to stroll around the city?
3. Are there any particular places you'd like to see?
= Which place do you wish to visit?
= I'd like to see some Japanese gardens.
4. Have you been to Kamakura?
= Have you gone to Kamakura?
5. Now, cherry blossoms are at their best.
= Now, cherry blossoms are in full bloom.
= Now, you can see the famous cherry blossoms.
6. If you want to explore famous places, I recommend you take the tour bus.
= If you want to have a memorable tour, please take the tour bus.
7. There's a variety of courses from which you can choose.
= A variety of courses is available.
8. Explanation is provided in English.
= All topics are translated in English.
9. There're also many day-trip courses to places outside Tokyo.
= I recommend you to a day-trip course outside Tokyo.
10. If you want to try hot springs, you should go to Hakone.
= If you want hot springs, you can go to Hakone.



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1. You can stay in a Japanese-style inn and enjoy a hot spring.
2. How far is it from here to Hakone?
= How many hours will it take to reach Hakone?
EX) It takes about one and a half hours by train from Tokyo.
3. Did you see Mt. Fuji from the train window?
= Have you seen Mt. Fuji already?
4. Have you seen Kabuki?
= Have you gone to Kabuki?
EX) Not yet, but I'd love to see it.
5. If you like plays, I'm sure you'll enjoy Kabuki.
6. You can hear the explanation in English with an earphone.
= There is an English explanation provided in every course.
7. You can also buy a program written in English.
= You can also buy a written program.
8. Would you like to buy some souvenirs?
= Do you like souvenirs from your trip here?
EX) Yes, I'm thinking of buying some fans.



自分の家に招待する・相手の家に招待される
~ Invitation to Home ~



1. Are you free this Saturday?
= Are you available this Saturday?
2. My wife and I would like to invite you to dinner.
= I'd like to invite you for dinner at my home.
= We'd like to invite you for a dinner.
3. When is it convenient for you?
= What day is good for you?
= When is your free time?
4. Thank you for your invitation.
= I'm so happy with your invitation.
= I didn't expect your invitation.
5. I'd be glad to accept your invitation.
= I'm so happy to accept your invitation.
6. My place is near Kichijoji Station.
= You can reach us near Kichijoji Station.
7. Do you know how to get to Kichijoji Station?
= Do you know how to get into that station?
EX) I think so, it's on the Chuo Line, isn't it?
8. I'll come to meet you at the station.
= Don't worry; I'll meet you at the station.
= We'll fetch you at that station.
EX) I'll come to pick you up at the station.
9. Could you come around 6 o'clock?
= You should be there by 6:00 o'clock.
10. Give me a call when you arrive at the station.
= Please call me when you arrive at the station.



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1. Bob, this is my wife, Yukiko.
= I'd like you to meet my wife and my son.
2. This is my son, Takeshi. He's ten years old.
3. Please take off your shoes here.
= Please leave your shoes here.
EX) OK. I enjoy learning Japanese lifestyle.
4. These are small gifts for you.
= Please accept my gift for you.
EX) Oh, beautiful flowers! Thank you.
5. Please make yourself at home.
= Please feel free in my home.
6. What would you like to drink first?
= What do you want to drink?
7. This is typical Japanese home cuisine.
= Your food is very well prepared.
EX) Wow, it looks so delicious.
8. Eat this with some soy sauce and wasabi.
9. Let me show you how to eat it.
= Follow me on how to eat this.





パーティーのとき
~ At the party ~



1. My wife and I will throw a party at our place this weekend.
= We will hold a party this weekend.
2. Would you like to come?
= You are invited to attend the party.
3. Sure, I'd love to.
= OK. I really want to attend.
4. Should I dress up?
= Do you require dress code?
EX) No, please dress casually.
5. Shall I bring something?
= What do you want me to bring for you?
6. Please just bring yourself.
= It's OK. There's no need.
7. Thank you for inviting me tonight.
= Thank you for the invitation.
EX) I'm glad that you've come. Please come in.
8. You have a wonderful house.
= Your house is very fabulous.
= Your house is awesome.
9. The decoration of this room is also beautiful.
= This room is beautifully decorated, too.
= You have a good taste in home decors.
10. Here's something for you.
= It's for you. Please keep it.
11. I hope you like it.
= I'm hoping that you will like it.



パーティーのとき
~ At the party ~



1. These are my favorite flowers! Thank you very much.
=I'm glad you like them.
2. I hope you enjoy the party.
=Please enjoy the party.
3. Let me bring you a drink.
= What would you like to drink? You can name any.
4. Please help yourself to some drinks.
= Come on. Drink for your self.
5. I want soft drinks please.
EX) We have some soft drinks, too.
6. Everything is so delicious.
= Your food is very delicious.
= Who prepared your food?
7. May I sit here?
= Mind if I sit here?
= Can I sit here?
8. May I join in?
= Can I join the fun?
9. Let me introduce myself. I am Kenji Matsu.
= May I introduce myself? My name is Kenji Matsui.
10. Would you tell me who that is?
= Do you know that person in black?
11. Could you introduce me to Ms. Campbell?

その場からいなくなるとき
~ Leaving the place ~



1. It's been nice talking to you.
= I really enjoy talking to you.
= I enjoyed talking to you.
2. It's getting late.
= It's getting late. I'd better go now.
3. I'd better be going.
= I have to go now.
4. Could you stay longer?
= Let's still enjoy the night.
5. It's still early.
6. The night is still young.
= It's still 11pm. Please don't go yet.
7. Do you have to go now?
EX) I wish I could stay longer but I'll go to Osaka tomorrow.
8. It was a wonderful party.
9. The party is really great.
10. I hope to hold a party like this.
= How I wish I could have a party like yours.



その場からいなくなる時
~ Leaving the place ~



1. I had a great time today.
= I really enjoyed tonight.
2. I enjoyed the party very much.
= This party is really great.
3. The party is really worth remembering.
= The food and the drinks are fabulous.
4. Thank you for everything. Good night everyone!
5. Thank you for the invitation.
= Thank you for inviting me.
6. Thank you for coming.
= Thank you for being here tonight.
= Thank you for attending my party.
7. I hope to see you again.
= I hope you enjoyed it.
= I hope you had a great time during the party.
8. Good Night!

