

Situational Usage

1. You are offered some coffee. Refuse it politely.

いいえ、^{けっこう}結構です。

2. Your colleague told you that he ate 100 pieces of sushi for dinner. Show your surprise, saying "Really?"

^{ほんとう}本当ですか。

3. Your neighbor had some trouble last week. Tell him, expecting his agreement, that he had a hard time last week.

4. ^{せんしゅう}先週 ^{たいへん}は大変でしたね。

5. Your colleague said you look sleepy today. Tell your classmate that (it is) because you went to bed late yesterday.

^{きのう}昨日 ^{おそ}(は)遅く寝ましたから。

6. Offer your neighbor to carry his baggage for him.

^{わたし}(私) ^が ^{にもつ}荷物 ^もを持ちましょうか。

7. The air in your classroom is stuffy. Ask your teacher if it would be OK to open the window.

(^{すみませんが}すみませんが) ^{まど}窓 ^あを開けてもいいですか。

8. You are at a train station. Ask a station worker if you should not smoke here.

ここで^すタバコを吸ってはいけませんか。

9. You are going to hold a party tomorrow night. Ask your neighbor to bring a lot of his friends.

^{ともだち}友達 ^をたくさん^つ連れて^き来て^{ください}。

10. Ask your colleague if it's OK to sit down and take a little rest.

ちよつと^{すわ}座^{やす}って休んでもいいですか。

11. Tell your colleague to rest leisurely on his days off.

お休^{やす}み(に)は、ゆっくり休^{やす}んでください。

12. Apologize to your teacher for leaving your homework at home.

^{しゅくだい}宿題 ^{うち}を^{わす}家に忘れて、すみません。

13. Ms. Smith has not showed up to the place to meet on the day of a school trip. Offer assistance to the teacher that you shall make a phone call to Ms. Smith.

^{わたし}私 ^が ^{スミス}スミスさんに ^{でんわ}電話 ^をかけましょうか。

14. You are on a bus. Offer your seat to an elder woman (saying "Please sit down here.") because you will get off the bus at the next bus stop.

(どうぞ)、ここに^{すわ}座ってください。私^{わたし}は次^{つぎ}のバス停^{てい}で降^おりますから。

15. Suggest your colleague that you go home by (riding on a) train tonight.

こんばん^{こんばん}でんしゃ^{でんしゃ}の^のかえ^{かえ}
今晚^{こんばん}は電車^{でんしゃ}に乗^{のり}って帰^{かえ}りましょうか。

16. You and your colleague are supposed to attend a meeting. Suggest you hurry up and go, because you don't have much time.

いそ^{いそ}い^いで^で行^いきましょう。時間^{じかん}があまりありませんから。

17. Inform that you will help Mr. Yamamoto next week.

らいしゅう^{らいしゅう}、やまもと^{やまもと}さん^{さん}を^を手^て伝^{つた}います(よ)。

18. You noticed a person standing next to you on the train looked ill. Ask if he is OK.

だいじょうぶ^{だいじょうぶ}
大丈夫^{だいじょうぶ}ですか。

19. Inform your teacher that you went to China, and taught English to children last year.

きょねん^{きょねん}ちゅうごく^{ちゅうごく}に^にい^いこども^{こども}えいご^{えいご}を^をおし^{おし}
去年^{きょねん}中国^{ちゅうごく}に^に行^いって、子供^{こども}に英語^{えいご}を教^{おし}えました(よ)。

20. Tell your colleague that you usually get up around 9 o'clock, and read newspaper on weekends.

しゅうまつ^{しゅうまつ}は^はたい^{たい}いてい^{いてい}くじ^{くじ}ごろ^{ごろ}に^にお^おき^きて、^{しんぶん}新聞^{しんぶん}を^をよ^よみます(よ)。

21. Ask your host mother if it's OK to take a bath later.

あと^{あと}ふろ^{ふろ}はい^{はい}
後^{あと}でお風呂^{ふろ}に入^いってもいいですか。

22. Your colleague just told you that he is going to meet Yamada now. Ask him to return this Japanese textbook to Mr. Yamada for you.

すみませんが、この^{にほんご}日本語^{にほんご}の^の教科書^{きょうかしょ}を^をやまだ^{やまだ}さんに^{さん}かえ^{かえ}
すみませんが、この日本語^{にほんご}の教科書^{きょうかしょ}を山田^{やまだ}さんに返^{かえ}してください。

23. Your teacher told to use pencil instead of pen at the test. Ask the teacher if you should not use a pen, because you didn't bring a pencil.

ペン^{ペン}を^をつか^{つか}って^{って}はい^{はい}けませんか。えんぴつ^{えんぴつ}を^をも^もって^{って}来^きませんでしたから。

24. A stranger asked you the way to get to the Municipal hospital. Tell him to go straight along this street and turn left at the first corner. Tell him that the Municipal hospital is on the left side of the street.

この^{みち}道^{みち}を^をまっすぐ^{まっすぐ}行^いって、^{ひとつめ}1つ目^{ひとつめ}の^の角^{かど}を^を左^{ひだり}に^にま^まが^がって^{って}ください。

しみんびょういん^{しみんびょういん}は^はみち^{みち}の^の左側^{ひだりがわ}に^にあ^ありますよ。

25. Tell your classmate that you drank a lot of beer yesterday because it was hot.

きのう の あつ
昨日 ビールをたくさん飲 みました。暑 かったですから。

26. Tell your student that he must not bring a phone to the class.

でんわ も
クラスに電話 を持 ってきてはいけません。

27. You and your colleague have just heard that the meeting time has changed. Explain that you are going to write down the time because you must not forget it.

じかん か わす
すぐ時間 を書 きます。忘 れてはいけませんから。

28. Ask if you may use this new computer for about an hour.

じかん あたら つか
一時間 ぐらい、この新 しいコンピュータを 使 ってもいいですか。

29. Ask your colleague where he got off the train this morning.

きょう あさ でんしゃ お
今日 の朝 どこで電車 を降 りましたか。

30. Ask who opened the window.

まど あ
だれが窓 を開 けましたか。

31. Ask if it is OK to close the door because you are cold.

さむ し
寒 いですから、ドアを閉 めてもいいですか。

32. Tell your teacher that you borrowed a textbook from your friend because you left ('forgot') your textbook in your room.

へや きょうかしょ わす とも か
部屋に教科書 を忘 れたから、友 だちに借 りました。

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