

Lesson 2: Greeting 2

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1. Dialogue

First, repeat after your tutor. Then, practice each role.

Professor: Aki, is that you? Long time no see!
Aki: Yes, Professor Doe! It's been a while. Long time no see.
Professor: How have you been?
Aki: I've been good, thanks. And you?
Professor: Me, too. I'm still teaching at ABC University. What have you been up to?
Aki: I'm now working full time at a trading company.
Professor: That's great! Are you still studying English?
Aki: Yes, I've been studying English on weekends since graduation.
Professor: I can really tell you have improved. Keep up the good work. It was nice running into you.
Aki: Thank you, Professor Doe. I'll keep doing my best. It was nice seeing you, too.

2. Today's Phrase

First, repeat after your tutor. Then, make a few sentences using Today's phrase.

- 1. What have you been up to since we last met?
- 2. We haven't seen each other in a long time. What have you been up to?
- 3. What have you been up to in the garage? You've been in there for hours.

* What have you been up to? / 最近どうしてた? (決まり文句)

3. Your Task

You run into an old school teacher (= your tutor) on the street. You are both in a hurry, so try to catch up with each other briefly. Please ask him/ her how he/ she has been and tell about yourself too.

4. Let's Talk

When was the last time you attended a reunion? Tell your tutor about it. What are some of the memorable reunions that you've experienced?

5. Today's photo

Describe the photo in your words.



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