

Lesson 36: Business Meeting 1 (Attending a Meeting)

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1. Dialogue

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

Kaori is having a meeting with Mr. Anderson. She has a business proposal for Mr. Anderson. They're going to talk about it in the meeting.

Kaori: Good morning, Mr. Anderson.

Mr. Anderson: (shakes hands with Kaori) Hello, Kaori.

Kaori: Thank you for meeting me today. Have you read my proposal?

Mr. Anderson: Yes, I've read it. I have some questions.

Kaori: I'll be glad to answer them. I hope we can agree on something by the end of this meeting.

Mr. Anderson: Let's see about that.

2. Today's Phrase

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

- 1. My mother and I don't agree on anything.
- 2. My husband and I need a new car but we can't agree on what to buy.
- 3. Jack and I have agreed on a price. I was finally able to buy his car.

* agree on [about] ~ / ~について合意する

3. Your Task

You are in a business meeting. You are going to show a PowerPoint presentation about the company's new product. Introduce yourself to the group, thank everyone (=your tutor) for coming, and then tell them what you're going to present.

4. Let's Talk

How often do you have business meetings?

Talk about the last business meeting you had.

Do you like attending business meetings? Why or why not?

5. Today's photo

Describe the photo in your words as precisely as possible.

