

Lesson 55: At the Dentist's Clinic

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1. Dialogue

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

Carol, the Dentist: Let's look at your teeth. Say 'Ahh'.

Yoshio: (Opens his mouth) Ahh.

Carol: Hmm... You don't have any cavities.

Yoshio: (relaxes and closes his mouth) Does it mean I can go home now?

Carol: Not yet, Yoshio. I have to clean your teeth up a little.

Yoshio: But I brush my teeth three times a day.

Carol: I know you do. You do a really good job of taking care of your teeth!

2. Today's Phrase

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

- 1. A: What do you think of Jack's project? B: He did a good job.
- 2. My teacher told me that I did a good job with my report.
- 3. A: Ben just finished painting the house. B: Did he do a good job?

* do a good job / うまくやり遂げる、よい仕事をする

3. Your Task

You would like to have a dental check up. Call the dentist's office and make an appointment. The dental assistant (=your tutor) will ask your name and the purpose of your dental visit. Ask him/her what time the dentist will be available for you.

4. Let's Talk

When was the last time you visited your dentist?

Tell your tutor all about it. How do you take care of your teeth?

5. Today's photo

Describe the photo in your words as precisely as possible.

