

## Lesson 42: Driving a Car

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### 1. Dialogue

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

Daiki: What kind of car do you drive?

Paul: I **drive a small truck**. How about you?

Daiki: I have a compact car, like most people in Tokyo.

Paul: I need the truck to carry a lot of heavy stuff. That's the life of an American farmer.

Daiki: I'd like to have a truck but it would not fit in my garage in Japan.

Paul: You should start thinking about becoming a farmer in the U.S.

### 2. Today's Phrase

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

1. I **drive a really old car**. It breaks down almost every day.

2. He's a rich man but he **drives a cheap car**.

3. She **drives a sports car** but her car goes very slow.

\* drive ... / (車など) を運転する、(車など) に乗っている

### 3. Your Task

*Your car has broken down. Talk to a mechanic (=your tutor) about fixing your car. Ask about the cost and how long it'll take to fix it.*

### 4. Let's Talk

*Who drives in your family? Is she / he good at driving? Why do you say so? In Japan, at what age can a person drive? Do you want to be able to drive soon? Why or why not?*

### 5. Today's photo

*Describe the photo in your words as precisely as possible.*



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