

## Lesson 9: My Reasons/ Goals of Learning English

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### 1. Dialogue

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

Student: I've started reading "Pride and Prejudice" by Jane Austen.

Teacher: That's good. How are you finding it so far?

Student: I'm enjoying it. It is a very good novel. **No wonder** it's popular among book lovers.

Teacher: Is there anything you want me to help you with?

Student: Yes. I want to ask you something about chapter one. I'm a bit confused.

Teacher: Give me time to read it. It has been a long time since I read that book.

Student: I plan to finish the book in a month. Let's talk about it in class, shall we?

Teacher: Sounds like a plan to me.

### 2. Today's Phrase

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

1. It's **no wonder** that John has been getting sick. He's been working too hard and has not been sleeping well.
2. Jack told me that he likes me. **No wonder** he's been hanging out with me a lot lately.
3. Veterinarian: Your dog has been vomiting because he ate some poison.  
Dog Owner: Oh... **No wonder**.

\* no wonder ... /...も不思議ではない (当然だ)

### 3. Your Task

*Talk about a book that you love. Tell your teacher about the characters and a clear summary of the story. Mention why you like that book.*

### 4. Let's Talk

*Talk about your reasons and goals in learning English.*

### 5. Today's photo

*Describe the photo in your words.*



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